



**Community Development Department
 Building Safety Division
 840 West 11th Street
 Panama City, FL 32401
 850-248-8350**

**B01 - COMMERCIAL PLAN REVIEW
 (New Commercial Building)**

1. Complete set of Construction Documents (PDF)
2. Method of compliance with wind load & wind-borne debris.

	Wind Design		Wind-Borne Debris (WBD) Protection
<input type="checkbox"/>	ASCE 7-22	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not in WBD Zone
<input type="checkbox"/>	WFCM	<input type="checkbox"/>	Impact Resistant Shutters
<input type="checkbox"/>	ICC 600	<input type="checkbox"/>	Impact Resistant Glass
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Wood Panel Option-Group R-3 and R-4 only (Affidavit Required)

3. The Approved Plans and Development Order from Planning & Zoning if issued
4. Complete Building Permit Application
5. Signed Florida Energy Form
6. Private Septic Tank Permit
7. Public Utility Sewer Receipt
8. Private Well Permit or Public Utility Water Receipt

Applicant or Design Professional to Complete All Information Below

Note: This applies to the Total Building, not just the Work Area

No. of Stories _____ No. of units _____ Occupancy Classification _____	Type of Construction:	Occ. Load of the space _____
	IA IB IIA IIB IIIA IIIB IVA IVB VA VB	
Flood Zone: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Substantial Improvement: No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Is this a change of Use or Occupancy? (Complete Form B61) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Value of building: \$ _____
Total Sq Ft of Building _____ Sq Ft of Work Area _____	Change of Occupancy from: Group _____ to Group _____	Value of improvement: \$ _____
Fire Sprinkler <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Fire Alarm <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Cost of Accessibility Improvements: \$ _____	Addition _____ Repair _____



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Form B03

*Pursuant to Fla. Stat. §509.013, public lodging establishment means any unit, group of units, dwelling, building, or group of buildings within a single complex of buildings which is rented to guests more than three times in a calendar year for periods of less than 30 days or 1 calendar month, whichever is less, or which is advertised or held out to the public as a place regularly rented to guests. Included in this definition are vacation rentals.

A change of occupancy or use of a building may require the owner to make application to the Building Official and obtain the required permit for the new occupancy.

Application is hereby made to obtain a permit to do the work and installations as indicated. I certify that no work or installation has commenced prior to the issuance of a permit and that all work will be performed to meet the standards of all laws regulating construction in this jurisdiction. I understand that a separate permit must be secured for ELECTRICAL WORK, PLUMBING, SIGNS, WELLS, POOLS, FURNACES, BOILERS, HEATERS, TANKS, AIR CONDITIONERS, and etc.

NOTICE: Bay County Builders' Services Division does not have the authority to enforce deed restrictions or covenants on properties. You are advised to check for any restrictions that may affect your property.

For improvements to real property with a construction cost of \$5000 or more, a certified copy of the Notice of Commencement is required to be submitted to Builders' Services when application is made for a permit or the applicant may submit a copy of the Notice of Commencement along with an Affidavit attesting to its recording. A certified copy of the Notice of Commencement must be provided to Builders' Services and posted on the jobsite before the first inspection can be performed. FSS 713.135

The enforcing agency shall require each building permit for the demolition or renovation of an existing structure to contain an asbestos notification statement which indicates the owner's or operator's responsibility to comply with the provisions of Section 469.003, Florida Statutes, and to notify the Department of Environmental Protection of his or her intentions to remove asbestos, when applicable, in accordance with state and federal law.

IMPORTANT: The building permit is valid as long as there is construction progress and an approved inspection is recorded within each 180 days (6 months) period.

Owner/Agent/Contractor Affidavit

I certify that all statements, drawings, and other information submitted on and with this application are true and correct and that all work will be done in compliance with all applicable laws. I further certify that I have reviewed the applicable regulations associated with the proposed construction and intended use. I understand that the submittal of incorrect information or any changes which vary from the approved plans will result in the revocation of this permit.

Seal) Date

NOTICE: In addition to the requirements of this permit, there may be additional restrictions applicable to this property that may be found in the public records of this county, and there may be additional permits required from other government entities such as water management districts, state agencies, or federal agencies.

CONTRACTOR - PRINTED NAME

OWNER - PRINTED NAME

CONTRACTOR - SIGNATURE DATE

OWNER - SIGNATURE DATE



NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT

Permit No. _____ Tax Folio No. _____
State of Florida
County of Bay

To Whom It May Concern:
The undersigned hereby gives **Notice** that improvement will be made to certain real property, and in accordance with [Chapter 713](#), Florida Statutes, the following information is provided in this [Notice of Commencement](#).

