

I move that the Code Council direct Codes Division staff to develop the text of a rule to amend and update the State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code (the Uniform Code).

I further move that the rule text to be developed by Codes Division staff incorporate by reference updated editions of

the Residential Code of New York State,

the Building Code of New York State,

the Plumbing Code of New York State,

the Mechanical Code of New York State,

the Fuel Gas Code of New York State,

the Fire Code of New York State,

the Property Maintenance Code of New York State, and

the Existing Building Code of New York State.

I further move that the updated edition of each New York State code book to be developed by Codes Division staff and incorporated by reference in the rule text be based on the 2012 edition of the corresponding International Code, with the following changes:

1. include the resiliency provisions described in the report presented at this meeting by Miriam McGiver,
2. reference and incorporate the 2014 edition of the National Electrical Code rather than the 2011 edition of the National Electrical Code,

3. continue to reflect the provisions in the currently effective version of the Uniform Code regarding the installation of sprinkler systems in one- and two-family dwellings,
4. continue to reflect the provisions in the currently effective version of the Uniform Code regarding the installation of fire suppression systems in gas stations, and
5. incorporate the modifications described in the report of the corresponding Technical Subcommittee, except where those modifications are inconsistent with changes 1, 2, 3 and/or 4.

I further move that the Code Council direct Codes Division staff:

1. to prepare a Notice of Proposed Rule Making and all related documents required by the State Administrative Procedure Act;
2. to submit the draft rule text, Notice of Proposed Rule Making and related documents to the Governor's Office and the Regulatory Review Unit in the Division of Budget;
3. upon approval of the draft rule text, Notice of Proposed Rule Making and related documents by the Governor's Office and the Regulatory Review Unit, to file the Notice of Proposed Rule Making and related documents with the Division of Administrative Rules and to cause the Notice of Proposed Rule Making and related documents to be published in the State Register;
4. to conduct public hearings on the proposed rule;
5. to receive, review and analyze public comments on the proposed rule; and
6. to report to the Code Council with a recommendation to adopt the proposed rule, to adopt the proposed rule with such non-substantial changes as the Codes Division may identify, to make substantial changes to the draft rule and to

initiate revised rule making procedures, or to take other action with respect to the proposed rule.

I further move that the Code Council direct Codes Division staff:

1. to continue to study the issues of the installation of sprinkler systems in one- and two-family dwellings and the installation of fire suppression systems in gas stations, and
2. to report to the Code Council with a recommendations regarding the advisability of commencing separate rule making proceeding(s) to change the currently effective provisions in the Uniform Code regarding either or both of those issues.