

STATE OF LOUISIANA

UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE

The **Louisiana Uniform Construction Code Commission** (LUCCC) was established in 2005.

LUCCC reviews the following construction codes and adopts amendments to the codes as needed for the state of Louisiana:

International Code Council Codes (ICC Codes)	Current Code Book Edition
International Building Code (IBC)	2021
International Existing Building Code (IEBC)	2021
International Residential Code (IRC)	2021
International Mechanical Code (IMC)	2021
International Fuel Gas Code (IFGC)	2021
International Energy Conservation Code (IECC)	2021
International Plumbing Code (IPC)	2021
Electrical Code:	Current Code Book Edition
National Electrical Code (NEC)	2020
*You will need to create an account with NFPA to gain free access to the 2020 edition of the NEC code book.	

Next Code Review Cycle (ICC code editions will become effective January 1, 2027.)

- A. 2023 edition of NEC
- B. 2024 editions for ICC Codes

LUCCC construction code history:

Code Book Edition (Year)	Construction Code Name (Abbreviation)	Code Effective Date (in Louisiana)
2005	NEC	January 1, 2007
2006	ICC Codes (except IPC)	January 1, 2007
2006	Louisiana State Plumbing Code	January 1, 2007
Special Notes: 1. ICC's plumbing code (IPC) was not effective until 01/01/2016. 2. Amendments to ICC 2006 codes were made in January 2008, May 2008, October 2008, and September 2009.		
2008	NEC	January 1, 2010
2009	ICC codes (except IPC)	January 1, 2011
2009	Louisiana State Plumbing Code	January 1, 2011
Special Notes: 1. ICC's plumbing code (IPC) was not effective until 01/01/2016. 2. Amendments to ICC 2009 codes were made in February 2011, March 2011, July 2011, September 2011, October 2011, August 2012, and July 2013.		
2011	NEC	January 1, 2013
2012	ICC Codes (except IPC)	January 1, 2014
2012	Louisiana State Plumbing Code	January 1, 2014
2012	IPC	January 1, 2016
Special Notes: 1. On 01/01/2016, ICC's plumbing code (IPC) replaced the Louisiana State Plumbing Code. 2. Amendments to ICC 2012 codes were made in December 2014, November 2015, December 2015, and October 2016.		
2014	NEC	February 1, 2018
2015	ICC Codes	February 1, 2018
Special Notes: Amendments to ICC 2015 codes were made in in July 2019 and January 2021.		
2020	NEC	January 1, 2023
2021	ICC Codes	January 1, 2023
2021	IECC	July 1, 2023
Special Notes: 1. On 07/01/2023, the International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) became effective. 2. Amendments to ICC 2021 codes were made in June 2023, November 2023, and March 2024.		