MEMORANDUM

September 7, 2017

TO:

Planning, Housing and Economic Development Committee

FROM:

Jeff Zyontz, Senior Legislative Analyst

SUBJECT:

Worksession: Bill 19-17, Buildings - Energy Efficiency - Repeal

Bill 19-17, Buildings – Energy Efficiency - Repeal, sponsored by Lead Sponsor Council President at the request of the County Executive, was introduced on June 13, 2017. A public hearing was held on June 27.

Bill 19-17 would repeal Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code and amend the law relating to buildings, energy efficiency and environmental design. This code provision established the requirement for new large buildings to achieve Leadership in Environment and Energy Design (LEED) certification (or an equivalent rating).

The Executive is seeking a repeal of the LEED requirement in anticipation of adopting ER 21-15AMII which requires compliance to the International Green Building Code (IgCC) as amended by the regulation. The alterative to IgCC compliance would be LEED Silver certification with minimum energy and atmospheric points.

ER 21-15AMII has a broader scope and a higher standard than the Green Building Law. The Green Building Law requires new private buildings (or extensively modified buildings) larger than 10,000 square feet of gross floor area to be certified under the LEED rating system² (or an energy and environmental design standard that the Department of Permitting Services Director identifies as equivalent). If approved, ER 21-15AMII would cover non-residential building with a floor area of 5,000 square feet or larger, instead of 10,000 square feet and it would require Silver LEED certification instead of a lower LEED certification.³

If the Council approves ER 21-15AMII, staff recommends approval of Bill 19-17.

¹ A detailed review of the Executive Regulation's content is available in a September 11, 2017 memorandum to the Planning, Housing, and Economic Development Committee.

² The Green Building Council is the non-profit institution that certifies a building's rating under LEED standards.

³ There are 4 levels of LEED achievement: 1) Certified-40 to 49 points; 2) Silver-50 to 59 points; 3) Gold-60 to 79 points; and 4) Platinum-80 points or more.

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Bill No. 19-17
Concerning: Buildings - Energy
Efficiency and Environmental Design -
Repeal
Revised: <u>5/19/17</u> Draft No. <u>1</u>
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COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Lead Sponsor: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

AN ACT to:

(1) repeal Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code; and

(2) generally amend the law relating to buildings, energy efficiency, and environmental design.

By amending

Montgomery County Code Chapter 8, Buildings Section 8-26

and repealing

Montgomery County Code Chapter 8, Buildings Article VII Sections 8-46, 8-47, 8-48, 8-49, 8-50, 8-51, and 8-52

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Act:

Sec. 1. Section 26 of Chapter 8 is amended as follows:
8-26. Conditions of permit.
* * *
(c) Compliance with permit. All work must conform to the approved
application and plans for which the permit has been issued[, including
any action required under Article VII,] and any approved amendments to
the permit.
* * *
Sec. 2. Article VII of Chapter 8 (Sections 8-46, 8-47, 8-48, 8-49, 8-50, 8-51)
and 8-52) is repealed as follows:
ARTICLE VII. [ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND ENVIRONMENTAL
DESIGN.] Reserved.
8-46. [Short title] Reserved.
[This Article may be cited as the Montgomery County Green Buildings Law.]
8-47. [Policy] Reserved.
[This Article is intended to protect the public health and welfare by requiring ar
integrated approach to planning, design, construction, and operation of a covered
building and its surrounding landscape that helps mitigate the energy and
environmental impacts of the building so that it is energy efficient, sustainable, secure
safe, cost-effective, accessible, functional, and productive.]
8-48. [Definitions] Reserved.
[In this Article, in addition to any term defined elsewhere in this Chapter, the
following words have the meanings indicated:
County building means any covered building for which the County government
finances at least 30% of the cost of:
(1) construction, for a newly constructed building; or
(2) modification, for a building that is extensively modified.

28	Covered building means a newly constructed or extensively modified non-
29	residential or multi- family residential building that has or will have at least
30	10,000 square feet of gross floor area.
31	Extensively modified refers to any structural modification which alters more than
32	50% of the building's gross floor area, as indicated on the application for a
33	building permit. Extensively modified does not include any modification that
34	is limited to one or more of the following building systems: mechanical;
35	electrical; plumbing; heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC); and fire
36	protection.
37	Green Building Council means the U.S. Green Building Council, an
38	organization that has developed and published the LEED rating system to
39	measure the energy and environmental performance of a building.
40	LEED refers to the series of Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design
41	(LEED) rating systems developed by the Green Building Council.
42	LEED rating system means the particular LEED rating system that applies to a
43	covered building, as specified in Executive regulations.
44	Multi-family residential building means any multi-family residential or mixed-
45	use building that is taller than 4 stories. Multi-family residential building does
46	not include a residential care or assisted living building which can house no
47	more than 16 occupants.
48	Newly constructed refers to a new stand-alone building or an addition to an
49	existing building. A newly constructed building includes any addition to or
50	enlargement of an existing building, but does not include any change to an
51	existing portion of a building.
52	Non-residential building means a building not used as a dwelling. Non-
53	residential building does not include any:
54	(1) day care center for 5 or fewer persons;

