

CODE BOOK FACT SHEET

2020 MINNESOTA BUILDING CODE

Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry

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- Regulates the design, construction, addition, alteration, repair, use and location of all buildings and structures other than those regulated by the 2020 Minnesota Residential Code.
- Contains detailed provisions governing building construction. These include requirements for structural, means of egress, sanitation, life-safety, fire-safety, and moisture protection.
- Located in Minnesota Rules Chapter 1305. This rule chapter adopts by reference Chapters 2 through 33 and 35 of the 2018 International Building Code (IBC) and includes amendments to the IBC.

EFFECTIVE DATE

- Minnesota Building Code is effective March 31, 2020.

CODE BOOK

The 2020 Minnesota Building Code is a custom code book published for Minnesota by the International Code Council (ICC). It includes Minnesota's amendments into the body of changed sections and reads as a unified code book. It also includes Minnesota chapters about administration, radon and elevators. There is no longer a need to separately purchase the ICC model code and Minnesota amendments and refer to them both. Now they are contained in a single reformatted Minnesota-specific code book.

Code books are available for purchase and free, online viewing is available.

TO VIEW CODES ONLINE FREE

- Visit www.dli.mn.gov/business/codes-and-laws to view the code.

TO PURCHASE CODE BOOKS

- International Code Council
<https://shop.iccsafe.org/state-and-local-codes/minnesota.html>
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