

INTER-BUREAU CODE CHANGE PROJECT LIST

Last Updated January 16, 2014

Lead Bureau	Title/Code Guide/ Program Guide/ Admin Rule	Project Name	Step (1-5)	Project Lead	Reviewers	Next Steps & Key Dates	Online Document/Draft
BDS	Code Guide	Loose Fill Insulation in Sloped Ceilings	4	Nancy Thorington	Terry Whitehill	To be rescinded because Building Code now covers topic; circulated for internal BDS review	
BDS	Admini Rule	Special Inspection Program Admin Rules	2	Fred Deis, Nancy Thorington	Various	Rescinded prior version; added temporary rules to BDS website; Fred Deis is reviewing and updating to reflect current practices, then to be circulated for internal review and public comment	http://www.portlandonline.com/bds/index.cfm?c=42385&a=117657
BDS	Code Guide	Building Projections Into Private Streets	3	Nancy Thorington	Various; Marguerite Feuersanger, Kimberly Tallant	Drafted update of internal IBC, IRC, OSSC and Residential Specialty Code references; circulated for internal BDS review	
BDS	Code Guide	Exterior Wall and Opening Protection at Private Streets	3	Nancy Thorington	Various	Drafted update of internal IBC and OSSC references; circulated for internal BDS review	
BDS	Code Guide	Equipment and Furniture Allowances in Fire-Rated Corridors	4	Nancy Thorington	Various	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	

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BDS	Code Guide	Marquees and Fabric Awnings- Structural Loads and Drainage	4	Nancy Thorington	Various	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Standby Power and Secondary Water Supplies in High Rise Buildings	3	Nancy Thorington	Gary Boyles	Need to determine whether Code Guide should be rescinded; to Fire Marshal's Office for review and comment	
BDS	Code Guide	Elevated Private Driveways and Parking Decks - Structural Design Loads	3	Nancy Thorington	Amit Kumar	Drafted update of internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Greenhouse Structural Design Requirements	3	Nancy Thorington	Amit Kumar	Drafted update of internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Rooftop Equipment Ahcnorage Using Friction to Resist Lateral Loads	3	Nancy Thorington	Amit Kumar	Drafted update of internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Adhesive Anchors in Existing Unreinforced Masonry Buildings	3	Nancy Thorington	Amit Kumar	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; circulated for internal review	

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BDS	Code Guide	Access Control systems Where Egress Is Restricted	3	Nancy Thorington	Gary Boyles	Rescind and re-write section on access control systems in egress path to reflect current Building Code provisions	
BDS	Code Guide	Grouted Masonry Construction - Cleanouts	3	Nancy Thorington	Various	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; to be circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Accessibility Upgrade Requirements in Existing Buildings (25% Rule)	2	Nancy Thorington	Various	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; substantial language modifications; to be circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Existing Plaster Ceilings in Older Multi-story Buildings	3	Nancy Thorington	Terry Whitehill	Drafted updates to replace references to UBC with IBC; update internal OSSC references; minor language modifications; to be circulated for internal review	
BDS	Code Guide	Minimum Width Allowances for Private Plumbing and Sewer Easements	3	Nancy Thorington	Hank McDonald	Drafted update of internal UPC references and dates; minor language modifications; to be circulated for internal review	

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BDS	Code Guide	Bath Fans and Range Hoods in Residential Structures	1	Nancy Thorington	Various	Needs to be drafted	
BDS	Code Guide	Fire and Life Safety Evaluation of Existing Buildings for Consistency with the current Version of the Building Code	3	Nancy Thorington	Terry Whitehill/ Gary Boyles/ Hank McDonald/ Catherine Heeb	Drafted new Code Guide to provide guidance on evaluating existing buildings for fire and life safety under current version of the Building Code; needs to be circulated for review and comment	
BDS	Code Guide	Fats, Oils and Grease (FOG) Program Review and Permitting Process	1	Nancy Thorington	Hank McDonald/ Terry Whitehill/ BES	Draft Code Guide to address the permitting process for projects with FOG devices	
BDS	Titles 24, 25 & 26	Amend Appeals Boards language; Housekeeping	1	Nancy Thorington	Terry Whitehill, Hank McDonald	Internal review	
BDS	Chapter 3.30	Administrative Rule Adoption Procedures	4	Nancy Thorington	Terry Whitehill, City Attorney	Ordinance outlining procedures for adopting administrative rules drafted and reviewed by City Attorney; needs to be presented to City Council for review and adoption	
BDS	Title 28	Floating Structures Code Amendments	3	Nancy Thorington	Hank McDonald	Drafted ordinance making minor housekeeping amendments to Title 28; to be reviewed by stakeholders	

