



STANDARDS ACTIONS

PUBLIC REVIEW-CALL FOR COMMENTS

Constructive comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts, which can be accessed on ASHRAE's website at <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/public-review-drafts>. All activity for reviewing and commenting on public review drafts can be accomplished completely online.

45-day Public Review from
September 18, 2026 to November 2, 2026

- ♦ **First Public Review of ASHRAE Guideline 23-2016R, *Guideline for the Design and Application of Heating, Ventilation, and Air-Conditioning Equipment for Rail Passenger Vehicles***

The revision of this guideline addresses a need expressed within the rail passenger vehicle industry to adopt a more consistent approach to the design and application of heating, ventilating, and air-conditioning systems in rail passenger vehicles that can be used as a basis for future designs.



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INTERIM MEETINGS

The ASHRAE 2026-27 Society Calendar is now live and provides a central place to find upcoming committee meetings and other key ASHRAE events. Users can use the calendar to stay informed and quickly access meeting information in one convenient location. Access now at ashrae.org/calendar.

- ♦ **SSPC 72, *Method of Testing Open and Closed Commercial Refrigerators and Freezers***, SSPC 72 will hold a virtual meeting on Wednesday, September 23, 2026 from 2:00 PM-3:00 PM Eastern.

For additional information, please contact Stephen Schaefer, (STSchaef@hoshizaki.com).

- ♦ **SPC 229P, *Protocols for Evaluating Ruleset Implementation in Building Performance Modeling Software***, SPC 229P will have a meeting on Wednesday, October 14th, 2026 at 9:00 AM Pacific.

For additional information, please contact Supriya Goel, (sugoel@westmonroe.com).

- ♦ **SSPC 100, *Energy and Emissions Building Performance Standard for Existing Buildings***, SSPC 100 will hold a virtual meeting on Monday, October 19, 2026 from 3:00 PM-5:00 PM Eastern.

For additional information, please contact Wayne Stoppelmoor, (wayne.stoppelmoor@se.com).

- ♦ **SSPC147, *Reducing the Release of Halogenated Refrigerants from Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Equipment and Systems***, SSPC 147 will hold a virtual meeting on Tuesday, January 12, 2027 from 11:00 AM-12:00 PM Eastern.

For additional information, please contact Maralyn Graham, (mgraham@ashrae.org).

- ♦ **The SSPC34 Flammability Subcommittee** will hold an interim meeting on Wednesday, October 21, 2026 from 9:00 AM-12:00 PM Eastern.

For additional information, please contact Maralyn Graham, (mgraham@ashrae.org).



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STANDARD ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Each year the Society recognizes the outstanding efforts of a single volunteer in the area of standards development. The Standards Achievement Award recognizes excellence in volunteer service and serves to heighten general membership awareness of, and interest in, standards activities.

The award is open to ASHRAE members who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in the ASHRAE standards development process based on criteria presented in Appendix B of the Standards Committee Reference Manual, which can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.

Nominations are solicited during the first half of the Society year and then the Standards Committee will select the recipient at the ASHRAE Winter Meeting in Chicago, IL.

The Standards Achievement Award will be presented during the Honors and Awards portion of the Plenary Session at the ASHRAE Annual Meeting in New Orleans, LA. A certificate will be presented to the recipient by the ASHRAE President.

Please submit your nomination to the Group Manager of Standards and Codes Ryan Shanley by December 31, 2026. The nomination form can be found listed under the "Other Forms" heading on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.

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- ♦ SSPC62.1 – Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality
- ♦ SSPC62.2 – Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC90.1 – Energy Standard for Sites and Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC90.2 – High-Performance Energy Design of Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 90.4 – Energy Standard for Data Centers
- ♦ SSPC189.1 – Standard for the Design of High-Performance, Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ Code Interaction Subcommittee (CIS)