

**NOTICE OF FOCUS GROUP MEETING
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**2025 CALIFORNIA GREEN BUILDING STANDARDS CODE,
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24, PART 11**

2024 TRIENNIAL CODE ADOPTION CYCLE

The California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) is providing notice of a virtual focus group meeting on September 11, 2023, to seek feedback on changes to the 2025 California Building Standards Code, part 11, California Green Building Standards Code (CALGreen) related to Electric Vehicle (EV) charging building standards. The changes are proposed as part of the 2024 Triennial Code Adoption Cycle and will be effective January 1, 2026, if approved by the California Building Standards Commission.

Please submit comments on this rulemaking to Title24@hcd.ca.gov by September 4, 2023. Public comments received in advance will be discussed at the meeting held on:

**September 11, 2023
(Virtual – Zoom)
9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.**

(End time is an estimate; meeting may conclude earlier)

AGENDA TOPICS

1. Welcome by HCD
2. Focus Group Meeting Purpose and Format
3. Ground Rules:
 - a. Time limit is three minutes for each comment
 - b. Be respectful of others participating
 - c. Stay muted unless your name is called, or the phone line is opened for comments
 - d. Keep all comments and discussions related to the agenda items or topics
 - e. If you need help at any time, email Title24@hcd.ca.gov
4. Review of the approved 2022 CALGreen EV charging related building standards and discussion of potential 2025 CALGreen EV charging amendments. Recently approved 2022 CALGreen EV charging code language will be posted on HCD's website and displayed for discussion during the focus group meeting.
NOTE: You can find the recently approved 2022 Intervening Code Adoption Cycle CALGreen documents by visiting the [California Building Standards Commission website](#), then navigate to "HCD", under "HCD 04/22 — Amend the

2022 edition of the California Green Building Standards Code, Part 11, Title 24” or navigating directly to the [Approved Express Terms](#) to view the approved regulatory text.

1: Review amendments made during the 2022 Intervening Code Adoption Cycle

- Chapter 4, Residential Mandatory Measures, section 4.106.4.2.2. Multifamily dwellings, hotels, and motels.
- Appendix A4 Voluntary Measures, Section A4.106.8.2. New Multifamily dwellings, hotels and motels.
 - Tier 1 – Option A and Option B
 - Tier 2 – Option A and Option B

2: Collect input on potential amendments during the 2024 Triennial Code Adoption Cycle related to chapter 4, residential mandatory measures, section 4.106.4, EV charging for new construction.

3: Collect input on potential amendments during the 2024 Triennial Code Adoption Cycle related to Appendix A4, residential voluntary measures, section A4.106.8.2. new multifamily dwellings, hotels, and motels.

- Tier 1 – Option A and Option B
- Tier 2 – Option A and Option B

4: Discuss other potential CALGreen amendment related to EV charging for residential occupancies.

MEETING MATERIALS

- When available, additional meeting materials will be posted on the [HCD website](#) navigate to 2024 Triennial Code Adoption Cycle.

MEETING DETAILS

To reduce audio feedback or other technical issues, please join the meeting through one device only.

Join on your computer or mobile app

[Launch Meeting - Zoom](#)

Registration may be required when participating in this focus group. Please have your contact information ready and follow the steps outlined online.

Or call in (audio only)

Phone Number: +1 (669) 900-9128

Conference ID: 861 5147 8369

For each agenda “Item” number above in topic number 4, the facilitator will take comments from online participants followed by phone participants. If you wish to make a comment on a specific agenda item, please wait for the facilitator to ask for public comments from the online participants and then from phone participants. When called upon, please unmute your phone/device. When you are done speaking, please mute your phone/device.

The timekeeper will be monitoring the length of discussion to ensure that all participants stay within the three-minute time limit in order to ensure that every participant will have an opportunity to comment.

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- Free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with HCD, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters and real-time captioning.
 - Written information in other formats such as Braille, large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, and other formats.
 - Free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters.
 - Information written in other languages.
- Requests for accommodations for individuals with disabilities should be made to HCD no later than five working days prior to the day of the meeting. Requests can be made by email with “Reasonable Accommodation Request” in the subject line to the State Housing Law Program at Title24@hcd.ca.gov. Requests may also be made by telephone at 1-800-952-8356, choose 5, then 2.

MEETING INSTRUCTIONS

- HCD meetings operate under the requirements of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act (Act) set forth in [Government Code, sections 11120–11132](#).
- HCD conducts public meetings to ensure adequate opportunity for public participation and to perform a technical review of code changes pursuant to [Health and Safety Code, section 18929.1](#). Materials reviewed during meetings may be available for public review and comment on the HCD website at [Current Developments and Proposed Building Standards](#).
- Meetings are subject to cancellation, and agenda items are subject to being taken out of order, removal, continuance, or referral. Technical difficulties with equipment experienced prior to or during the meeting preventing or inhibiting accessibility accommodation are not cause for not holding or for terminating the scheduled meeting.
- Questions and concerns about the meeting agenda, comments about the proposed changes, or to request a copy of the meeting materials, please contact the State Housing Law Program at Title24@hcd.ca.gov.