



Commerce City Amendments

to the

2006 International Code Council Electrical Administration Provisions

The city of Commerce City adopts the 2020 edition of the National Electrical Code (NFPA 70) including all standards referenced therein. No amendments have been made to the 2020 National Electrical Code.

The 2006 edition of the International Code Council Electrical Administrative Provisions (the "EAP") is amended in the following respects and adopted herein as amended (effective date December 4, 2019 and amended on August 2, 2021 and October 4, 2021).

(a) Section 101.1 is amended to read as follows:

These regulations shall be known as the Electrical Administrative Provisions of the city of Commerce City, hereinafter referred to as "this code."

(b) Section 301.1 is amended to read as follows:

The department of electrical inspection is hereby created and the official in charge thereof shall be known as the building official. The function of the department shall be to assist the building official in the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this code.

(c) 301.1.1, entitled "Building Official," is added to read as follows:

Whenever this code uses the term "code official" it shall mean the "building official."

(d) Section 302.7 is amended to read as follows:

The code official's right to enter and inspect property shall be exercised in accordance with Section 1-3001 of the city's municipal code, as that section currently exists and as it may be amended from time to time.

(e) Section 401.3 is amended to read as follows:

The following work shall be exempt from the requirement for a permit:

1. Electrical utilization equipment energized by means of a cord or cable having an attachment plug end to be connected to an approved receptacle when that cord or cable is permitted by the National Electric Code.
2. Repair or replacement of stationary electric utilization equipment of the same type and rating in the same location.
3. Reinstallation of attachment plug receptacles, but not the outlets therefore.
4. Repair or replacement of any over current device of the correct voltage, interrupting rating and ampere rating in the same location.
5. Repair or replacement of ballasts, transformers, or electronic power supplies of the same size and rating for signs, outline lighting systems, or field installed skeleton tubing.
6. Removal of electrical wiring or equipment.
7. Temporary wiring for experimental purposes in suitable experimental laboratories.

8. The installation, alteration, or repair of electrical wiring or equipment for the generation, transmission, distribution, or metering of electrical energy or in the operation of signals or the transmission of intelligence by a public or private utility in the exercise of its function as a serving utility.
9. Listed cord-and-plug connected temporary decorative lighting.
10. Electrical wiring, or equipment operating at less than 25 volts and not capable of supplying more than 50 watts of energy.
11. Minor repair work including the replacement of lamps or the connection of approved, portable electrical equipment to approved permanently installed receptacles."
12. The provisions of this code shall not apply to electrical equipment used for radio and television transmissions but do apply to equipment and wiring for a power supply and the installation of towers and antennas.
13. The provisions of this code shall not apply to the installation of any temporary system required for the testing or servicing of electrical equipment or apparatus.
14. Portable generators not exceeding 5 kW.
15. Electrical work exempted by CRS Title 12, Article 23, Section 111 as may be amended by the state of Colorado.
16. Electrical work or repairs deemed by the building official to be minor and ordinary and which does not adversely affect public health or general safety.

Exemption from the permit requirements of this code shall not be deemed to grant authorization for work to be done in violation of the provisions of this code or other laws or ordinances of this jurisdiction or laws of the state of Colorado.

(f) Section 404 is deleted in its entirety.

(g) Section 1003 is deleted in its entirety.

(h) Section 1004.1 is amended to read as follows:

1004.1 General. Upon notice from the code official that work is being done contrary to the provisions of this code or in a dangerous or unsafe manner, such work shall immediately cease. Such notices shall be in writing and shall be given to the owner of the property, the owner's agent, or the person doing the work. The notice shall state the conditions under which work is authorized to resume. Where an emergency exists, the code official shall not be required to give a written notice prior to stopping the work. Any person who shall continue any work after having been served with a stop-work order, except such work as that person is directed to perform to remove a violation or an unsafe condition, shall be guilty of a violation of this code.

(i) Section 1004.3 is deleted in its entirety