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# RULES AND ADOPTED/REFERENCED NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED CODES, STANDARDS

## 2015 Vermont Fire & Building Safety Code - Effective Date October 10, 2016

### PRIMARY CODES ADOPTED

NFPA 101	Life Safety Code - National Fire Protection Association	2015 edition
NFPA 1	Uniform Fire Code - National Fire Protection Association	2015 edition
IBC	International Building Code – International Code Council	2015 edition
NBIC	National Board Inspection Code, - National Board of Boiler & Pressure Vessel Inspectors	2015 edition
NFPA 70	National Electrical Code- National Fire Protection Association	2014 edition
ADA	Americans with Disability Act Accessibility Standards	2010 edition
ASME A17.1	Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators	2013 edition
ASME A17.3	Safety Code for Existing Elevators and Escalators	2011 edition
ASME A18.1	Safety Standard for Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts	2011 edition
IPC	International Plumbing Code – International Code Council	2015 edition

### Other Major Codes & Standards

This list is not a complete listing of all possible adopted/referenced Codes and standards.  
 For a complete listing, please see the adopted rule

NFPA 10	Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers	2013 edition
NFPA 13	Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems	2013 edition
NFPA 30	Flammable and Combustible Liquids Code	2015 edition
NFPA 31	Standard for the Installation of Oil-Burning Equipment	2011 edition
NFPA 54	National Fuel Gas Code	2015 edition
NFPA 58	Liquid Petroleum Gas Code	2014 edition
NFPA 72	National Fire Alarm Code,	2013 edition
NFPA 73	Residential Electrical Code	2011 edition
NFPA 90A	Standard for the Installation of Air-Conditioning and Ventilating Systems	2015 edition
NFPA 96	Standard for Ventilation Control and Fire Protection of Commercial Cooking	2014 edition
NFPA 211	Standard for Chimneys, Fireplaces, Vents, and Solid Fuel-Burning Appliances	2013 edition
NFPA 495	Explosive Materials Code	2013 edition
NFPA 914	Code for Fire Protection of Historic Structures	2010 edition
NFPA 1123	Code for Fireworks Display	2015 edition
NFPA 1124	Code for the Manufacture, Trans., Storage and Retail Sales of Fireworks	2006 edition
ASCE 7	Minimum Design Loads for Buildings & Other Structures	2010 edition

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**CODE INFORMATION SHEET**

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