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<u>Call for Committee</u> – Consensus Committee on Multi-Hazard Resiliency For Residential Construction (IS-MHRRC)

## **CALL FOR COMMITTEE PAGE:**

The International Code Council is currently accepting applications for the following Codes & Standards Committee:

## Consensus Committee on Multi-Hazard Resiliency For Residential Construction:

As an ANSI accredited standards developing organization, ICC is collaborating with the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety (IBHS) in the development of a portfolio of individual hazard mitigation standards.

Resiliency is an important factor relative to a building's response to extreme events; hence, the fundamental goal of this committee is the development of a portfolio of Consensus Standards relevant to a wide range of hazards affecting modern residential construction three stories and less. We anticipate that appointment to this committee will be a multi-year commitment. Hazards to be considered include, but not limited to, high winds (hurricanes/typhoons, tornados, and thunderstorms), seismic, flooding, tsunami, and wildfires.

The first task of this committee will be to update ICC 600, entitled, "Standard for Residential Construction in High-Wind Regions." In this task the committee will have primary responsibility for updating the prescriptive methodologies of resistant design and construction details for building and other structures of wood framed, steel framed, concrete, or masonry construction directed toward ensuring structural integrity. This includes prescriptive details for walls, floors, roofs, foundations, windows, doors, and other applicable components of construction in order to be consistent with industry practices. The 2014 version will serve as the base document for this effort. The schedule for completion of the update of ICC 600 is December 1, 2020.

For more information on the ICC procedures for developing standards, please refer to the ICC Consensus Procedures posted at:

## http://www.iccsafe.org/cs/standards/Pages/default.aspx

At this time, ICC is receiving applications for members to serve on this committee. In accordance with ICC's Consensus Procedures, the committee will be a balanced committee of 12 – 15 members of the following Interest Categories: Manufacturer, Builder, Standards Promulgator / Testing Laboratory, User, Utility, Consumer, Public Segment, Government Regulator and Insurance. Accordingly, stakeholders including,

but not limited to, code officials, design professionals and installers should apply. A full description of the Interest Categories is included in the application linked below. Any stakeholder is welcome to apply and ICC membership is not required. Appointments will made by the ICC Board of Directors.

<u>Click here</u> for a Committee application. Please use IS-MHRRC – Consensus Committee on Multi-Hazard Resiliency For Residential Construction to identify this committee on the application.

Travel should be anticipated for 2-4 meetings per year. In addition to in-person meetings, it is anticipated that meetings will be held via online conference calls. For inperson meetings, ICC Governmental Member Representatives are authorized to travel at ICC's expense when participating at ICC Consensus Committee meetings. All other committee members are responsible for funding their participation on this committee.

Term: Through completion of the Standards.

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Application deadline: June 12, 2019