

# ADDENDA

**ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Addendum n to  
ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.2-2018**

# Energy Efficient Design of Low-Rise Residential Buildings

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## FOREWORD

*Addendum n incorporates requirements for electric vehicle supply equipment. Requirements are partially based on a 2021 report prepared by PNNL titled "Electric Vehicle Charging for Residential and Commercial Energy Codes."*

**Informative Note:** In this addendum, changes to the current standard are indicated in the text by underlining (for additions) and ~~strike through~~ (for deletions) unless the instructions specifically mention some other means of indicating the changes.

## Addendum n to Standard 90.2-2018

*Modify Section 3.1 as shown.*

**automobile parking space:** a space within a *building* or private or public parking lot, exclusive of driveways, ramps, columns, and office and work areas, for the parking of an automobile.

**electric vehicle (EV):** an automotive-type vehicle for on-road use, such as passenger automobiles, buses, trucks, vans, neighborhood electric vehicles, and electric motorcycles, primarily powered by an electric motor that draws current from a building electrical service, *electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE)*, a rechargeable storage battery, a fuel cell, a photovoltaic array, or other source of electric current. Off-road, self-propelled electric mobile equipment, such as industrial trucks, hoists, lifts, transports, golf carts, airline ground support equipment, tractors, and boats, are not considered electric vehicles.

**electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE):** equipment for plug-in power transfer, including the ungrounded, grounded, and equipment grounding conductors, and the *electric vehicle* connectors, attachment plugs, personal protection system and all other fittings, devices, power outlets, or apparatuses installed specifically for the purpose of transferring energy between the premises wiring and the *electric vehicle*.

**electric-vehicle-ready space (EV-ready space):** an *automobile parking space* provided with a branch circuit and either an outlet or enclosure for connection to *EVSE*.

*Add new Section 5.4 as shown.*

**5.4 Alteration Requirements.** When existing *dwelling units* that do not have an *EVSE* installed or an *EV-ready space*, or that do not meet the requirements of Table 7-4, undergo a *substantial energy alteration*, consideration shall be made as to whether installation of electrical conductors, conduit, and junction boxes are practical to support future *EVSE* installation. When a *substantial energy alteration* requires an increase to the building electrical service equipment, future *EV-ready space(s)* shall be included as part of the electrical load calculation for the new equipment.

*Add new Section 6.4 as shown.*

**6.4 Energy Rating Index with Electric Vehicles.** Energy utilized for *EV* charging shall be excluded from the *ERI* calculation.

*Modify Section 7 as shown.*

### **7.5.4.2 Parking Garages and Parking Lots Serving Multifamily Structures**

- a. *Parking garages* shall comply with ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1, Section 9.4.1.2 and Table 9.5.1, if using the Building Area Method, or Section 9.4.1.2 and Table ~~9.6.4~~9.5.2.1-1 if using the Space-by-Space Method.
- b. *Parking lots* shall comply with ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1, Sections 9.4.1.4 and 9.4.2.
- c. *Parking garages* and *parking lots* shall comply with Section 7.6.7.

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### **7.6.7 Plug-In Electric Vehicle Charging**

**7.6.7.1** Where parking is provided, *EVSE*-installed spaces shall be provided and future installation and use of *EVSE* shall be facilitated through the provision of *EV-ready spaces* provided in compliance with Sections 7.6.7.1 through 7.6.7.5 and Section 9.1.9. Where more than one parking facility is provided on a site,

**Table 7-4 EVSE Installed and EV-Ready Space Requirements for Multifamily Buildings**

<u>Number of Automobile Parking Spaces</u>	<u>Minimum Spaces with EVSE Installed<sup>a</sup></u>	<u>Minimum EV-Ready Spaces</u>
<u>1 to 9</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>=</u>
<u>10 to 24</u>	<u>50%</u>	<u>50%</u>
<u>25+</u>	<u>25%</u>	<u>75%</u>

a. *EVSE*-installed spaces that exceed the minimum requirements in the table shall be permitted to be counted as *EV-ready spaces* for table compliance.

*EV* parking spaces shall be calculated separately for each parking facility. The service panel or subpanel circuit directory shall identify the spaces reserved to support *EV* charging as *EV-ready*. The raceway location for *EV-ready spaces* shall be permanently and visibly marked as “EV-Ready.”

**Exception to 7.6.7.1:** This section does not apply to *automobile parking spaces* used exclusively for trucks or delivery vehicles.

**7.6.7.2 One- to Two-Family Dwellings and Townhouses.** For each *dwelling unit*, provide at least one *automobile parking space* with an *EVSE* installed. If there are fewer *automobile parking spaces* than *dwelling units*, all *automobile parking spaces*, if any, shall have an *EVSE* installed.

**7.6.7.3 Multifamily Dwellings (three or more units).** *EVSE*-installed and *EV-ready spaces* shall be provided in accordance with Table 7-4. Where the calculation of percent served results in a fractional parking space, it shall round up to the next whole number.

**7.6.7.4 Electric Vehicle Charging System Capacity.** The equipment load(s) on the electrical distribution equipment supplying the branch circuit(s) serving spaces with *EVSE* installed or *EV-ready spaces* shall be capable of supplying not less than 7.4 kVA full continuous load for each space. Where there are ten (10) or more spaces with *EVSE* installed and an *EV* energy management system is used to control the load to each parking space, the electrical distribution equipment supplying the branch circuit(s) shall be capable of supplying not less than 3.8 kVA full continuous load for each space simultaneously with all spaces drawing power and not less than 7.4 kVA full continuous load for each space when not greater than half of all spaces are drawing power.

**7.6.7.5 Electric Vehicle Charging Circuit Capacity.** Each branch circuit serving multiple *EVSE*-installed spaces, *EV-ready spaces*, or *EV-ready spaces* shall be capable of supplying a minimum capacity of 7.4 kVA continuous duty.

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Add new Section 9.1.9 as shown.

**9.1.9 Electric Vehicle Charging Verification.** Construction documents shall indicate the raceway termination point and proposed location of future *EV* spaces and *EV* chargers. Construction documents shall also provide information about the amperage of future *EVSE*, raceway methods, wiring schematics, and electrical load calculations to verify that the electrical panel service capacity and electrical system, including any on-site distribution transformers, have sufficient capacity to meet the requirements of Section 7.6.7.

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