



**2016 CALIFORNIA GREEN BUILDING STANDARDS CODE
NONRESIDENTIAL MANDATORY MEASURES**

CALGreen® NEW 2016 CODE
EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2017

GREEN BUILDING

GENERAL
WASTE DIVERSION
PHASED PROJECTS

- ADDED THE REQUIREMENT FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS
- CLARIFIES THAT IT APPLIES TO INITIAL TENANT IMPROVEMENTS

DIV 5.1 PLANNING AND DESIGN

SITE DEVELOPMENT

- STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION BMP
- BICYCLE PARKING
- DESIGNATED PARKING
- ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING
- LIGHT POLLUTION REDUCTION
- GRADING AND PAVING

- NO CHANGE
- UPDATED TO CLARIFY THE NEW NUMBER OF TENANT OCCUPANTS AT 10 OR MORE
- UPDATED TO CLARIFY FOR "CLEAN AIR VEHICLES"
- INCREASED THE REQUIREMENTS
- UPDATES TO ADD MORE EXCEPTIONS
- NO CHANGE

DIV 5.3 WATER EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION

INDOOR WATER USE

- SEPARATE WATER SUBMETERS FOR SUBSYSTEMS
- URINALS
- METERING FAUCETS
- FOOD WASTE DISPOSERS
- REDUCTION IN INDOOR WATER USE
 - PRESCRIPTIVE STANDARDS WITH UPDATED TABLES
- WASTE WATER REDUCTION
- PLUMBING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS (STANDARDS)

- EDITORIAL CHANGE
- WALL MOUNTED URINALS 0.125 GPF (CHANGED VIA EMERGENCY)
- EDITORIAL CHANGE
- **NEW CODE SECTION ADDED FOR FOOD WASTE DISPOSERS**
- NO CHANGE
- NO CHANGE
- NO CHANGE

OUTDOOR WATER USE

- WATER BUDGET
- OUTDOOR POTABLE WATER USE
- IRRIGATION DESIGN

- AMENDED VIA MWEL0 EMERGENCY
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DIV 5.4 MATERIAL CONSERVATION AND RESOURCE EFFICIENCY

WATER RESISTANCE AND MOISTURE MANAGEMENT

- DESIGN FOR MOISTURE CONTROL
- ENTRIES AND OPENINGS

- NO CHANGE
- NO CHANGE

CONSTRUCTION WASTE REDUCTION, DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING

- CONSTRUCTION WASTE REDUCTION OF 65%
- WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN REQUIREMENTS
- WASTE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

- INCREASED FROM 50% TO 65%
- NO CHANGE
- NO CHANGE

BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

- UNIVERSAL WASTE → NEW "UNIVERSAL WASTE" CODE SECTION WAS ADDED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS
- RECYCLING BY OCCUPANTS → "ORGANIC WASTE" WAS ADDED WITH AN EXCEPTION FOR RURAL JURISDICTIONS
- BUILDING COMMISSIONING FOR NEW BUILDINGS 10,000 SQUARE FEET AND OVER → CLARIFIES THAT CALGREEN CX APPLIES TO "I" AND "L" OCCUPANCIES, WHICH ARE NOT UNDER OSHPD OR CEC AUTHORITY
- TESTING AND ADJUSTING FOR BUILDINGS LESS THAN 10,000 SQUARE FEET → NO CHANGE

DIV 5.5 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

**FIREPLACES
WOODSTOVES**

- UPDATED REFERENCE STANDARDS

POLLUTANT CONTROL

- TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION VENTILATION → NO CHANGE
- FINISH MATERIALS
 - CARPET SYSTEMS → NO CHANGE
 - COMPOSITE WOOD PRODUCTS → NO CHANGE
 - RESILIENT FLOORING SYSTEMS → NO CHANGE
- FILTER REQUIREMENTS FOR SMALL H.E. DUCTLESS UNITS → NO CHANGE

INDOOR AIR QUALITY

- OUTDOOR AIR DELIVERY → NO CHANGE
- CO₂ MONITORING → NO CHANGE

ENVIRONMENTAL COMFORT

- EXTERIOR NOISE TRANSMISSION FOR BOTH PRESCRIPTIVE AND PERFORMANCE METHODS → NO CHANGE

OUTDOOR AIR QUALITY

- SUPERMARKET REFRIGERANT LEAKAGE REDUCTION → NO CHANGE