55	(2)	acces	ssory building or structure;
56	(3)	agricultural building, stable, barn, or greenhouse;	
57	(4)	parking garage that is not heated or cooled; or	
58	(5)	other building characterized as a miscellaneous building in the edition of	
59		the IO	CC International Building Code designated under Section 8-13.]
60	8-49. [Stand	dards	and requirements] Reserved.
61	[(a)	Cour	aty buildings. Any County building must, in addition to any action
62		requi	red under Section 8-14A, achieve:
63		(1)	a silver-level rating in the appropriate LEED rating system, as
64			certified by the Green Building Council;
65		(2)	a silver-level rating in the appropriate LEED rating system, as
66			verified by the Director or a qualified person approved by the
67			Director; or
68		(3)	energy and environmental design standards that the Director
69			identifies as equivalent to a silver-level rating in the appropriate
70			LEED rating system, as verified by the Director or a qualified
71			person approved by the Director.
72	(b)	Other	r covered buildings. Any other covered building must achieve:
73		(1)	a certified-level rating in the appropriate LEED rating system, as
74			certified by the Green Building Council;
75		(2)	a certified-level rating in the appropriate LEED rating system, as
76			verified by the Director or a qualified person approved by the
77			Director; or
78		(3)	energy and environmental design standards that the Director
79			identifies as equivalent to a certified-level rating in the appropriate
80			LEED rating system, as verified by the Director or a qualified
81			person approved by the Director. 4

82	(c)	Additions. However, for any building for which an application for all
83		necessary building permits was filed before September 1, 2008, any later
84		addition to that building must achieve the requirements of a subsection
85		(a) or (b), whichever applies, only if the addition would increase the
86		building's:
87		(1) land coverage by at least 100%; and
88		(2) gross floor area by at least 10,000 square feet.]
89	8-50. [Bui	lding permits] <u>Reserved</u> .
90	[(a)	Design plans. The applicant for a building permit for a covered building
91		must submit to the Department:
92		(1) design plans for the building that are likely to achieve the
93		applicable standard under Section 8-49(a) or (b), whichever
94		applies, as certified or otherwise approved by the Green Building
95		Council or verified by the Director or a qualified person designated
96		by the Department; and
97		(2) any other document or information the Department finds necessary
98		to decide whether the building will achieve the applicable standard
99		under Section 8-49.
100	(b)	Building permit. The Department must require compliance with Section
101		8-49 as a condition of any building permit issued for a covered building.
102	(c)	Final use and occupancy certificate. The Department must not issue a
103		final use and occupancy certificate for a covered building unless it finds
104		that the building has achieved the applicable standard under Section 8-
105		49.]
106	8-51. [Reg	gulations] Reserved.
107	[The	County Executive must adopt regulations under method (2) to administer
108	this Article	. Those regulations must specify:
		(5-)

109	(a)	the LEED rating system, and any equivalent energy and environmental
110		design standard, that applies to each type of covered building under
111		Section 8-49(a) and (b).
112	(b)	the process to verify that a covered building complies with any applicable
113		standard under Section 8-49, including the types of persons who are
114		qualified to verify compliance;
115	(c)	any standards and procedures under which the Director may approve full
116		or partial waivers of Section 8-49 when compliance would be impractical
117		or unduly burdensome and the public interest would be served by the
118		waiver; and
119	(d)	standards and procedures for any enforcement mechanism, such as a
120		performance bond, that the Department finds necessary to accomplish the
121		purposes of this Article.]
122	8-52. [Repo	ort] Reserved.
123	[The]	Director must submit to the Executive and Council, not later than March 1
124	of each year	, a list of each waiver of the requirements of this Article that the Director
125	approved du	uring the preceding calendar year and any condition attached to the at
126	waiver.]	
127	Sec. 3	3. Effective Date

This Act takes effect on December 1, 2017.

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LEGISLATIVE REQUEST REPORT

Bill 19-17

Buildings - Energy Efficiency - Repeal

DESCRIPTION:

Bill 19-17 will repeal Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County

Code; and generally amend the law relating to buildings, energy efficiency

and environmental design.

