



September 2017 ICC Announcements

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Upcoming Dates:

- **Sept:** 2018 I-codes available for shipping and 2018 I-code pdfs available for purchase online
- **Sept 20th** **Inspector Skills Class at ICC Brea: 0.6 CEUs**
Be able to better identify principles of code administration for achieving safe buildings and develop effective skills to communicate with clients and governmental staff during this one-day seminar. [Learn more](#)
- **Sept 21st:** **Report Writing for Code Inspectors at ICC Brea: 0.6 CEUs**
As an inspector, effective writing is vital to your career. Quality inspection reports and notices of violation will help you ensure code compliance, impress superiors and win respect from colleagues. Effective writing is vital to your career. Learn how to prepare more effective reports and advance your career in this one-day seminar. [Learn more.](#)
- **Oct 30–Nov 1:** County Building Officials Association of CA (CBOAC) Annual Meeting: Santa Rosa
- **Nov 13-17:** **Plan Review Institute (Based on 2015 I-Code at Doubletree Norwalk: 0.6 CEUs.** This 5-day institute focuses on skills necessary to perform a plan review referencing the 2015 IRC and 2015 IBC. More info here: <https://learn.iccsafe.org/ihtml/application/student/interface.icc/index.htm>
- **Oct 24, 2017** Region I Member conference call: 4 – 5 pm
- **Jan 8, 2018** Deadline for Group A Code Changes
- **Mar 26, 2018** Region I in-person meeting, 4-5 pm, CALBO Annual Meeting, Burlingame, CA

Reminders:

- ICC Region I website: <http://www.iccregion1.com/>
- Chapter Rewards Program: <https://www.iccsafe.org/membership/chapters/chapter-resources/>
- Public Access and Premium Access for I-codes: <https://codes.iccsafe.org>

Notes:

- In response to Hurricane Harvey, the International Code Council is [pledging to match member, staff and stakeholder donations up to \\$64,000 to the American Red Cross.](#)
- The International Code Council unveiled a new cloud-based testing system, [Proctored Remote Online Testing Option \(PRONTO\)](#), which enables candidates to take ICC certification exams at their convenience on their home or office computer, 365 days a year, 24 hours/day
- The [August 2017 Building Valuation Data](#) is available. ICC strongly recommends that all jurisdictions actively evaluate and assess the impact of the BVD before utilizing it in code enforcement-related activities. The BVD is updated in six-month intervals with the next data available in February 2018.
- It's not too early to plan for ICC's 2018 Annual Conference:
2018 Annual Conference and Group A Public Comment Hearings:
Annual Conference: October 21–23, 2018
Public Comment Hearings: October 23 – 31, 2018
Greater Richmond Convention Center
403 N 3rd Street, Richmond, VA, 23219
- ICC is supporting once again our pool safety partner [Pool Safely](#) in their #PledgeItOn campaign. Through the month of September, we hope to help them hit 70,000 Pledge signatures. The hashtag is: #PledgeItOn. Here is the link for the pledge: <https://www.poolsafely.gov/pledge/>