

Land Use and Building Permits in Corinna Township

Due to a recent decision by the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry, Wright County will no longer be administering the Minnesota State Building Code anywhere in Corinna Township. Wright County intends to appeal this decision.

Wright County is still responsible for administration of zoning and land use regulations in the shoreland areas of Corinna Township, and therefore all building projects in the shoreland area must still be submitted to the County for review. The County will charge a fee for these shoreland reviews, but will no longer be requiring building code permits in shoreland areas. Agricultural buildings and sewer permits are not regulated by the Minnesota State Building Code, and Wright County will continue to require permits for these projects in Shoreland Areas.

While the appeal is pending, Wright County Building Inspectors must avoid taking any action that may be interpreted as administering the Building Code in Corinna Township. County employees may not schedule any building code inspections, and County Building Inspectors may not review any building code plans or discuss any building projects with landowners or builders if the project is located in Corinna.

Any questions regarding Building Code Issues in Corinna Township should be directed to the Corinna Township Building Inspector:
Mr. Brian Vinkemeyer, at 763-684-0383,
or to the Township Clerk at (320) 274-8049.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

On October 13, 2009, the Department of Labor and Industry amended its order to allow Wright County to complete inspections on permits issued by the County prior to September 1, 2009. We are pleased to do so.