

# Multi-Hazard Resiliency for Residential Construction

## November 13, 2023 - Meeting Minutes

A virtual meeting of the ICC Multi-Hazard Resiliency for Residential Construction Standards Committee (IS-MHRRC) to develop the ICC 605 standard.

<https://www.iccsafe.org/products-and-services/standards/is-mhrrc/>

November 13, 2023, Scheduled for 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm CST.

**Chair:** Medard Kopczynski

**Vice-chair:** Anne Cope

**Secretariats:** Larry Novak, Keith Enstrom

### I. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

**Call to Order.** Med Kopczynski, Chair called the meeting to order.

**ICC Code of Ethics: CP #7 Section 5.1.10 Representation of Interests, CP #50 Antitrust Compliance Guidelines (i.e., avoid price, production, and marketing strategies discussions)**  
Keith Enstrom, ICC presented for reference.

**Roll call of committee members.** Keith Enstrom, ICC called the roll of committee members. It was noted that there was not a quorum of committee members in attendance. The attendance roster is included below.

**Review and approval of the previous meeting minutes.** The previous meeting minutes were not able to be approved since there was not a quorum of committee members in attendance.

**Review and approval of the agenda.** The meeting agenda was not able to be approved since there was not a quorum of committee members in attendance.

### II. TASK GROUPS PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

**A. Administrative Requirements:** Shamim Rashid-Sumar, Chair  
Steve Winistorfer, Vice-Chair

Shamim Rashid-Sumar provided an update of the task group progress. The group has been continuing to work on the limitations section of Chapter 1. Some of this includes placeholders for limitations related to maintenance, vegetation management and topography. The group has been working closely with the Building Design Requirements task group and they've helped to highlight terms that appear in their draft documents, and these have been included in the presented current draft of Chapter 2. The group meets every 2 weeks on Mondays at 1 pm Eastern time. The next task group meeting is on November 27<sup>th</sup>.

**B. Site and Area Requirements: Anne Cope, Chair  
Milad Shabanian, Vice-Chair**

Anne and Milad were not present in the meeting to provide an update. Task Group members Michael Olen and Jason Smart provided an update that included that there has been a review of Table 503.1 in the IWUIC for requirements and the group is deferring to the Building Design Requirements task group for the clarification of the IR1, IR2 and IR3 classifications. There was also noted the need to obtain more input from the committee on the defensible space requirement. This was decided to be scheduled as a joint meeting of the Site and Area Requirements task group and the Building Design Requirements task group. The group meets every 2 to 3 weeks on Tuesdays at 2 pm Eastern time. The next task group meeting is on November 21<sup>st</sup>.

**C. Building Design Requirements: Chris Brunette, Chair  
Kathy Clay, Vice-Chair**

Chris Brunette provided an update of the task group progress. The group has been working through the design elements for direct ember-resistance and the current draft of Section 506 was presented. The group meets every 2 weeks on Fridays at 11 am Mountain time. The next task group meeting is on November 17<sup>th</sup>.

**III. OTHER BUSINESS**

**A. Next meeting** Keith Enstrom, ICC stated that future full committee meetings would be scheduled every four weeks on a reoccurring basis. The next meeting is scheduled for December 11<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM CST.

**B. Questions** There were no questions.

**IV. ADJOURN** Med Kopczynski, Chair called the meeting to adjourn at approximately 12:37 PM Central time.

Attendance Roster:

| <b>Name</b>              |   |
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| <b>Committee Members</b> |   |
| Chris Brunette           | X |
| Jon-Paul Cardin          |   |
| Jeremy Cawn              |   |
| Kathy Clay               |   |
| Anne Cope                |   |
| Brad Douglas             | X |
| Gary Ehrlich             | X |
| Mark Hope                |   |
| Justice Jones            |   |
| Med Kopczynski           | X |
| Nick Lang                |   |
| Michael Olen             | X |
| Shamim Rashid-Sumar      | X |
| Robert Raymer            |   |
| Donald Scott             | X |
| David Torgerson          | X |
| Borjen Yeh               |   |
| David Zader              | X |
|                          |   |
| <b>ICC Staff</b>         |   |
| Larry Novak              | X |
| Keith Enstrom            | X |
| Karl Aittaniemi          |   |
| Karl Fippinger           |   |
| Russ Manning             |   |