

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL ADOPTING THE  
"2025 CALIFORNIA GREEN BUILDING STANDARD CODE,"  
THEREBY REPEALING AND RE-ENACTING LODI MUNICIPAL  
CODE CHAPTER 15.18 IN ITS ENTIRETY

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LODI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Lodi Municipal Code Chapter 15.18 "California Green Building Standard Code," is hereby repealed and re-enacted in its entirety to read as follow:

Chapter 15.18

GREEN BUILDING CODE

15.18.010 Adoption

The provisions set forth in the "2025 California Green Building Standard Code" is hereby adopted as the Green Building Code of the City of Lodi, and a copy of the same is maintained by the City Building Official and available for review in the Community Development Department. The Green Building Code of the City of Lodi shall apply to the planning, design, operations, construction, use, and occupancy of every newly-constructed building or structure requiring a Building Permit in the City of Lodi.

Section 2. No Mandatory Duty of Care. This ordinance is not intended to and shall not be construed or given effect in a manner which imposes upon the City, or any officer or employee thereof, a mandatory duty of care towards persons or property within the City or outside of the City so as to provide a basis of civil liability for damages, except as otherwise imposed by law.

Section 3. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application. To this end, the provisions of this ordinance are severable. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this ordinance irrespective of the invalidity of any particular portion thereof.

Section 4. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed insofar as such conflict may exist.

Section 5. Effective Date and Publication. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption. In lieu of publication of the full text of the ordinance within fifteen (15) days after its passage, a summary of the ordinance may be published at least five (5) days prior to and fifteen (15) days after adoption by the City Council, and a certified copy shall be posted in the office of the City Clerk pursuant to Government Code section 36933(c)(1).

Approved this \_\_\_\_ day of January, 2026

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RAMON YEPEZ  
Mayor

Attest:

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OLIVIA NASHED  
City Clerk

State of California  
County of San Joaquin, ss.

I, Olivia Nashed, City Clerk of the City of Lodi, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi held December 17, 2025, and was thereafter passed, adopted, and ordered to print at a regular meeting of said Council held January 7, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS –

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS –

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS –

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS –

I further certify that Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ was approved and signed by the Mayor on the date of its passage and the same has been published pursuant to law.

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OLIVIA NASHED  
City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

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KATIE LUCCHESI  
City Attorney KL

Signature: Katie Lucchesi  
Katie Lucchesi (Dec 4, 2025 17:01:29 PST)

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