



**DATE:** January 1, 2023

**FROM:** Permit Services – Plan Review

**SUBJECT:** Applicable Building Codes

Improved safety, sustainability, maintaining consistency, new technology and construction methods, and reliability are paramount to the development of building codes during each Triennial and Intervening Code Adoption Cycle. The California Building Standards Code, Title 24, serves as the basis for the design and construction of buildings in California. California’s building codes are published in their entirety every three (3) years. Effective January 1, 2023, all permit application will need to be submitted under the following design standards.

- Part 1 – 2022 California Administrative Code**
- Part 2 – 2022 California Building Code – Volume 1 and 2**
- Part 2.5 – 2022 California Residential Code**
- Part 3 – 2022 California Electrical Code**
- Part 4 – 2022 California Mechanical Code**
- Part 5 – 2022 California Plumbing Code**
- Part 6 – 2022 California Energy Code**
- Part 8 – 2022 California Historical Building Code**
- Part 9 – 2022 California Fire Code – with local modifications**
- Part 10 – 2022 California Existing Building Code**
- Part 11 – 2022 California Green Building Standards Code – with local modifications**
- Part 12 – 2022 California Referenced Standards Code**

| CLIMATIC AND GEOGRAPHIC DESIGN CRITERIA |             |                        |                               |   |
|---|-------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|---|
| GROUND<br>SNOW<br>LOAD                  | WIND DESIGN |                        | SEISMIC<br>DESIGN<br>CATEGORY | FLOOD HAZARDS                           |
|   | SPEED (MPH) | TOPOGRAPHIC<br>EFFECTS |                               |   |
| 0                                       | 110         | No                     | D2 through E                  | NFIP: May 4, 1981<br>FIS: June 21, 2017 |