



Idaho Division of Building Safety Adopted Codes – Effective 1 January 2021

(Starting July 1, 2020 - under a soft implementation, the Division will allow projects to be submitted under the 2018 codes. The soft implementation requires the whole project be designed to the 2018 codes.)

Building Codes:

2018 International Building Code, with amendments

2018 International Residential Code (parts I, II, III and IX), with Idaho amendments collectively named the Idaho Residential Code (2020 Edition)

2018 International Energy Conservation Code, with amendments collectively named the Idaho Energy Conservation Code (2020 Edition)

2018 International Existing Building Code

* Note – Idaho amendments to the IRC contain a typo under 07.03.01.004.02.q. Table R403 became Table R403.4 in the final printing of the 2018 IRC.

** The reference to 2020 Edition is an identifier to the legislative session in which the amendments were adopted. Amendments can be made in any legislative cycle regardless of code cycle.

Electrical Code:

2017 NEC with amendments

Elevator Code:

ANSI/ASME A17.1 2016, Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators

ANSI/ASME A17.3 2015 Safety Code for Existing Elevators and Escalators

ANSI/ASME A17.4 1999 Guide for Emergency Personnel

ANSI/ASME A17.5 2014 Elevator and Escalator Electrical Equipment

ANSI/ASME A17.6 2010 Standard for Elevator Suspension, and Governor Systems

ANSI/ASME A17.7 2012 Performance-based Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators

ANSI/ASME A17.8 2016 Standard for Wind Tower Turbine Elevators

ANSI/ASME A18.1 2014 Safety Standards for Platform Lifts and Chairlifts

ASME QE-1 2013 Standard for the Qualification of Elevator Inspectors

Mechanical Codes:

2018 International Mechanical Code

2018 International Fuel Gas Code

2018 International Residential Code Parts V & VI

Plumbing Code:

2017 Idaho State Plumbing Code based on the 2015 Uniform Plumbing Code.

Free read only access at <http://www.iapmo.org/Pages/IdahoPlumbingCode.aspx>

Fire Code (administered by the Idaho State Fire Marshal):

2018 International Fire Code

<http://www.doi.idaho.gov/SFM/> - Link to State Fire Marshal's office

<https://dbs.idaho.gov/rules/current.html> - Link to current DBS statute and rules packets