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## International Code Council's 2025 Annual Conference and Expo to Kick Off in Cleveland, Ohio

Building safety professionals and industry experts will come together to learn, connect and collaborate during educational and networking sessions at this year's event

**Washington, D.C.**— The International Code Council (ICC) will host its Annual Conference, Expo and Hearings at the Huntington Convention Center of Cleveland from Oct. 19-30, 2025. The event will offer a unique experience for building safety professionals from around the world to engage in educational sessions and network with peers.

"Our annual conference and code hearings are a catalyst for progress and innovation in the building safety industry," said ICC Chief Executive Officer John Belcik. "By bringing together dedicated professionals, industry experts and community leaders, we create a space for meaningful connection, shared learning and collaboration. This annual event empowers our members to shape the future and strengthen the communities they serve."

The Opening Session and Annual Business Meeting will take place on Monday, Oct. 20, and will feature updates from association leadership and the election of ICC Board Officers and Directors.

Participants will also benefit from eight tracks of <u>educational sessions</u> on hot topics in building safety. A new educational track will be offered this year for code enforcement professionals featuring topics ranging from inspection and compliance notices to safety protocols during inspections.

ICC has also partnered with <u>ConstructReach</u> to host a work-based learning event entitled, "I built this!" During this event, students will participate in hands-on activities and interactive demos led by construction professionals as well as get the opportunity to discuss career pathways with industry experts.

This year's Committee Action Hearings will be held Oct. 22-30 and offer code officials, architects, builders, structural engineers, fire, residential and building code professionals, as well as those responsible for the administration of the International Codes® (I-Codes®), the opportunity to provide input on proposed code changes to the Group B #2 2027 I-Codes. The code hearings are free to attend and open to the public, but registration is required.

Click <u>here</u> for more information and use the hashtag #ICCAC25 to join the conversation on social media.

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## **About the International Code Council**

The <u>International Code Council</u> is the leading global source of model codes and standards and building safety solutions. Code Council codes, standards and solutions are used to ensure safe, affordable and sustainable communities and buildings worldwide.