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## What's New

### Proposed Advancements in the NYC Construction Codes



The Model Code Team has been hard at work preparing the completion bill for the submission of the New York City Construction Codes to the City Council. Visit the updated Model Code webpage to review drafts of specific [chapters](#) that have gone through both the technical and legal review processes. You may also view the new [Model Code Report](#) (903 kb-pdf), "Proposing Advancements in Safety, Savings, and Innovation - The Evolution of New York City's Building Code."

### Queens Plumbing Extends Hours

The Queens Plumbing Division is now opening its counter five days a week to make it easier for you to do business with us. For regular customer service, visit us Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. View the [service notice](#) (28 kb-pdf) for more information.

### Q-Matic Improved for Simple Application Processing

We're improving our customer service and will no longer be requiring multiple Q-Matic tickets to process your applications. Effective March 5, 2007, you will be able to obtain one Q-Matic ticket to manage all of your Application Processing transactions. View the [service notice](#) (49 kb-pdf) for more information.

## Training & Workshops

### NYSA Professional Technical Forum



On February 22, 2007, the New York Society of Architects (NYSA) will host their 24th Professional Technical Forum and will discuss the Landmarks Preservation Commission's rules and procedures. Seating is limited and reservations are required. View the [NYSA flyer](#) (30 kb-pdf) for more information.

## Reminders

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### Upcoming Holiday



The Buildings Department will be closed for Presidents' Day on Monday, February 19, 2007. Visit us online for a complete listing of the Department's [holiday schedule](#).

### Upcoming Deadline



The [Local Law 11/98 Facade Inspection](#) deadline is Wednesday, February 21, 2007 and will not be extended. All LL 11/98 Facade Reports must be submitted to the Department of Buildings by the deadline. Don't wait until the last minute. File today!

## Did You Know?

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Did you know that once you submit a PA-1 application to apply for a Place of Assembly (PA) permit, you can print out an initial permit online via [BISWeb](#)? View the [service notice](#) (91 kb-pdf) to see how easy obtaining an initial PA permit can be.

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