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IAPMO UPC, UMC Code Change Monographs Now Available

Ontario, California (March 31, 2025) — IAPMO® has made the 2025 *Uniform Plumbing Code (UPC®)* and *Uniform Mechanical Code (UMC®)* technical committee meeting monographs available for download. All individuals anticipating an active role in the ANSI-accredited consensus development of the *Uniform Codes* at the technical committee meetings in Los Angeles, May 6-9, can download these documents from the following URLs:

- **UPC:** https://codes.iapmo.org/docs/2027/UPC/2025_UPC_TC_Meeting_Monograph.pdf
- **UMC:** https://codes.iapmo.org/docs/2027/UMC/2025_UMC_TC_Meeting_Monograph.pdf

The monographs contain every public comment submitted for the 2027 editions of the *UPC* and *UMC* as part of the code development process employed by IAPMO.

Topic areas for public comments to the *UPC* include: reference standards for plumbing fixtures; temperature limitations of appliances and fixtures; drinking water treatment systems; water supply fixture branch pipe sizing; hangers and supports; material for building storm sewer pipe; fuel gas provisions; medical gas provisions; storm drains; flexible water connectors; material requirements for water supply and distribution systems; tankless water heater connections; pitless wells; water softeners and water treatment systems; backflow prevention devices; rehabilitation provisions for building sewer and sewer lateral piping; roof drainage provisions; recirculating pumps in healthcare facilities; septic tank construction; and Legionella and scalding risks.

Topic areas for public comments to the *UMC* include: Remote inspections for permitting; accessibility of appliances for service, repair, and replacement; protective barriers for appliances and energy storage systems installed in residential garages; suspended piping and tubing materials; exhaust ventilation for parking garages; balanced mechanical ventilation systems for dwelling units; location of outdoor air intakes; termination of exhaust ducts; makeup air provisions for clothes dryers; installation of laboratory exhaust systems and chemical fume hoods; explosion venting for product-conveying ducts; duct leakage test methods and inspections; materials used for duct systems; product listing and installation requirements for specific appliances based on fuel source; installation of air-source heat pump water heaters; requirements for refrigeration machinery rooms; sizing of dual purpose and instantaneous water heaters; automatic makeup fluid for hydronic systems; geothermal energy systems and district energy systems; installation requirements for hydrogen fuel gas piping; and installation requirements for mechanical systems in tiny houses.

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