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Reporting Year: 2008

19 NYCRR PART 1203  
 UNIFORM CODE: MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT  
**Annual Local Code Administration and Enforcement Report**

In accordance with 19 NYCRR PART 1203.4 Program Review and Reporting

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| <b>Jurisdiction</b> <u>Village of Potsdam</u>     | <b>Name of Code Official</b> <u>John F. Hill</u>           |
| <b>City/Town/Village or County</b> <u>Village</u> | <b>Title of Code Official</b> <u>CEO</u>                   |
| <b>Address</b> <u>2 Park Street</u>               | <b>Code Official DOS Certification #</b> <u>0799-7256B</u> |
| <b>Address</b> <u>Potsdam, NY</u>                 | <b>Hours worked per week:</b> <u>40</u>                    |
| <b>Zip/Postal Code</b> <u>13676</u>               | <b>Phone Number:</b> <u>315-265-7678</u>                   |
| <b>County:</b> <u>St. Lawrence</u>                | <b>E-mail Address:</b> <u>jhill@vi.potsdam.ny.us</u>       |

To list additional Code Enforcement Officials enforcing the Uniform Code and Energy Code within your jurisdiction please use page 6 of this form

CODE ENFORCEMENT

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| 1a. Does the jurisdiction utilize third-party contractors to meet the requirements of 19 NYCRR Part 1203?<br><input type="checkbox"/> No | 2a. Does the fire department perform fire safety inspections?<br><input type="checkbox"/> No             |
| 1b. If Yes, does the third-party meet the educational requirements per 19 NYCRR Part 1203?<br><input type="checkbox"/> No                | 2b. If No, who is responsible for fire safety inspections?<br><input type="text" value="Code Official"/> |

LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE, REGULATION

Please list the local law, ordinance or other appropriate regulation that provides for the administration and enforcement of the New York State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code and Energy Conservation Construction Code in this Jurisdiction:

PERMITS (Number of permits issued during this reporting year)

|  |  |
|--|--|
| 3. New One or Two family residences: <input type="text" value="0"/>      | 7. Additions, alterations or repairs on existing residential buildings: <input type="text" value="97"/>            |
| 4. New Commercial/Industrial buildings: <input type="text" value="2"/>   | 8. Additions, alterations or repairs on existing commercial buildings: <input type="text" value="21"/>             |
| 5. New Hazardous occupancies (H): <input type="text" value="0"/>         | 9. All other permits (pools, sheds, decks, and etc.): <input type="text" value="60"/>                              |
| 6. New Multiple Residences R occupancies: <input type="text" value="2"/> | 10. Number of Certificates of Occupancy or Compliance Issued for all occupancies: <input type="text" value="156"/> |

STOP WORK ORDERS

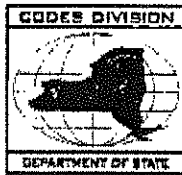
11. Number of Stop work orders issued this reporting year:

NOTIFICATION OF FIRE OR EXPLOSION

12. Have procedures been established for notification by the chief of your fire department(s) regarding fire or explosion involving any structural damage, fuel burning appliance, chimney or gas vent:

UNSAFE STRUCTURES AND EQUIPMENT

13. Have procedures been established for identifying and addressing unsafe structures and equipment:



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**19 NYCRR PART 1203.6 OPERATING PERMITS** (Number of operating permits issued during this reporting year)

14a. Manufacturing, storing or handling hazardous materials in quantities exceeding those listed in Tables 2703.1.1(1), 2703.1.1(2), 2703.1.1(3) or 2703.1.1(4), of the Fire Code of New York State (see 19 NYCRR Part 1225);

0

14d. buildings containing one or more areas of public assembly with an occupant load of 100 persons or more

39

14b. Hazardous processes and activities, including but not limited to, commercial and industrial operations which produce combustible dust as a by-products, fruit and crop ripening, and waste handling;

0

14e. Buildings whose use or occupancy classification may pose a substantial potential hazard to public safety, as determined by the government or agency charged with or accountable for administration and enforcement of the Uniform Code

0

14c. Use of pyrotechnic devices in assembly occupancies;

0

14f. Other: 0 Please Specify:

0

**19 NYCRR PART 1203.7 FIRE SAFETY AND PROPER MAINTENANCE INSPECTIONS**

**Area of Public Assembly** (with occupant load of 50 or more and not an accessory use)

15a. Number of occupancies in this jurisdiction:

39

15b. Number of occupancies inspected in this jurisdiction:

39

**Multiple Dwellings (not including dormitories):**

16a. Number of dwelling units in this jurisdiction :

125

16b. Number of dwelling units inspected in this jurisdiction:

1,215

**Commercial/Industrial buildings (not included above):**

17a. Number of occupancies in this jurisdiction:

198

17b. Number of occupancies inspected in this jurisdiction:

198

**19 NYCRR PART 1203.8 CODE COMPLIANCE**

18a. Has your municipality adopted more restrictive local standards (requirements) to the **Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code** (Uniform Code)?