PROBLEM:

In 2007, the Montgomery County Green Building law codified in Chapter

8 (Buildings), Article VII Energy Efficiency and Environmental Design of the County Code, and the Department of Permitting Services adopted

Executive Regulation 19-07 to enforces the requirements. The

Department proposed Executive regulation 21-15AM for adoption of International Green Construction Code (IgCC) which makes green buildings an integral part of the county building codes and the County

Green Building Law is no longer necessary.

GOALS AND:

OBJECTIVES

To have green building as a feature of the county building codes.

COORDINATION: The Office of the County Executive.

FISCAL IMPACT: None.

ECONOMIC:

None.

IMPACT

EVALUATION:

Not Applicable

EXPERIENCE:

Not Applicable

ELSEWHERE

SOURCE OF:

INFORMATION

Department of Permitting Services

APPLICATION:

Not Applicable

WITHIN

MUNICIPALITIES

PENALTIES:

Not Applicable



OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

Isiah Leggett
County Executive

MEMORANDUM

May 16, 2017

TO:

Roger Berliner, Council President

FROM:

Isiah Leggett, County Executive

SUBJECT:

Legislation repealing and generally amending Article VII of Chapter 8 of the

Montgomery County Code relating to buildings, energy efficiency and

environmental design (the "County Green Buildings Law")

The purpose of the memorandum is to submit legislation proposing repeal of the County Green Buildings Law which is to be replaced by Executive Regulation 21-15AM adopting the 2012 International Green Construction Code with amendments (IgCC). Adoption of the IgCC makes green building an integral part of the County building codes and the County Green Buildings Law is no longer necessary. There is no fiscal impact as reflected on the Fiscal Impact Statement submitted separately.

Attached is the proposed legislation, LRR and the fiscal/economic impact statements. If you have additional questions or need additional information, please contact Hadi Mansouri, Chief Operating Officer, in the Department of Permitting Services at 240-777-6233.

IL:dj

Attachments

Fiscal Impact Statement BILL XX-17

1. Bill Summary

Bill XX-17 will repeal Article VII of Chapter 8, the Montgomery County Green Building law, of the Montgomery County Code; and generally amend the law relating to buildings, energy efficiency and environmental design.

The County Executive submitted Executive Regulation 21-15AM for Council's consideration in September 2016. County Council extended the review time for Executive Regulation 21-15AM until June 30, 2017. This regulation adopts the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IgCC), with amendments, as the energy conservation and sustainability design standard in Montgomery County, and supersedes Executive Regulation 19-07AM.

With the adoption of the IgCC, Article VII of Chapter 8 is no longer necessary as the IgCC sets a higher performance baseline and applies to a broader spectrum of construction.

An estimate of changes in County revenues and expenditures regardless of whether the
revenues or expenditures are assumed in the recommended or approved budget. Includes
source of information, assumptions, and methodologies used.

No impact

3. Revenue and expenditure estimates covering at least the next 6 fiscal years.

No impact

4. An actuarial analysis through the entire amortization period for each bill/regulation that would affect retiree pension or group insurance costs.

No impact

5. Later actions that may affect future revenue and expenditures if the bill/regulation authorizes future spending.

No impact

6. An estimate of the staff time needed to implement the bill/regulation.

No impact

7. An explanation of how the addition of new staff responsibilities would affect other duties. No impact

8. An estimate of costs when an additional appropriation is needed.

No impact

9. A description of any variable that could affect revenue and cost estimates.

No impact

10. Ranges of revenue or expenditures that are uncertain or difficult to project.

No impact

11. If a Bill is likely to have no fiscal impact, why that is the case.

No impact

12. Other fiscal impacts or comments.

No impact

13. The following contributed to and concurred with this analysis,

Hemal Mustafa, DPS

Hadi Mansouri, DPS

Jennifer Nordin, OMB

Jennifer A Hughes, Director

Office of Management and Budget

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Economic Impact Statement Bill ##-17, Draft Bill Title (no title)

Background:

This legislation would:

- Repeal Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code; and
- Amend the law related to buildings, energy efficiency, and environmental design.

In 2007, Montgomery County codified Chapter 8, Article VII, Buildings – Energy Efficiency and Environmental Design, and the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) adopted Executive Regulation 19-07 for enforcement of the requirements in Chapter 8, Article VII.

DPS proposes Executive Regulation 21-15AM to adopt the recent International Green Construction Code (IgCC) that makes green buildings an integral part of the County building codes and, thereby, making the County Green Building Law (Chapter 8, Article VII) unnecessary. Bill ##-17 repeals Chapter 8, Article VII as it is replaced by Executive Regulation 21-15AM.

1. The sources of information, assumptions, and methodologies used.

Source of information includes the Department of Permitting Services (DPS). According to DPS, the IgCC is pending adoption as an overlay building code which will render the existing Green Buildings Law obsolete.

