LIVERMORE
CALIFORNIA

NEW BUILDING CODES IN EFFECT
JANUARY 1, 2014

If you are an architect, engineer, designer or contractor who performs work within the State of California, please be advised that the State of California has adopted new codes that **take effect on January 1, 2014.** The new codes are:

- 2013 California Building & Fire Codes
  (Based on the 2012 International Building & Fire Codes)
- 2013 California Plumbing & Mechanical Codes
  (Based on the 2012 Uniform Plumbing & Mechanical Codes)
- 2013 California Electrical Code
  (Based on the 2011 National Electrical Code)
- 2013 California Residential Code*
  (Based on the 2012 International Residential Code)
- 2013 California Green Building Standards Code
  (California Building Standards Commission)
- 2013 California Building Energy Efficiency Standards
  (California Energy Commission)

In accordance with State law, these codes are amended by the City of Livermore, as reflected in Livermore Municipal Code Title 15.

Please ensure that all applications for construction permits submitted after December 30, 2013 be designed and engineered to meet the provisions of these new codes.

Local and statewide training opportunities are available through the California Building Officials (CALBO), the International Code Council (ICC), and the California Building Standards Commission. For more information visit www.CALBO.org ; www.iccsafe.org ; www.bsc.ca.gov ; and www.energy.ca.gov .

You may also contact the Permit Center by calling (925) 960-4410 or email at permit_center@cityoflivermore.net

* The California Residential Code is used exclusively for the construction and maintenance of residential one and two-family buildings, townhouses not more than 3 stories in height, and structures accessory to these uses. All other building uses are regulated by the California Building Code