



**Informational Public Meeting on Building and Fire Code Updates
Monday, November 21, 2022 at 2:30 pm
In the movie room at the
Community Campus, 100 Campus Drive, Portsmouth NH**

AGENDA & ZOOM REGISTRATION

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I. INTRODUCTION

II. DISCUSSION OF AMENDMENT TO CITY OF PORTSMOUTH BUILDING CODE

TO INCLUDE:

The deletion of:

Chapter 12, Part I- International Building Code (2015) and Part II- International Residential Code (2015)

Chapter 15, Part I - International Plumbing Code (2015), Part II- International Mechanical Code (2015), Part III –Fuel Gas Installations (2015), and Part IV- National Electrical Code (2017) in their entirety.

Discussion of Amendments to the City of Portsmouth Building Code, Chapter 12, and the adoption by reference of the updated New Hampshire Building Code, as defined in RSA 155-A:1, IV, local regulations and amendments, including the current edition of the NFPA 70/NEC, a code promulgated by the International Code Conference.

III. DISCUSSION OF AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 5, STATE FIRE CODE UPDATES AND PROPOSED LOCAL AMENDMENTS TO 2018 INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE

Discussion of amendments to Chapter 5, Article I- Fire Department, Section 5.101 – Personnel, and Article IX – Adopted Fire Codes, which includes the State Fire Code

defined as the Life Safety Code NFPA 101 and the Uniform Fire Code NFPA 1, 2018 editions. Discussion of International Fire Code, 2018 Edition, and local amendments to the International Fire Code.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

For links to amendments to Chapters 12, 15 and 5, go to Inspection Department webpage at the following link below. Additional copies of these amendments are at the Office of the City Clerk, the Portsmouth Public Library and the Inspections Department. Copies of the New Hampshire Building Codes are available at the Office of the City Clerk and Inspections Department: