

Electrical Inspections Are A Vital Public Safety Function

Inspections Can Save Lives and Property. Inspections by qualified electrical inspectors reduce the potential for fire and shock hazards due to improperly selected, applied or installed electrical products. Ensuring that equipment covered by the National Electrical Code® is properly selected, applied, and installed reduces shock and electrocution accidents and reduces property damage resulting from unsafe electrical installations.

Inspections Mean Compliance with Laws. To protect public safety, most states and localities require electrical installations to comply with the National Electrical Code®. Electrical inspections help confirm that electrical wiring and systems are installed according to Code and manufacturer's instructions.

Inspections Check for Safe Products. Most states and localities require electrical products to be listed by a recognized product safety certification organization. Electrical inspectors help confirm that properly certified products meeting U.S. safety standards are installed.

Inspections Confirm that Qualified Installers are on the Job. Uniform adoption of the latest edition of the NEC provides for consistency of code requirements across jurisdictions thereby facilitating standardization of installer training, proper installation, and ease of use by inspectors in evaluating the safety of the installation.

No Public Funding. Government funding isn't needed to pay for proper and thorough electrical inspections. The cost of inspections is usually covered by fees paid directly by installers. This vital public safety function doesn't have to cost taxpayers or cash-strapped governments a dime!

Inspections Can Help Lower Insurance Premiums. Property insurance premiums are generally lower in areas with strong building codes enforced by professional inspectors. That's because qualified electrical inspectors help protect lives and property.

The Electrical Code Coalition: An Industry Coalition Supporting Qualified Electrical Inspectors



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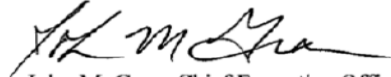
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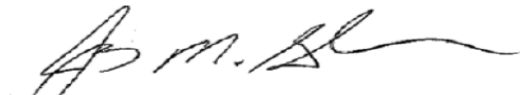
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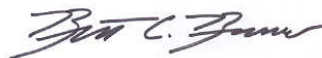
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