September 16, 2015

Bruce Dubiel LA/CBO/CFM  
Building Commissioner  
City of Elmhurst  
209 N York St.  
Elmhurst, Illinois 60126

RE: IDPH Ordinance Submittal  
City of Elmhurst

Dear Mr. Dubiel:

The Illinois Department of Public Health (“IDPH”) has received and reviewed submittals provided on September 14, 2015, for the City of Elmhurst’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 Elmhurst’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
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 Ill. 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 Elmhurst based upon the governmental unit’s adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code (77 Ill. Adm. Code 890) in its current form.

**Approval of Adoption of the Illinois Plumbing Code**

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<td><em>The City of Elmhurst hereby adopts and shall enforce the Illinois Plumbing Code (77 Ill. Admin. Code 890) as required by the State of Illinois, Department of Public Health.</em></td>
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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.

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Pursuant to 17 Ill. Admin. Code 3730.307 (c) 4) and subject to the Illinois Plumbing Code (77 Ill. Admin. Code 890) and the Lawn Irrigation Contractor and Lawn Sprinkler System Registration Code (77 Ill. Admin. Code 892), be it hereby ordained that in the City of Elmhurst, all new and replacement 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.

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.

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Water service piping sizing. The water service pipe from the street main (including the tap) to the water distribution system for the building shall be at least one inch in diameter, Type K, copper.

(Amends Section 890.1200(a) of the ILPC)

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Section 890. Appendix A Approved Materials for Water Distribution Pipe. The approved materials are the following items: 1) Brass Pipe 3) Copper/Copper Alloy Pipe 4) Copper/Copper Alloy Tubing 6) Galvanized Steel Pipe 10) Stainless Steel Pipe 11) Welded Copper Water Tube 12) Solder

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Within the jurisdiction of the City of Elmhurst and in accordance with 68 Ill. Admin. Code 750.800, Section 890.1380 of the Illinois Plumbing Code 890 is supplemented by adding: “sizing of piping and appurtenances related to building storm drainage shall conform to nationally recognized standards as referenced in Chapter 7, “Storm Drainage” of the City of Elmhurst Municipal Code.

(Amends Section 890. 1380 of the ILPC)

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