Yes, Residential only     Yes, Commercial only     Yes, Commercial and Residential     No

18b. If Yes, has a petition been filed with the State Fire Prevention and Building Code Council per Executive Law Article 18 Section 379?

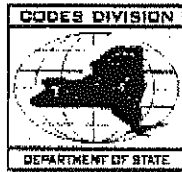
Yes     No     Unknown

19. Has your municipality adopted more restrictive local standards (requirements) to the **State Energy Conservation Construction Code** (Energy Code)?

Yes, Residential only     Yes, Commercial only     Yes, Commercial and Residential     No

20. Has your municipality adopted Green or Sustainable Building Standards for construction?

Yes, Residential only     Yes, Commercial only     Yes, Commercial and Residential     No



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**19 NYCRR PART 1203 CODE COMPLIANCE**

21. Please check any of the following procedures that your municipality uses to ensure compliance with the **Uniform Code** ? (check all that apply)

- Field Inspections       Plan Reviews       Software Report/Print-out       Compliance Check List
- Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

22. Please check any of the following procedures that your municipality uses to ensure compliance with the **Energy Code** ? (check all that apply)

- Field Inspections       Plan Reviews       Software Report/Print-out       Compliance Check List
- Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

23. On average, how many site inspections does your municipality conduct for **Uniform Code** compliance for each new residential building ?

- 0       1       2       3       4 or more

24. On average, how many site inspections does your municipality conduct for **Uniform Code** compliance for each new commercial building ?

- 0       1       2       3       4 or more

25. On average, how many site inspections does your municipality conduct for **Energy Code** compliance for each new residential building ?

- 0       1       2       3       4 or more

26. On average, how many site inspections does your municipality conduct for **Energy Code** compliance for each new commercial building ?

- 0       1       2       3       4 or more

**19 NYCRR PART 1203 ENERGY CODE**

27. Based on your municipalities records, what method of Energy Code compliance is submitted most often for Residential construction? (rank in order 1 to 6, 1 being the most used method)

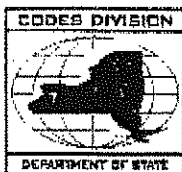
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| Software RESCheck     | <input type="text" value="2"/> | Trade-off Method          | <input type="text" value="3"/> | Prescriptive Method    | <input type="text" value="1"/> |
| Other Software Method | <input type="text" value="4"/> | Worksheets (DOS Web site) | <input type="text" value="5"/> | Energy Analysis Method | <input type="text" value="6"/> |

28. Based on your municipalities records, what method of Energy Code Compliance is submitted most often for Commercial construction? (rank in order 1 to 6, 1 being the most used method)

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|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Software COMCheck     | <input type="text" value="1"/> | Trade-off Method          | <input type="text" value="4"/> | Prescriptive Method    | <input type="text" value="6"/> |
| Other Software Method | <input type="text" value="2"/> | Worksheets (DOS Web site) | <input type="text" value="3"/> | Energy Analysis Method | <input type="text" value="5"/> |

29. Are requirements for compliance with the Energy Conservation Construction Code a part of the application for a building permit?

- Yes, Residential only       Yes, Commercial only       Yes, Commercial and Residential       No



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**UNIFORM CODE COMPLAINTS**

30a. Total number of all registered Uniform Code related complaints received for this reporting year:

6

30b. Total number of all registered Uniform Code related complaints acted upon for this reporting year:

6

**ENERGY CODE COMPLAINTS**

31a. Total number of all registered Energy Code related complaints received for this reporting year:

3

31b. Total number of all registered Energy Code related complaints acted upon for this reporting year:

3

**RECORD KEEPING**

32. Has a system of records of the features and activities specified in 19 NYCRR 1203.3(a) through (l) been established and maintained:

Yes

**SIGNATURE**

Name and Title of person completing this form: John F. Hill

E-mail Address: jhill@vi.potsdam.ny.us

Phone: 315-386-7678

Signature:

Date: Jan 2, 2009

A Signature is not required when submitting this form electronically

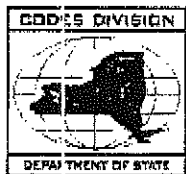
Title 19 NYCRR Part 1203, requires every city, village, town, and county, charged with administration and enforcement of the Uniform Code to annually submit a report of its activities to the Secretary of State. The information provided on this form is used to verify your municipality's compliance with the minimum standards for administration and enforcement of the Uniform Code contained in Part 1203. The information provided will also be used to develop education, outreach and support programs for municipalities and Code Enforcement Officials.