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BDS	Title 32	Sign Code Amendments	3	Nancy Thorington	Mike Liefeld, Kareen Perkins; City Attorney	Drafted priority of proposed amendments to Sign Code to address inconsistencies and ambiguities; submitted for internal review; meeting with City Attorney regarding proposed amendments	
BDS	Title 29	QRHWG Health Code Changes & Housekeeping	4	Ed Marihart	NITSAC, Mike Liefeld	NITSAC final review & approval on May 10, 2012. Will draft proposed code change ordinance for internal BDS & City Review	
BPS	Title 33 & possibly others	Citywide Tree Policy Project		Roberta Jortner, Morgan Tracy	Kim Freeman	Adopted 4/13/11; Partially effective 7/1/11; Remainder effective <u>01/01/15</u>	http://www.portlandonline.com/planning/index.cfm?c=46921
BDS / Parks	Title 11 & 33	Tree Code Housekeeping Amendments		Kim Freeman, Mieke Keenan	Roberta Jortner, Morgan Tracy, Parks-Urban Forester	Adopted 9/2012. Effective 1/1/15	

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BPS	Title 33	West Hayden Island	2	Eric Engstrom/ Rachael Hoy	Rachel Whiteside	PSC's recommendations to City Council support the City annexing West Hayden Island. Joint PSC/City Council work session was held on October 10. No City Council hearing is scheduled at this time. The Port has withdrawn their West Hayden Island Annexation Proposal. Work has been halted, and there will not be council action.	http://www.portlandonline.com/bps/index.cfm?c=49815

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BPS	Policy direction for Title 33/Title 17/Others	Comprehensive Plan Update		Eric Engstrom/ Sandra Wood		Working Draft—Part 1, published last January, contains draft goals and policies. Working Draft—Part 2 was published in October and includes an interactive series of maps showing the geography and location of various policy proposals, and the Citywide Systems Plan (20-year infrastructure plan). During fall/winter 2013 there will be opportunities for the public to comment on Part 2. The Proposed Draft to the PSC is scheduled to be published Spring 2014.	http://www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/57352
BPS	Title 33	Smith/Bybee NRMP	2	Barry Manning	Stacy Castleberry	CNRP approved in 2013; waiting for final submittal of additional documents to be effective. NRMP code revisions to be deleted by Dec 2013 if CNRP becomes effective.	

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BPS	Title 33	CC2035—West Quadrant Plan		Karl Lisle		The project is in the concept development phase. Early draft concept maps were shared at a public open house in October 2013. The schedule calls for spending the rest of the year refining a series of concept maps for the entire West Quadrant. Early in 2014, staff and the Stakeholder Advisory Committee will begin working on draft plan documents for each of the individual districts within the quadrant.	www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/cc2035/westquad
BPS	Title 33	CC2035—SE Quadrant Plan		Stephanie Beckman		Updates the Central Eastside district of the Central City, resulting in new policies, urban design concepts and potential zoning updates and other implementation strategies-- focusing on the new OMSI and Clinton station areas of the Portland-Milwauke light rail light line. The public process kicks off with the first Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting on Nov 20, 2013 and is expected to take about a year to develop the plan, with adoption early in 2015.	www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/cc2035/sequadrant

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BPS	Title 33	RICAP 6		Morgan Tracy		The RICAP 6 workplan was approved by the PSC August 2013 and includes 42 issues from the Regulatory Improvement Request Database. Roughly half of these items are technical corrections or clarifications and half are minor policy. Minor policy issues include, but are not limited to, short term rentals, radio frequency (wireless) sites, and temporary uses. A public discussion draft was published Jan. 6th and comment period ends Feb. 21st. PSC hearing scheduled for this spring with council adoption anticipated this summer.	www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/ricap
BES	Charge Admin Rules	SDC and Line and Branch Work	4			To start in Spring 2013	
BES	17.32 Rewrite	Clean up, reorganization,	2	Sue Williams		Rules revisions and code clean up. Establish processes for encroachments into easements and drainageways, private storm facility review etc. Likely to public in 2014	

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BES	Appeals Process	Consistency update	1	Alice Brawley Chesworth		Review of various appeals processes BES manages. Some minor changes likely across many rule sets and code sections. To public summer 2014.	
BES	SWMM	Clean up and update	5	Dawn Uchiyama / Amber Clayton		Adopted 1/2/14	ADOPTED 1/2/14 www.portlandoregon.gov/bes/SWMM .
BES	2013 Clean Up	Minor clean up updates to BES code and rules	5	Dawn Hottenroth			COMPLETE Effective 2/1/14