



Chapter News —

Nominations Requested for the BSA-VT Board of Directors

The process has begun to accept nominations for the BSA-VT Board of Directors for the election at our 2nd Annual Meeting on June 23 at Lake Morey Resort. At the meeting, we will vote for a new Vice President, as current VP Ryan Borkowski moves into the role of President for the 2010-11 term.

The ICC Building Safety Association of Vermont is not a typical Chapter of ICC — the International Code Council. We are a Professional Chapter created to work with all building and design professionals in Vermont. Like our Board of Directors, our membership is made up not only of certified building officials and fire professionals, but architects, engineers, designers, material suppliers, builders, contractors, and more.

The Board of Directors consists of nine BSA-VT AND ICC members. Our bylaws call for a balance of three building officials, three design professionals, and three from industry (builders/suppliers). Please send nominations to [Ryan Borkowski](mailto:Ryan.Borkowski@buildsafevt.org).

MARCH MEETING—THURS. 3-11, 3-5pm, Berlin, VT

Are you concerned about how new policies and legislation will affect your business? As Vermont's Legislature discusses the use of ARRA funds, how will they respond to questions regarding the

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enforcement of codes tied to those funds? How will enforcement occur? Will funding be made available for State inspections? To communities? Is energy conservation really the only thing that matters in one- and two-family construction? How should VT respond to life and fire safety issues in those same buildings?

All who have an interest in the process of designing, evaluating, constructing, and inspecting buildings in Vermont are invited to join the discussion. Email your ideas, concerns, questions/issues to [Rob Pickett](mailto:Rob.Pickett@buildsafevt.org) prior to Mar. 8 so that he can add them as discussion topics. Come, share your ideas and views.

LOCATION: Division of Fire Safety
1311 U.S. Route 302 - Berlin Suite 600
Barre, VT 05641-2351

[Click here for directions.](#)

WWW.BuildSafeVT.org has been updated!

Bookmark our site on your web browser so that you can visit often. We are updating information monthly to help get information to our members and others who need it. Use the links for information, register for courses, or to join the Association.

If you would like to submit information about opportunities, events, opinions, or would like to participate, please send an email to [Rob Pickett](mailto:Rob.Pickett@buildsafevt.org).

Learn about the latest in codes: Register for the upcoming

Eastern States Building Official Federation School APRIL 11-14, Newport, Rhode Island

Use the following links for more information:

[PowerPoint presentation](#)

[Event Program](#)

[Registration form](#)

[Membership form](#)



Residential Inspection Institute [Based on 2009 I-Codes] APRIL 19-23, Burlington

ICC-Certified Code Professionals are coming to Burlington for **Residential Inspection Institute**. Learn how to perform effective and efficient residential building, mechanical, plumbing and electrical inspections in accordance with the 2009 IRC.

Sign in from 8am to 8:30am. Classes begin daily at 8:30 am, ending at 4:00 pm.

BSA-VT Members — submit the linked [RII Registration Form](#) to get a \$50 discount!

Visit www.iccsafe.org/RII-VT for more information.

Our Mission:

To advance the professionalism of and provide assistance to code officials, design professionals, builders, manufacturers and others involved in the construction process to help improve public health and safety throughout the State of Vermont.



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