2. A description of any variable that could affect the economic impact estimates.

There are no variables that could affect the economic impact estimates.

3. The Bill's positive or negative effect, if any on employment, spending, savings, investment, incomes, and property values in the County.

Since the new green building construction code as reflected in ER 21-15AM effectively replaces the current law, this legislation would have no economic impact on employment, spending, savings, investment, incomes, and property values in the County.

4. If a Bill is likely to have no economic impact, why is that the case?

Please paragraph #3.

5. The following contributed to or concurred with this analysis: David Platt and Rob Hagedoorn, Finance.

Alexandre A. Espinosa, Director

Department of Finance

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Subject: International Green Construction Code (IGCC) 2012	Number: 21-15AM
Originating Department: DEPARTMENT OF PERMITTING SERVICES	Effective Date:

Montgomery County Regulation on:

COMCOR 08.00.03 ADOPTION OF THE 2012 INTERNATIONAL GREEN CONSTRUCTION CODE

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITTING SERVICES

Issued by: County Executive Regulation No. 21-15AM

Authority: Code Sections 8-13 and 8-14 Supersedes: Executive Regulation 19-07AM Council Review: Method 2

Register Vol. 32 Issue 12 Comment deadline: January 31, 2015

> Effective date: Sunset date: None

SUMMARY: This regulation adopts the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IGCC), with amendments, and supersedes Executive Regulation 19-07AM.

ADDRESSES:

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Sub	ject: International Green Construction Code (IGCC) 2012	Number: 21-15AM
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BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Department of Permitting Services enforces Chapter 8 (Buildings) of the Montgomery County Code. This regulation is adopted under Sections 8-13 and 8-14 of the Montgomery County Code. It is a coordinated effort whereby Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code is to be repealed under separate Council action and the 2012 International Green Construction Code is adopted, with amendments, as the energy conservation and sustainable building design standard in Montgomery County, Maryland. This regulation supersedes Executive Regulation No. 19-07AM.

COMCOR 08.00.03 Buildings - Energy Conservation and Sustainable Building Design.

08.00.03.01 PURPOSE

This regulation adopts the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IGCC), with amendments, and establishes:

- (a) a process to verify that certain new construction and additions comply with the applicable standard;
- (b) standards and procedures under which the Director may approve waivers or modifications of the IGCC, when compliance would be impracticable or unduly burdensome and the public interest would be served by the waiver or modification; and
- (c) standards and procedures for any enforcement mechanism that the Department finds necessary to accomplish the purposes of the energy conservation and sustainable building design standard adopted in this regulation.

08.00.03.02 APPLICABILITY

This regulation applies to any newly constructed, and to any addition to an existing non-residential or multi-family residential building, including R-2 and R-4 residential buildings (Group R-4 includes uses such as Assisted Living, Congregate Care, Group Homes and Social Rehabilitation Facilities), that will have at least 5,000 square feet of gross floor area. This regulation does not apply to any building or structure exempt under Section 101.3 of the IGCC and Section 08.00.03.06.01 of this regulation.

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08.00.03.03 **DEFINITIONS**

For the purposes of this regulation, the following words and phrases have the meanings indicated. Words and phrases defined and used in Chapter 8 of the County Code have the meanings indicated in that Chapter.

Addition means an extension or increase in the gross floor area or height of an existing building or structure. Addition also includes the addition of building components such as electrical and mechanical systems or elements to an existing building or structure.

Commissioning Plan means the Commissioning Plan approved by the code official.

Department means the Department of Permitting Services.

Director means the Director of the Department of Permitting Services.

Multi-family residential building means any multi-family residential or mixed-use residential building that has at least 5,000 square feet of gross floor area. Multi-family residential building does not include a residential care or assisted living building which can house no more than 16 occupants.

Newly constructed refers to a new stand-alone building or an addition to an existing building.

Non-residential building means a building not used as a dwelling.

Non-residential building does not include any:

- (1) day care center for 5 or fewer persons;
- (2) accessory building or structure;
- (3) agricultural building, stable, barn, or greenhouse;
- (4) parking garage that is not heated or cooled; or
- other building characterized as a miscellaneous building in the edition of the ICC International Building Code designated under Section 8-13 of the Montgomery County Code.

08.00.03.04 POLICY

In May 2011, the State of Maryland authorized local jurisdictions to adopt the International Green Construction Code as one of the Model Performance Codes. The Department of Permitting Services





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supports and recommends adoption of the IGCC as establishing a high performance baseline for energy conservation and sustainable building practices.

08.00.03.05 PROCEDURES

The IGCC is part of the International Code Council (ICC) building codes family and as such is subject to the same regulations governing the approval and issuance of building permits, and the inspection procedures and policies codified in the Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code.

