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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, 2019, all permit application will need to be submitted under the following design standards.

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