THE INSPECTION PROCESS: KEEPING YOU SAFE

Safe construction takes a team of building professionals in partnership with the government. Private sector and government agency inspections are critical to the process.

WHO PLAYS A ROLE?



INVESTORS (PS)

Invests money into a construction project



DEVELOPER (PS)

Fiduciary responsibility to investors



ARCHITECT/INTERIOR DESIGNER (PS)

Legal responsibility to design the overall building to code standards



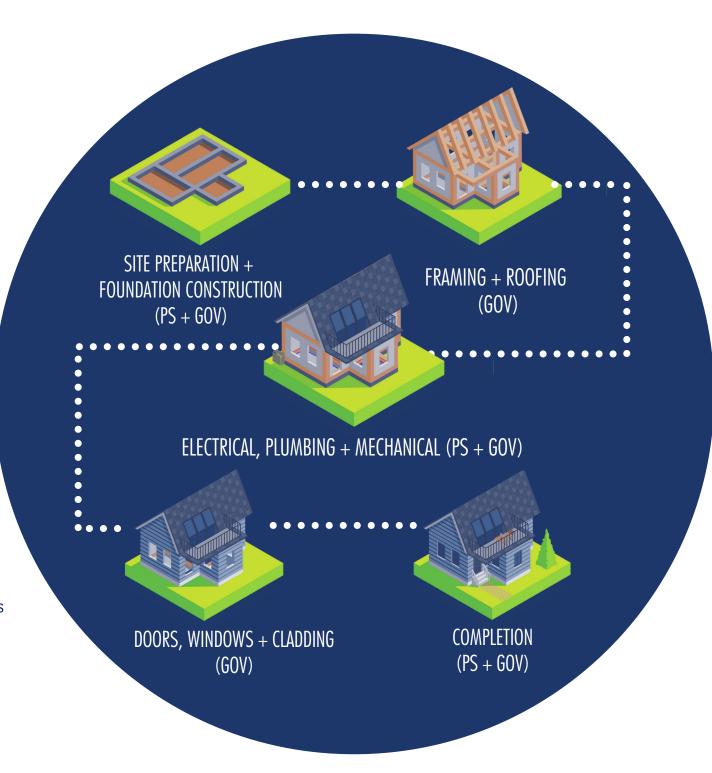
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER (PS)

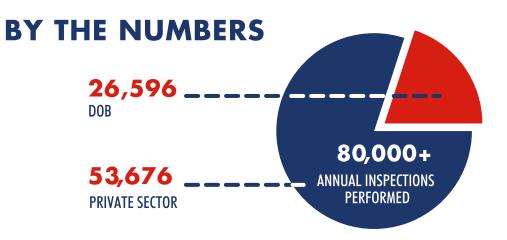
Legal responsibility to design structural elements within basic engineering principles and/or code minimums



GENERAL CONTRACTOR (PS)

Legal responsibility to build according to design plans and code minimum standards and obtain and pass required inspections





The private sector completes $\frac{2}{3}$ of total inspections, while DOB conducts $\frac{1}{3}$

WHAT TYPES OF INSPECTIONS?



SPECIAL INSPECTIONS (PS)

Private-sector specialists engage to verify critical building elements are built structurally to appropriate technical standards. Examples include:

- Concrete strength tests
- Foundation load tests
- High load diaphragms



REGULATORY INSPECTIONS (GOV)

Government regulatory inspections are conducted to confirm legal code compliance during construction and at project completion, and if applicable, enable the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. Examples include:

- Plumbing rough-in inspections
- Mechanical inspections
- Electrical rough-ins and final inspections
- Building final inspections