08.00.03.06 AMENDMENTS TO THE 2012 INTERNATIONAL GREEN CONSTRUCTION CODE (IGCC)

08.00.03.06.01 Section 101 - General

Subsection 101.1. Replace the brackets and the phrase inside the brackets with "Montgomery County Maryland".

Subsection 101.3. Replace Subsection 101.3 with the following: The provisions of this code shall apply to new construction as it relates to design and construction of buildings and additions, building sites, removal and demolition of every building or structure or any appurtenances connected or attached to such buildings or structures and to the site on which the building is located. Occupancy classifications shall be determined in accordance with the International Building Code (IBC).

Subsection 101.3. Add the following exception: 5. The code shall not apply to items 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3

- 5.1. Those low energy buildings that are exempt from the energy requirements of the current International Energy Conservation Code, including open parking garages, greenhouses, warehouses, storage buildings.
- 5.2 Any new building with less than 5000 sq.ft. gross floor area.
- 5.3 Any addition to an existing building which will create less than 5000 sq.ft. of additional gross floor area.

Subsection 101.4. Add a second sentence to read: "Appendix A shall apply as amended by subsection A102.1."



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08.00.03.06.02 Section 102 - Applicability

Subsection 102.4. Delete the phrases "the International Code Council Performance Code (ICCPC)", "the International Plumbing Code (IPC)", and "the International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC)." Replace the phrase "International Fire Code (IFC)" with "Montgomery County Fire Code."

Subsection 102.6. Delete the phrase "the *International Property Maintenance Code*," and replace the phrase "*International Fire Code*" with "Montgomery County Fire Code."

08.00.03.06.03 Section **108** – Board of Appeals. Delete.

08.00.03.06.04 Section 202 - Definitions

Approved Agency. Add the phrase "by the code official or authority having jurisdiction" after the phrase "such agency has been approved."

Addition. Add a second sentence to read: "Addition also includes the addition of building components such as electrical and mechanical systems or elements to an existing building or structure."

08.00.03.06.05 Section 301 - General

Subsection 301.2. Add the phrase, "including Appendix A" after word "applicable" in the second sentence, and add a new last sentence in the paragraph to read "The Department of Permitting Services will accept LEED Silver certification in lieu of the Elective requirements listed in Appendix A."

08.00.03.06.06 Section 302 – Jurisdictional Requirements

Subsection 302.1. Delete items 1 and 2, and renumber the second Item 2 as Item 1.

Subsection 302.1.1. Delete.

Table 302.1. Replace Table 302.1 with the following:



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TABLE 302.1 REQUIREMENTS DETERMINED BY THE JURISDICTION

Section	Section Title or Description and Directives	Jurisdictional Requirements	
	Chapter 1. SCOPE		
101.3 Exception 1.1	Detached one- and two-family dwellings and multiple single-family dwellings (town-houses) not more than three stories in height above grade plane with a separate means of egress, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700.	Yes	⊠ No
101.3 Exception 1.2	Group R-3 residential buildings, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700	☐ Yes	⊠ No
101.3 Exception 1.3	Group R-2 and R-4 residential buildings four stories or less in height above grade plane, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700.	Yes D	
	Chapter 4. SITE DEVELOPMENT AND LAND USE		٧
402.2.1	Flood hazard area preservation, general	☐ Yes	⊠ No
402.2.2	Flood hazard area preservation, specific	☐ Yes	⊠ No
402.3	Surface water protection	Yes	⊠ No
402.5	Conservation area	Yes	⊠ No
402.7	Agricultural land	Yes	⊠ No
402.8	Greenfield sites	☐ Yes	⊠ No
407.4.1	High-occupancy vehicle parking	Yes	⊠ No
407.4.2	Low-emission, hybrid and electric vehicle parking	Yes	X No
409.1	Light pollution control	Yes	⊠ No
	Chapter 5. MATERIAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND EFFICIENCY		
503.1	Minimum percentage of waste material diverted from landfills	⊠ 50%	
,	Chapter 6. ENERGY CONSERVATION, EFFICIENCY AND CO-e EMISSION REDUCTION		
302.1, 602.1	zEPI of Jurisdictional Choice- The jurisdiction shall indicate a zEPI of 50 or less in each occupancy for which it intends to require enhanced energy performance.	Occupancy: ALL zEPI: 50	
604.1	Automated demand response infrastructure	Yes	⊠ No
	Chapter 7. WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION, QUALITY AND EFFICIENCY		
702.7	Municipal reclaimed water	Yes	X No



