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October 13, 2015

Michael Griffith
Senior Planner
City of Darien
1702 Plainfield Road
Darien, Illinois 60561

**RE: IDPH Ordinance Submittal
City of Darien**

Dear Mr. Griffith:

The Illinois Department of Public Health (“IDPH”) has received and reviewed submittals provided on October 9, 2015, for the City of Darien’s adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code pursuant to Section 36 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law (the “Law”; 225 ILCS 320/36) and Section 750.800(b) of the Illinois Plumbers Licensing Code (the “Code”; 78 Il. Adm. Code 750). IDPH hereby approves the governmental unit ordinance, as stated in the provided ordinance, and as authorized by the Law and the Code.

If you have any further questions concerning the City of Darien’s adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code, please contact Darrah Dunlap, Public Health Policy Analyst, at 217-785-2065 or darrah.dunlap@illinois.gov.

Best Regards,

Justin DeWitt, P.E., LEED AP
Chief, General Engineering



Approval of Adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code

Pursuant to Section 36 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law (the “Law”; 225 ILCS 320/36) and Section 750.800(b) of the Illinois Plumbers Licensing Code (the “Code”; 68 Il. Adm. Code 750.800(b)), units of local government should seek Illinois Department of Public Health (“IDPH”) advisement and approval to administer a plumbing program. The review and approval of the following governmental unit ordinance applies solely to the authorized governmental unit for the City of Darien based upon the governmental unit’s adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code (77 Il. Adm. Code 890) in its current form.

Governmental Unit Ordinance

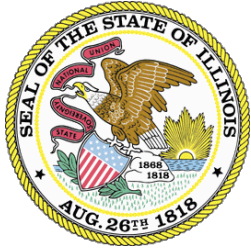
Effective Date of Approval

<p>Approval Number 1015-000-033</p> <p>Title 4, Section 4-1-7-1: Adoption of Plumbing Code</p> <p><i>“There is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as part of this section, the code entitled Illinois State Plumbing Code (77 Ill. Admin. Code part 890), three (3) copies of which are on file in the office of the city.”</i></p>	<p>10-9-15</p>
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The Illinois Department of Public Health hereby approves the governmental unit ordinance, as stated above, and as authorized by the Law and the Code. Pursuant to the Law and the Code, this IDPH Approval of Adoption is legally valid on the Effective Date, as referenced and identified above.

Justin DeWitt, Chief Engineer

*NOTE: As referenced by Section 42 of the Law, “the power to regulate the licensing of plumbers, to promulgate a minimum plumbing code of standards, and to regulate the registration of irrigation contractors and plumbing contractors shall... be exercised by the Illinois Department of Public Health, and may not be authorized by any unit of local government, including home rule units.” (225 ILCS 320/42)



APPROVAL OF PLUMBING ORDINANCE

Pursuant to Section 36 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law (the “Law”; 225 ILCS 320/36) and Section 750.800(b) of the Illinois Plumbers Licensing Code (the “Code”; 68 Il. Adm. Code 750.800(b)), the Illinois Department of Public Health is authorized to review and approve proposed ordinances of governmental units related to the design of plumbing materials, and the operation and maintenance of plumbing systems. The review and approval of the following governmental unit ordinance applies solely to the authorized governmental unit for the City of Darien based upon IDPH’s review and analysis of (i) the proposed ordinance, and (ii) the applicable information, facts and circumstances pertaining to this review presented by the governmental unit.

Governmental Unit Ordinance	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Ordinance Number 1015-630-0022 Closed water systems shall be required on all water using air conditioning systems in new construction or remodeling.	10-9-15	10-9-18

The Illinois Department of Public Health hereby approves the governmental unit ordinance, as stated above, and as authorized by the Law and the Code. Pursuant to the Law and the Code, this IDPH Approval of Plumbing Ordinance is legally valid on the Effective Date, as referenced and identified above, and becomes legally void on the Expiration Date, also referenced and identified above.

Justin DeWitt, Chief of General Engineering

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Governmental Unit Ordinance	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Ordinance Number 1015-630-0023 Metering or self-closing faucets shall be required on all lavatories for public use in new construction or remodeling.	10-9-15	10-9-18

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Governmental Unit Ordinance	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Ordinance Number 1015-630-0024 Water recycling systems shall be required in all new construction or remodeled car wash equipment installations.	10-9-15	10-9-18

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Governmental Unit Ordinance	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Ordinance Number 1015-630-0025 All new plumbing fixtures and irrigation controllers installed after the effective date of this ordinance shall bear the WaterSense label (as designated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency WaterSense Program), when such labeled fixtures are available.	10-9-15	10-9-18

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