



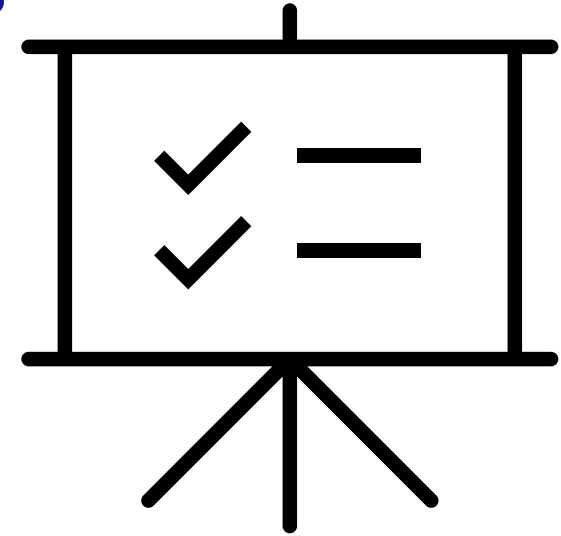
BOH Code Update: September 2023



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Today's Agenda

- BOH Code Adoption Schedule
- Summary of Noteworthy Code Changes
 - Title 1 (General Provisions)
 - Title 4 (Water)
 - Title 5 (Wastewater)
- Feedback/Questions



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Code Changes: Title 1 (General Provisions)

CHAPTERS	PROPOSED CHANGES	REASONS FOR PROPOSED CHANGES
Ch. 1.05 <i>General and Enforcement Provisions</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Previously titled <i>“Applicability and Definitions.”</i>	General <ul style="list-style-type: none">Renamed chapter.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">This new chapter name better describes the content/theme of the code language contained within.
	1.05.050 <i>Fee Schedules</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Removing this section and creating a new chapter for fees (see Ch.1.40 on next slide).	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Due to the amount of fee schedules that will be adopted, the fee schedules will now be easier to reference and locate if they are in their own chapter of the Code.

Code Changes: Title 1 (General Provisions)

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Ch. 1.30 <i>Official Newspaper of Record</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Identifying the Daily Herald as the official newspaper of record.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The Everett Herald (previous newspaper of record) is now called the Daily Herald.
Ch. 1.40 <i>Fees</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Created new chapter to accommodate all fee schedules and code language around fee administration.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Isolating each fee schedule into its own section of a chapter will make it easier to revise individually.More user friendly.Easier to cross reference this chapter and its sections in other parts of the Code.

Code Changes: Title 4 (Water)

CHAPTERS	PROPOSED CHANGES	REASONS FOR PROPOSED CHANGES
Ch. 4.15 <i>Water Recreation Facility Enforcement Procedures</i>	General <ul style="list-style-type: none">Removed a “code reviser’s note” that adopted a DOH guidance document by reference.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">It’s redundant to codify a guidance document that’s already referencing a WAC that we have codified.
	4.15.070 <i>Revocation of permit(s)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Cleaned up language regarding the revocation process.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Revocation of permits are determined by an administrative review and not a hearing.Clarified that the permit holder still has appeal rights identified in Title 1.

Code Changes: Title 5 (Wastewater)

CHAPTERS	PROPOSED CHANGES	REASONS FOR PROPOSED CHANGES
Ch. 5.40 <i>On-site Sewage Disposal System Installer Certification Program and Installation Requirements</i>	5.40.060 <i>Installer certification</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reorganized subsections for clarity.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To be clear on what can lead to certifications being suspended and revoked.• Cleaned up appeals language for suspensions/revocations.
Ch.5.50 <i>Septic Tank Pumper Program</i>	5.50.060 <i>Septic tank pumper certification</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reorganized subsections for clarity.	
Ch. 5.70 <i>On-site Sewage System Monitoring and Maintenance Specialist Certification Program</i>	5.70.090 <i>Monitoring and maintenance specialist certification</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reorganized subsections for clarity.	

Code Changes: Title 5 (Wastewater)

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Ch. 5.70 <i>On-site Sewage System Monitoring and Maintenance Specialist Certification Program</i>	5.70.100 <i>Implementation period</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Removed this section in its entirety.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The original purpose of this section was to outline a 12-month implementation period for when these regulations were first introduced (June 2012).This regulation has been in effect for longer than 12 months and can now be deleted.

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