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		Chapter 8. INDOOR ENVERONMENTAL QUALI	TY		1
		AND COMFORT			
. 8	04.2	Post- Construction Pre-Occupancy Baseline IAQ Testing			☐ No
. 8	07.1	Sounds transmission and sound levels		⊠ Yes	□No
		Chapter 10. EXISTING BUILDINGS: DELETE IN	ITS		
		ENTIRETY			
	007.2	Evaluation of existing buildings		Yes	⊠ No
11	007.3	Post Certificate of Occupancy zEPI, energy demand, and 0	CO²e	☐ Yes	⊠ No
		emissions reporting			ļ
	101	Appendix A ^a		K71	
· · · · · · · · · · · ·	101	Minimum 2 project electives shall be selected for a building	ng	⊠ Yes	☐ No
 	101	with gross floor area less than 10,000 sq.ft. Minimum 3 projects electives shall be selected for buildin	_	[∑] V	No
<i>F</i>	1101	with gross floor area between 10,000 and 20,000 sq.ft.	g	⊠ Yes	LIN0
 	101	Minimum 4 projects electives shall be selected for buildin	~	⊠ Yes	No
f	1101	with gross floor area greater than 20,000 sq.ft.	8		
nust exceed the governmental elective.	he mini entity (ing Commission, or Washington Suburban Sanitary mum requirements of code, standards, and regulation or agencies, and any such Chapter or Section will no	ns as v	written and enf	orced by th
0.00.03.06.0	7 Sect	tion 303 – Whole Building Life Cycle Assessment			
	Secti	ion 303. Move Section 303 to Appendix A.			
8.00.03.06.0	8 Sect	ion 401 – General			
	Sub	section 401.2. Move Subsection 401.2 to Appendix	Α.		
8.00.03.06.09	9 Sect	ion 402 – Preservation of Natural Resources			
	Sec	tion 402. Move Section 402 to Appendix A.			
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Section 403. Move Section 403 to Appendix A.

08.00.03.06.10 Section 403 – Storm Water Management



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08.00.03.06.11 Section 404 - Landscape Irrigation and Outdoor Fountains

Section 404. Move Section 404 to Appendix A.

Appendix A, subsection 404.1.1. Delete the phrase "municipal reclaimed water or with."

08.00.03.06.12 Section 405 - Management of Vegetation, Soils and Erosion Control

Section 405. Move Section 405 to Appendix A.

08.00.03.06.13 Section 407 - Transportation Impact

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OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

Isiah Leggett
County Executive

MEMORANDUM

August 31, 2017

TO:

Roger Berliner, President, Montgomery County Council

FROM:

Isiah Leggett, County Executive

SUBJECT:

Executive Regulation 21-15AMII: Adoption of the 2012 International Green Construction Code, with Amendments which Supersedes Executive Regulation

19-07AM - Method 2

Last September, Executive Regulation 21-15, which proposes adoption of the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IGCC), was transmitted to the County Council (Council) under Method 2. At that time, the Council extended the period for it to complete its review of the proposed regulation. Relatedly, amendments, which have not yet been reviewed by the Council, were transmitted to the Council as ER21-15AM on May 15, 2017.

Following further meetings with stakeholders, the Department of Permitting Services has determined that an additional modification to the pending Executive Regulation is appropriate to move forward with this important regulation. The modification is reflected in attached Executive Regulation 21-15AMII and allows for LEED Silver Certification with a minimum of eight points for energy optimization as an alternative compliance pathway.

These changes do not affect the previously submitted Fiscal Impact Statement. Please contact Hadi Mansouri, Chief Operating Officer in the Department of Permitting Services, at (240) 777-6233 with questions.

Attachments

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Montgomery County Regulation on:

COMCOR 08.00.03 ADOPTION OF THE 2012 INTERNATIONAL GREEN CONSTRUCTION CODE

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITTING SERVICES

Issued by: County Executive Regulation No. 21-15AMII

Authority: Code Sections 8-13 and 8-14 Supersedes: Executive Regulation 19-07AM Council Review: Method 2 Register Vol. 32 Issue 12 Comment deadline: January 31, 2016

> Effective date: Sunset date: None

SUMMARY: This regulation adopts the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IGCC), with amendments, and supersedes Executive Regulation 19-07AM.

ADDRESSES:

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Department of Permitting Services enforces Chapter 8 (Buildings) of the Montgomery County Code. This regulation is adopted under Sections 8-13 and 8-14 of the Montgomery County Code. It is a coordinated effort whereby Article VII of Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code is to be repealed under separate Council action and the 2012 International Green Construction Code is adopted, with amendments, as the energy conservation and sustainable building design standard in Montgomery County, Maryland. This regulation supersedes Executive Regulation No. 19-07AM.

COMCOR 08.00.03 Buildings - Energy Conservation and Sustainable Building Design.

