

# Young Adults: Building Safety Careers

## Home Owners: Earthquake Safety Retrofits

**May 10, 2017 6:00-8:00 p.m.** | City Hall Rotunda | 200 E. Santa Clara St., San José

**BUILDING  
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Learn about careers in building safety



Get tips on making your home earthquake ready

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Do buildings and construction interest you? Learn about unique and rewarding careers in the building safety industry.

Earthquake retrofits help protect your loved ones and your home.

For more details visit [www.sanjoseca.gov/building](http://www.sanjoseca.gov/building)

### Talk to City of San José Building Safety Professionals

- For young adults, high school or college students who are interested in buildings and construction, learn about the different careers in permitting, plan review, and inspection from our experts.
- Learn how you can prepare your home for an earthquake with retrofit designs.

### Learn about...

- What a Soft Story is and how Soft Story seismic are retrofits performed
- How to brace and bolt a crawl space to minimize earthquake damage
- What green tags, yellow tags, and red tags mean
- How to determine if your home is in a Geohazard Zone
- Planning an earthquake evacuation plan for you and your loved ones
- How to properly dispose of debris after an earthquake
- Preventing natural gas and electrical hazards during an earthquake

This event is brought to you by the Building Division of the Planning, Building, & Code Enforcement Department, with our partners in the Public Works Department, Fire Department, and Environmental Services Department.



### VALIDATED PARKING

Use entrance on 6th St. to park under the City Hall Tower. Bring your parking stub to the event for validation.

The garage closes at 8:30 p.m.