

ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENT FORM FOR PROPOSED CODE CHANGES

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Proposed Code Change - Language

Minnesota State Mechanical Code, section 404.3 occupied spaces accessory to public garages. Connecting offices, waiting rooms, ticket booths, elevator lobbies, and similar uses that are accessory to a public garage shall be maintained at a positive pressure and shall be provided with ventilation in accordance with the Ventilation Rate Procedure, Section 6.2 of ASHRAE 62.1-2004, or the Indoor Air Quality Procedure Section 6.3 of ASHRAE 62.1-2004.

Proposed Code Change – Need and Reason

Elevator lobbies that are adjacent to parking garages have always been included in the “similar uses”. This change is simply to clarify this.

Proposed Code Change – Cost/Benefit Analysis

There is no additional cost to this change. It is for clarification purposes only.

Other Factors to Consider Related to Proposed Code Change

1. Is this proposed code change meant to:

XX - change language contained in a published code book? If so, list section(s).
Section 404.3 Minnesota State Mechanical Code

change language contained in an existing amendment in Minnesota Rule? If so, list Rule part(s).

delete language contained in a published code book? If so, list section(s).

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XX neither; this language will be new language, not found in the code book or in Minnesota Rule.

2. Is this proposed code change required by a Minnesota Statute or new legislation? If so, please provide the citation to the Statute or legislation.

No

3. Will this proposed code change impact other sections of a published code book or of an amendment in Minnesota Rule? If so, please list the affected sections or rule parts.

No

4. Will this proposed code change impact other parts of the Minnesota State Building Code? If so, please list the affected parts of the Minnesota State Building Code.

No

5. Who are the parties affected or segments of industry affected by this proposed code change?

Mechanical Engineers, Plan Review Departments,

6. Can you think of other means or methods to achieve the purpose of the proposed code change? If so, please explain what they are and why your proposed change is the preferred method or means to achieve the desired result.

No

7. Are you aware of any federal requirement or regulation related to this proposed code change? If so, please list the regulation or requirement.

No