

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION CODES  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Construction Code – Part 4 – Building Code (ORR# 2017-030 LR)

The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Bureau of Construction Codes, will hold a public hearing on Thursday, August 24, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. in the Ottawa Building, Upper Level, Conference Room 3, 611 W. Ottawa Street, Lansing, MI 48933. Please come early and bring your driver's license, as you will need to check in with the security desk and be escorted to the conference room. The Part 4 Building Code Rule is proposed to take immediate effect after filing with the Secretary of State.

The public hearing is being held to receive public comments on the proposed amendments to the administrative rules noted above.

The proposed revisions to the Part 4 Building Code Rules adopt the 2015 edition of the International Building Code with amendments, deletions, and additions deemed necessary for use in Michigan. The hearing is being conducted by the Department under Section 4 of 1972 PA 230, MCL 125.1504, and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 2003-1, 2008-4 and 2011-4, MCL 445.2011, 445.2025 and 445.2030, to address storm shelters.

The proposed rule will be published in the August 1, 2017, *Michigan Register*. You may download a free copy of the proposed amendments by visiting the Bureau's website at [www.michigan.gov/bcc](http://www.michigan.gov/bcc). The amendments is located under "What's New" on the front page of the website.

Oral or written comments may be presented in person at the hearing on August 24, 2017, or submitted in writing by mail, email, or facsimile no later than 5:00 p.m., August 24, 2017, to the address stated below. If your presentation at the public hearing is in written form, please provide a copy to the Rules Specialist, at the conclusion of your testimony at the hearing.

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The meeting site and parking are accessible. Individuals attending the meeting are requested to refrain from using heavily scented personal care products in order to enhance accessibility for everyone. People with disabilities requiring additional services (such as materials in alternative format) in order to participate in the meeting should contact the Administrative Services Division as stated above at least 14 days prior to the hearing. LARA is an equal opportunity employer/program.