08.00.03.01 PURPOSE

This regulation adopts the 2012 International Green Construction Code (IGCC), with amendments, and establishes:

- (a) a process to verify that certain new construction and additions comply with the applicable standard;
- (b) standards and procedures under which the Director may approve waivers or modifications of the IGCC, when compliance would be impracticable or unduly burdensome and the public interest would be served by the waiver or modification; and
- (c) standards and procedures for any enforcement mechanism that the Department finds necessary to accomplish the purposes of the energy conservation and sustainable building design standard adopted in this regulation.

08.00.03.02 APPLICABILITY

This regulation applies to any newly constructed, and to any addition to an existing non-residential or multi-family residential building, including R-2 and R-4 residential buildings (Group R-4 includes uses such as Assisted Living, Congregate Care, Group Homes and Social Rehabilitation Facilities), that will have at least 5,000 square feet of gross floor area. This regulation does not apply to any building or structure exempt under Section 101.3 of the IGCC and Section 08.00.03.06.01 of this regulation.



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08.00.03.03 **DEFINITIONS**

For the purposes of this regulation, the following words and phrases have the meanings indicated. Words and phrases defined and used in Chapter 8 of the County Code have the meanings indicated in that Chapter.

Addition means an extension or increase in the gross floor area or height of an existing building or structure. Addition also includes the addition of building components such as electrical and mechanical systems or elements to an existing building or structure.

Commissioning Plan means the Commissioning Plan approved by the code official.

Department means the Department of Permitting Services.

Director means the Director of the Department of Permitting Services.

Multi-family residential building means any multi-family residential or mixed-use residential building that has at least 5,000 square feet of gross floor area. Multi-family residential building does not include a residential care or assisted living building which can house no more than 16 occupants.

Newly constructed refers to a new stand-alone building or an addition to an existing building.

Non-residential building means a building not used as a dwelling.

Non-residential building does not include any:

- (1) day care center for 5 or fewer persons:
- (2) accessory building or structure;
- (3) agricultural building, stable, barn, or greenhouse;
- (4) parking garage that is not heated or cooled; or
- (5) other building characterized as a miscellaneous building in the edition of the ICC International Building Code designated under Section 8-13 of the Montgomery County Code.

08.00.03.04 POLICY

In May 2011, the State of Maryland authorized local jurisdictions to adopt the International Green Construction Code as one of the Model Performance Codes. The Department of Permitting Services



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supports and recommends adoption of the IGCC as establishing a high performance baseline for energy conservation and sustainable building practices.

08.00.03.05 PROCEDURES

The IGCC is part of the International Code Council (ICC) building codes family and as such is subject to the same regulations governing the approval and issuance of building permits, and the inspection procedures and policies codified in the Chapter 8 of the Montgomery County Code.

08.00.03.06 AMENDMENTS TO THE 2012 INTERNATIONAL GREEN CONSTRUCTION CODE (IGCC)

08.00.03.06.01 Section 101 - General

Subsection 101.1. Replace the brackets and the phrase inside the brackets with "Montgomery County Maryland".

Subsection 101.3. Replace Subsection 101.3 with the following: The provisions of this code shall apply to new construction as it relates to design and construction of buildings and additions, building sites, removal and demolition of every building or structure or any appurtenances connected or attached to such buildings or structures and to the site on which the building is located. Occupancy classifications shall be determined in accordance with the International Building Code (IBC).

Subsection 101.3. Add the following exceptions:

- 5. The code shall not apply to items 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3.
 - 5.1. Those low energy buildings that are exempt from the energy requirements of the current International Energy Conservation Code, including open parking garages, greenhouses, warehouses, storage buildings.
 - 5.2 Any new building with less than 5000 sq.ft. gross floor area.
 - 5.3 Any addition to an existing building which will create less than 5000 sq.ft. of additional gross floor area.
- 6. Alternately, USGBC-LEED Certification at the Silver level, using the most current USGBC mandated version of the LEED Standard, with not less than 8 points under



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Option 1 OR: Not less than 5 points under Option 2 of the Energy and Atmosphere Credit - Optimize Energy Performance - shall be deemed to comply with this code. Where LEED Certification is selected as an alternative compliance path, it shall not apply to buildings identified in Section 101.3 - Exceptions 1 through 3.

Subsection 101.4. Add a second sentence to read: "Appendix A shall apply as amended by subsection A102.1."

08.00.03.06.02 Section 102 - Applicability

Subsection 102.4. Delete the phrases "the International Code Council Performance Code (ICCPC)", "the International Plumbing Code (IPC)", and "the International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC)." Replace the phrase "International Fire Code (IFC)" with "Montgomery County Fire Code."

