

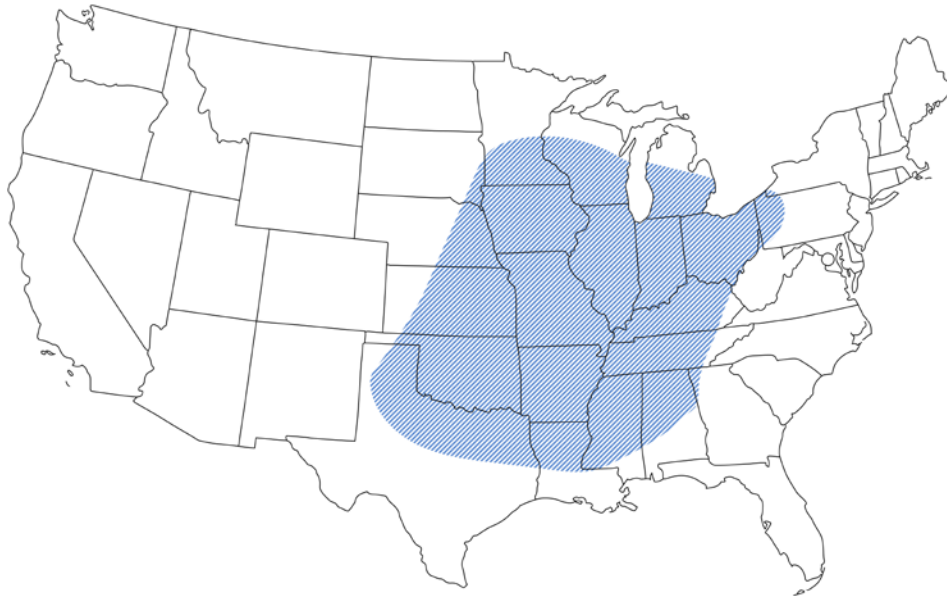
Establishing a Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)

February 12, 2018

New Requirement in the 2015 IBC

Group E (Educational) Occupancies with an occupant load of 50 or more shall have a tornado shelter designed for 250 mph winds and constructed in accordance with ICC 500.

Area of US Affected by This Change



ICC 500 Key Requirements

- Design for 250 mph windspeeds associated with an EF5 Tornado (the highest category on the EF scale)
- Debris impact testing for all components of the shelter envelope
- Minimum 5 sf/person of open floor space

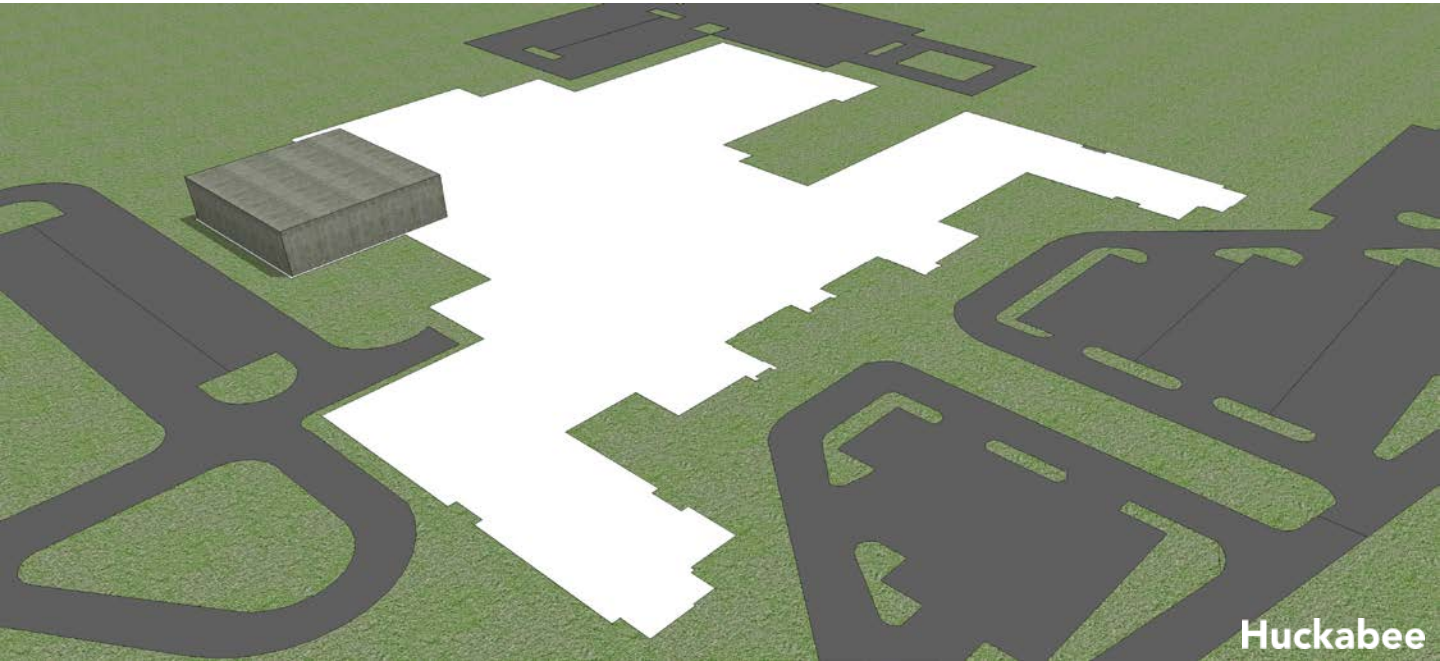
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Local Emergency Planning Committee

- + ICC 500 Defines an LEPC as:
 - “A group of citizens defined by the community as having responsibility for local emergency planning. The committee shall be recognized by the governing body as having this responsibility.”

Recommended Board Action

Northwest ISD Board take action to adopt a resolution authorizing the establishment of a Local Emergency Planning Committee.

The resolution has been attached to your board documents for your review and consideration.