

# The Essentials of Local Government Building Codes and Practices

This is an enrichment workshop for those completing the Diploma in Local Government (Environmental Health and Building Assessment) via distance. The workshop is also open to those not studying the Diploma, who would like to undertake the training necessary to perform the skills covered by the workshop. This course allows participants to sample the completion of two units from the Diploma, before deciding to embark on the full qualification.

Two units will be covered in this two day program:

**BCGSV5001A – Assess the construction of domestic scale buildings**  
**BCGSV5011A – Apply building codes and standards to residential buildings**  
*(in partial completion of Diploma in Environmental Health and Building Assessment 91337NSW)*

A unique opportunity for council staff to participate in a face to face session, this workshop will provide activities and interaction with other practitioners in the Environmental Health and Building Assessment area.

To be awarded a Statement of Attainment, participants must complete written and practical assessment tasks. Some of these tasks will be completed in the workshop. Participants will need to complete an assignment (including a basic inspection) after the workshop and submit it to LGTI for assessment.

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**DURATION:** 2 days, 9am – 4pm

**VENUE:** Local Government Training Institute, Thornton

**FACILITATOR:** Nick Greenhalgh  
Nick has over 30 years experience in the development and construction industry. Key areas of responsibility in a Local Government context have included managing planning, building surveying and environmental assessment processes within Council. Nick has private sector experience managing the Newcastle office the of City Plan Services Group here providing planning and building surveying consultancy services throughout NSW. Nick has an extensive court experience acting as a professional witness and preparing legal proceedings on behalf of Council in Local and Land Environment Court actions. With tertiary qualifications in Urban and Regional Planning, Grad Diploma in Applied Science (Building) as well as Diploma Environmental Health and Building Surveying Nick has a breath of experience across all facets of Development Control.

**PREREQUISITES:** This workshop has been designed for those working within the Environmental Health and Building Assessment area or related fields.

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Course enquiries may be directed to Training Administration on 49 222 333.

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