Subsection 102.6. Delete the phrase "the *International Property Maintenance Code*," and replace the phrase "*International Fire Code*" with "Montgomery County Fire Code."

08.00.03.06.03 Section 108 - Board of Appeals. Delete.

08.00.03.06.04 Section 202 - Definitions

Approved Agency. Add the phrase "by the code official or authority having jurisdiction" after the phrase "such agency has been approved."

Addition. Add a second sentence to read: "Addition also includes the addition of building components such as electrical and mechanical systems or elements to an existing building or structure."

08.00.03.06.05 Section 301 - General

Subsection 301.1.1. In the second sentence delete the word "either" and add the phrase "or exception 6 of Section 08.00.03.06.01 of this regulation" after the word "code".

Subsection 301.2. Add the phrase, "including Appendix A" after word "applicable" in the second sentence, and add a new last sentence in the paragraph to read: "The Department of Permitting Services will accept LEED Silver certification in lieu of the Elective requirements listed in Appendix A."



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08.00.03.06.06 Section 302 - Jurisdictional Requirements

Subsection 302.1. Delete items 1 and 2, and renumber the second Item 2 as Item 1.

Subsection 302.1.1. Delete.

Table 302.1. Replace Table 302.1 with the following:

TABLE 302.1 REQUIREMENTS DETERMINED BY THE JURISDICTION

Section	Section Title or Description and Directives	Jurisdictional Requirements	
	Chapter 1. SCOPE		
101.3 Exception 1.1	Detached one- and two-family dwellings and multiple single-family dwellings (town-houses) not more than three stories in height above grade plane with a separate means of egress, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700.	☐ Yes	⊠ No
101.3 Exception 1.2	Group R-3 residential buildings, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700	Yes	⊠ No
101.3 Exception 1.3	Group R-2 and R-4 residential buildings four stories or less in height above grade plane, their accessory structures, and the site or lot upon which these buildings are located, shall comply with ICC 700.	⊠ Yes	□ No
	Chapter 4. SITE DEVELOPMENT AND LAND USE		
402.2.1	Flood hazard area preservation, general	☐ Yes	⊠ No
402.2.2	Flood hazard area preservation, specific	☐ Yes	⊠ No
402.3	Surface water protection	Yes	⊠ No
402.5	Conservation area	Yes	⊠ No
402.7	Agricultural land	Yes	⊠ No
402.8	Greenfield sites	☐ Yes	⊠ No
407.4.1	High-occupancy vehicle parking	Yes	⊠ No
407.4.2	Low-emission, hybrid and electric vehicle parking	Yes	⊠ No
409.1	Light pollution control	Yes	⊠ No
	Chapter 5. MATERIAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND EFFICIENCY		
503.1	Minimum percentage of waste material diverted from landfills	⊠ 50%	
	Chapter 6. ENERGY CONSERVATION, EFFICIENCY AND CO-e EMISSION REDUCTION	·	



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302.1, 602.1	zEPI of Jurisdictional Choice- The jurisdiction shall indicate a	Occupancy:	1
	zEPI of 50 or less in each occupancy for which it intends to	ALL	
	require enhanced energy performance.	zEPI: 50	
604.1	Automated demand response infrastructure	Yes	⊠ No
	Chapter 7. WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION,		
	QUALITY AND EFFICIENCY	ļ	
702.7	Municipal reclaimed water	Yes	⊠ No
	Chapter 8. INDOOR ENVERONMENTAL QUALITY AND COMFORT		
804.2	Post- Construction Pre-Occupancy Baseline IAQ Testing		☐ No
807.1	Sounds transmission and sound levels	⊠ Yes	☐ No
	Chapter 10. EXISTING BUILDINGS: DELETE IN ITS		
	ENTIRETY		1
1007.2	Evaluation of existing buildings	Yes	⊠ No
1007.3	Post Certificate of Occupancy zEPI, energy demand, and CO ² e	Yes	⊠ No
	emissions reporting		
	Appendix A ^a		
A101	Minimum 2 project electives shall be selected for a building	Yes	☐ No
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08.00.03.06.07 Section 303 - Whole Building Life Cycle Assessment

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Subsection A102.2. Delete.

Add a new Section A110 to read: "Appendix A includes Sections and Subsections 303, 404, 405, 407, 505, 506, 604, 608.5, 608.12, 610, 807, and 808, which have been relocated from Chapters 3 through 8 of the IGCC."

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Appendix B. Delete.

08.00.03.06.39 Appendix C – Optional Ordinance

Appendix C. Delete.

08.00.03.06.40 Appendix D - Enforcement Procedures

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EFFECTIVE DATE: This regulation is effective on the date Bill No. 19-17 takes effect.

Isiah Leggett, County Executive

Approved as to form and legality:

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