**PLEASE NOTE**

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## INSTRUCTIONS

These instructions follow the order of requested information on Annual Local Code Administration Form, and are intended to clarify the response required for a complete application. After reading the application and these instructions, should you still have questions please call: The Department of State, Division of Code Enforcement and Administration at (518)-474-4073.

## General Information:

1. The "Reporting Year" shall mean the calendar year (January through December) for which the reported data has been collected.
2. Enter the name of the Jurisdiction, including Address, Zip Code and County that the jurisdiction resides.
3. Provide the name, title and DOS Certification number of the primary Code Enforcement Official who enforces the code within the jurisdiction. If certification has not yet been completed by this individual please enter the expected completion date in lieu of certification number within the space.
4. Enter the e-mail address and office phone number of the primary code enforcement official.
5. On page 6; Enter the name, title, e-mail and DOS certification for each Code Enforcement Official who enforces the Uniform Code within your jurisdiction. Enter the number of hours per week each individual works for the jurisdiction. If certification has not yet been completed by any individual please enter the expected completion date in lieu of certification number within the space.
6. Use one form for each municipality, please do not include multiple municipalities per form.

**Code Enforcement:** (Items 1a through 2b) Answer questions 1a through 2b based on third-party inspectors and fire safety inspections.

**Local Law, Ordinance, Regulation.** Enter the name and number of the local law, ordinance and/or regulation that provides for the administration and enforcement of the New York State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code within this Jurisdiction. (example: Local Law #12 of 2006)

**Permits:** (Items 3 through 10) Enter the number of permits for each occupancy type listed for this reporting year. For permits not covered in questions 3 through 8 enter all other permits in question 9.

**Stop Work Order:** (Item 11) Enter the number of stop work orders issued for this reporting year. If none have been issued enter 0.

**Notification of Fire and Explosion and Unsafe Structures and Equipment:** (Item 12 and 13) Enter either 'Yes' or 'No' if procedures have been established.

**Operating Permits:** (Item 14a through 14f) Enter the number of Operating Permits issued for each of the items listed 14a through 14f. If your jurisdiction requires additional operating permits not listed in questions 14a through 14e, please list the total number of operating permits issued in item 14f (Other). Enter a brief description of each of the additional operating permit in the space provided.

**Fire Safety and Property Maintenance Inspections:** (Item 15 through 17) Enter the total number of occupancies in this jurisdiction for each occupancy type listed in Items 15a, 16a, and 17a. If the exact amount is unknown please enter an estimated amount. In items 15b, 16b and 17b: enter the total number of buildings inspected this reporting year, for each type of occupancy as described in 15a, 16a and 17a.

**Code Compliance:** (Items 18 through 26) Answer questions 18 through 26 based on your municipalities records in regards to the administration and enforcement of the Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code and the State Energy Conservation Construction Code.

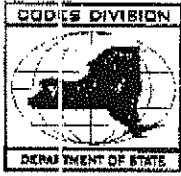
**Energy Code:** (Items 27 through 29) Answer questions 27 through 29 based on your municipalities records in regards to the administration and enforcement of the State Energy Conservation Construction Code.

**Complaints:** (Item 30 - 31) Enter the total number of Uniform and Energy Code related complaints received for this reporting year in Item 30a and 31a. If the exact amount is unknown please enter an estimated amount. In item 30b and 31b, enter the total number of Uniform and Energy Code related complaints, that were acted upon.

**Record Keeping:** (Item 32) Enter either 'Yes' or 'No' if a system of records of features has been established and maintained.

**Signature:** Enter the name, title, e-mail and phone number of the person completing the form. If the form is being submitted electronically (via e-mail) no signature is required.

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**List of additional Code Enforcement Officials Enforcing the Uniform Code within your Jurisdiction.**  
**Please do not include individuals whose duties are limited to Zoning and/or Planing functions.**

| Name            | Title         | E-mail Address              | DOS GEO Classification | Hours per Week |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Wayne Blanchard | Code Official | wblanchard@vi.potsdam.ny.us | 0592-7122B             | 15             |
| Timothy O'Brien | Code Official | to'brien@vi.potsdam.ny.us   | 1003-7715B             | 20             |
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