



How to Use our Website www.bsc.ca.gov

We have assembled current and proposed building standards, historical information, event schedules, code adoption process information, rosters, and educational documents on our website to serve and benefit the public. This document will explain how to access the features available on our website.

First, start with our homepage that provides basic information and links to various documents, menus, and links.

Move your cursor over these tab headings. Some have hidden menus that will appear.

Current Codes and Education & Outreach features may be accessed by these links. When you move your cursor over the links they will become underlined and available.

Featured Links provides access to the most commonly used features.

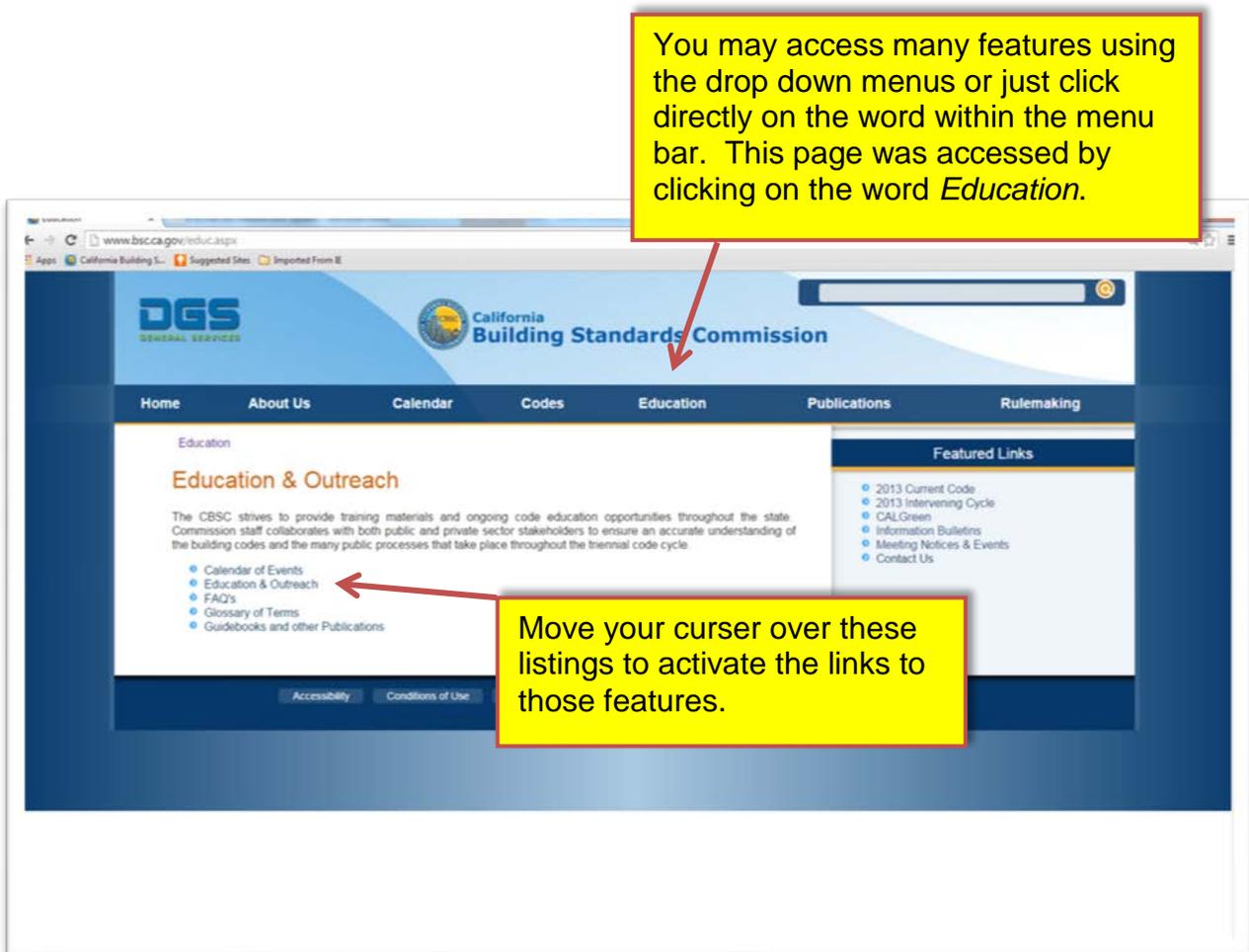
The screenshot shows the website homepage with a navigation bar containing: Home, About Us, Calendars, Codes, Education, Publications, and Rulemaking. The main content area includes a "THINK CONSERVE WATER" sign, a "CALGreen" logo, and a "Welcome to the California Building Standards Commission" section. On the right side, there are sections for "Current Code" (with a link to "Click here to access all parts of the 2013 current code"), "Education & Outreach" (with links for "Local Amendments Webinar", "2013 CALGreen Nonresidential Webinar", and "2013 CALGreen Commissioning Webinar"), and "Featured Links" (with a link to "2013 Current Code").

Here is how a drop down menu looks.

The screenshot shows the website's navigation bar with the following items: Home, About Us, Calendar, Codes, Education, Publications, and Rulemaking. The 'Calendar' item has a dropdown menu open, showing three main categories: BSC Meetings, Education and Outreach Events, and Other Meetings. A yellow callout box at the top right contains the text: "There are seven words within this menu bar at the top of each page." Two red arrows point from this box to the 'Calendar' and 'Codes' items in the menu bar. Another yellow callout box at the bottom right contains the text: "With the cursor moved over the word *Calendar* for example, this drop down menu is revealed. Move the cursor to one of the drop down menu links and click to reveal the feature. Shown below is the result of clicking on the *BSC Meetings*." A red arrow points from this box to the 'BSC Meetings' link in the dropdown menu.

The screenshot shows the 'BSC Meetings' page. The navigation bar now includes 'Calendars' instead of 'Calendar'. The main content area is titled 'Building Standards Commission Meetings' and contains a list of meeting dates from 2010 to 2016. A yellow callout box at the bottom right contains the text: "When clicked on, each of these links will expand with the various dates of BSC meetings within the year shown." A red arrow points from this box to the '2011 Commission Meetings' link in the list.

There is more than one way to access our information.



There are many features of our website not discussed in the explanations above. Here is a list of some features you may find useful.

- Guidebooks under the *Education* or *Publications* menu.
- Frequently Asked Questions, under the *Education* menu.
- Glossary of Terms under the *Education* menu.
- Current and past codes under the *Codes* menu.
- Guide to Filing Permit Surcharge Fees (Green Fees) under the *Education* menu and *Guidebooks* link.
- Accessing State Laws Online under the *Education* menu and *Guidebooks* link.
- Accessing State Regulations under the *Education* menu and *Guidebooks* link.

- Accessing State Legislation Online under the *Education* menu and *Guidebooks* link.
- Members of the Building Standards Commission, Coordinating Council, and Code Advisory Committees under the *About Us* menu.
- Information Bulletins under the Publications menu.

If you need additional information or assistance, please call our staff at (916) 263-0916. We appreciate your suggestions on how our website may be improved. Please use our *Feedback* feature available under the *Contact Us* link located on our homepage under the *Featured Links*.

Sign up to receive our notices of proposed buildings standards, information bulletins, newsletter and more at our homepage under the *Contact Us* link.