

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2021
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB161

Hearing Date: Tuesday February 09, 2021
Committee On: Urban Affairs
Introducer: Urban Affairs
One Liner: Provide for the applicability of state and local construction codes

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:
Aye: 7 Senators Arch, Blood, Briese, Hansen, M., Hunt, Lowe, Wayne
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Oral Testimony:

Proponents: Trevor Fitzgerald	Representing: Urban Affairs Committee
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Opponents:	Representing:
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Neutral:	Representing:
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Submitted Written Testimony:

Proponents: Sara Kay	Representing: American Institute of Architects
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Opponents:	Representing:
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Neutral:	Representing:
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Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 161 would make several technical changes to the Building Construction Act, which governs state and local building codes, including:

- Eliminating redundant language regarding the state building code;
 - Correcting a reference to the Department of Environment & Energy; and
 - Clarifying that either the state building code or the local building or construction code adopted by a county, city, or village is the legally applicable building code regardless of whether the state, state agency, or applicable county, city, or village has provided for the administration or enforcement of such building code
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Justin Wayne, Chairperson