



CATAWBA COUNTY

Current Enforceable Codes

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North Carolina is on a six-year code cycle, effective January 1, 2019 the following codes are mandatorily effective.

Code Editions: 2018 NC Building Code
 2018 NC Residential Code
 2018 NC Plumbing Code
 2018 NC Mechanical Code
 2018 NC Fuel Gas Code
 2020 NEC ([NC Amendments - 2020 NEC](#)) Effective November 1, 2021
 2018 NC Administration and Enforcement
 2018 NC Existing Building Code
 ICC A117.1-2009 (Accessibility Code)

Basic Wind Speed	See 2018 NCBC 1609.3 for wind design requirements
Ground Snow Load	See 2018 NCBC 1608 for snow load requirements
Frost line depth	12”
Thermal Zone	4a