



REDWOOD EMPIRE ASSOCIATION OF CODE OFFICIALS

Have you ever wanted to ask a question to Building Officials regarding a general building code issue but did not know when or where to ask?

Do you ever wonder how the Building Codes in California are created and adopted and how you can influence the process?

Do you ever want attend training on specific code issues such as exiting, accessibility, Green Building but don't know when, where or how?

Do you want to network with other professionals in the code enforcement community?

REACO is the place that can be of service to you.

The Redwood Empire Association of Code Officials (REACO) holds monthly business and educational meetings, and sponsors seminars related to the building codes.

The Chapter usually meets the first Tuesday of each month in Petaluma at the Cattlemen's Restaurant. These luncheon meetings begin at 12:00 noon and conclude at 1:30 PM. The cost is \$25.00 which includes lunch. The meetings are open to the public and new membership is encouraged. Yearly membership dues are \$60.00.

Occasionally we have Guest speakers that are associated with building codes and the construction industry. Past speakers have included prominent construction industry professionals, as well as representatives from the highest levels of state and national building codes.

Our Mission Statement

The mission of the **Redwood Empire Association of Code Officials (REACO)** is to **promote life safety** and the **protection of property** through the development, interpretation and application of building codes, standards and policies in a consistent manner throughout Sonoma, Marin, Lake and Mendocino Counties.

Who are we?

- Building Officials
- Engineers
- Architects
- Building Product Representatives
- Building Code Enforcement Consultants
- Liasons with AIA, Fire Prevention Officers Association, Structural Engineers Association of California, North Coast Builders Exchange, California Building Officials (CALBO), and other professional organizations
- Official Chapter of the International Code Council.

What we do?

- Provide Training on subjects such as California Building Codes, CalGreen, Accessibility, etc
- Provide a forum for code professionals and designers dealing with codes to discuss code issues and code development
- Provide code development representation at local, state and federal levels
- Provide a network of professionals seeking to create a consistent interpretation of the codes throughout the 4 counties.
- Provide special field trips to places such as the Bay Bridge Construction Site, Exploratorium Construction Site on Pier 15/17
- Provide support for community events or programs that promote building safety.

Would you like more information? Contact us at:

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Or send us a note by mail: **1007B West College Ave., Box 326**
Santa Rosa, CA 95401

Or leave your name and number and we will contact you:

Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Telephone: _____