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## **International Code Council Welcomes Dr. Laurie E. Locascio as President and CEO of the American National Standards Institute**

*Locascio brings a wealth of experience and proven leadership to her new role*

Washington D.C. – The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) has appointed Laurie E. Locascio, Ph.D. as its next President and Chief Executive Officer. Locascio is currently serving as Under Secretary of Commerce for Standards and Technology and Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and was elected by the ANSI Board of Directors on October 7, 2024. She will assume this position in January 2025.

The International Code Council has worked closely with Locascio and NIST over the years to strengthen coordination between NIST’s applied research and the Code Council’s code and standards development. These efforts have ensured that the International Codes® (I-Codes) benefit from NIST’s expertise and have provided important direction for both organizations in addressing emerging challenges in the built environment. The 2024 I-Codes’ incorporation of first-ever tornado mitigation measures stems directly from our organization’s collaborative efforts.

Later this month, Locascio will address attendees of the Code Council’s [2024 Annual Conference, Expo, and Code Hearings](#). Locascio will highlight the successful relationship the Code Council and NIST have established.

“We want to extend our congratulations to Laurie on her new role as President and CEO of ANSI,” said Code Council Chief Executive Officer Dominic Sims, CBO. “Laurie has been a fantastic leader of NIST, and the Code Council is looking forward to significantly strengthening our relationship with ANSI.”

“I have the deepest respect for ANSI, its mission, and its people having worked with the organization throughout my career. I am thrilled to be entrusted with the leadership of this renowned institution with such incredible national and global impact,” said Locascio.

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**About the International Code Council**

The [International Code Council](#) is the leading global source of model codes and standards and building safety solutions. Code Council codes, standards and solutions are used to ensure safe, affordable and sustainable communities and buildings worldwide.