Description of property (legal description of the property, and street address if available): _____

General description of improvement: _____

Owner Name: _____

Address: _____

Owner's interest in site of the improvement: _____

Fee Simple Titleholder Name: _____

Address: _____

Contractor Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Payment Bond Surety: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Amount of Bond: \$ _____

Lender Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Person within the State of Florida designated by Owner upon whom **Notices** or other documents may be served as provided by Section 713.13(1) (a) 7., Florida Statutes:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number: _____

In addition to himself or herself, Owner designates _____ of _____ to receive a copy of the Lienor's **Notice** as provided in Section 713.13(1) (b), Florida Statutes. Phone Number: _____

Expiration date of **Notice of Commencement** is one (1) year from date of recording unless a different date is specified _____

Signature of Owner

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20____, by _____ (name of person making statement).

Signature of Notary Public (State of Florida)

NOTARY SEAL

Personally, Known _____ or Produced Identification _____
Type of Identification Produced _____

WARNING TO OWNER: ANY PAYMENTS MADE BY THE OWNER AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THE NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT ARE CONSIDERED IMPROVER PAYMENTS UNDER CHAPTER 713, PART I, SECTION 713.13, FLORIDA STATUTES, AND CAN RESULT IN YOUR PAYING TWICE FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO YOUR PROPERTY. A NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT MUST BE RECORDED AND POSTED ON THE JOB SITE BEFORE THE FIRST INSPECTION. IF YOU INTEND TO OBTAIN FINANCING, CONSULT WITH YOUR LENDER OR AN ATTORNEY BEFORE COMMENCING WORK ON RECORDING YOUR NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT.



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Form B09

BAY COUNTY BUILDING SAFETY DIVISION

STATEMENT FOR WATER

Site Address: _____

Please initial the boxes below that are applicable

_____ **WELL** A working potable water well located on the site which will be used water supply to the structure. (no public utilities are available)

_____ **SEPTIC TANK** A new or existing septic system located on the site will be used. (Provide a current septic permit or existing system letter from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection before building permit can be issued)
[Click Here for Septic Permit Applications](#)

_____ **PUBLIC UTILITIES – WATER** Are available and will utilized for water to the structure. (Provide water receipt from serving utility company indicating available service and that all tap fees and impact fees have been paid)

_____ **PUBLIC UTILITIES – SEWER** Are available and will be utilized for sewer to the structure. (Provide sewer receipt from serving utility company indicating available services and that all tap fees have been paid)

Owner/Agent/Contractor Signature

Date



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Form B21

TEMPORARY POWER AFFIDAVIT

**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF BAY**

Permit Number: _____

Project Address: _____

I, the Contractor of Record, agree and accept all responsibility to have Temporary Power turned on at the above listed project address. At any time prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, I authorize the County to have power disconnected from the building or premises noted above.

I acknowledge that authorization for Temporary Power is for a period of 90 days from the date permanent power is applied and an extension of 90 days may be granted if requested.

I affirm that this building, nor any portion thereof, shall not be occupied without the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. Violation of this will result in cancellation of Temporary Power.

Contractor



WIND-BORNE DEBRIS PROTECTION
AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE

For the purpose of documenting the wind-borne debris protection method for the exterior glazing (windows) of the structure located at:

I (print name) _____ attest to the following:

- 1) The structure is classified as an R-3 or R-4 occupancy with mean roof height of 33 ft. or less.
2) The building is within one mile of the mean coastal high-water line.
3) I have applied for a Building Permit under an exception to the required "Protection of Openings" found in the Florida Building Code. (R301.2.1.2 and 1609.1.2)

NOTICE: This is only an option for Groups R-3 and R-4 occupancies.

- Exception: Wood structural panels with a thickness of not less than 7/16 inch (11 mm) and a span between lines of fasteners of 44 inches (1118 mm) shall be permitted for opening protection in buildings with a mean roof height of 33 feet or less in locations where Vuit is 180 mph or less. Panels shall be precut to overlap the wall such that they extend a minimum of 2 inches (50.8 mm) beyond the lines of fasteners and attached to the framing surrounding the opening containing the product with the glazed opening. Panels shall be predrilled as required for the attachment method and secured with corrosion-resistant attachment hardware permanently installed on the building.
a. Attachments shall be designed to resist the component and cladding loads determined in accordance with either Table R301.2(2) or ASCE 7, with the permanent corrosion-resistant attachment hardware provided and anchors permanently installed on the building.
b. As an alternative, panels shall be fastened at 16 inches (406.4 mm) o.c. along the edges of the opposing long sides of the panel.
I. For wood frame construction, fasteners shall be located on the wall such that they are embedded into the wall framing members, nominally a minimum of 1 inch (25.4 mm) from the edge of the opening and 2 inches (50.8 mm) inward from the panel edge. Permanently installed anchors used for buildings with wood frame wall construction shall have the threaded portion that will be embedded into the wall framing based on 1/4-inch (6.35 mm) lag-screws and shall be long enough to penetrate through the exterior wall covering with sufficient embedment length to provide an allowable minimum 300 pounds ASD design withdrawal capacity. For concrete or masonry wall construction, fasteners shall be located on the wall a minimum of 1.5 inches (37.9 mm) from the edge of the opening and 2 inches (50.8 mm) inward of the panel edge. Permanently installed anchors in concrete or masonry wall construction shall have an allowable minimum 300 pounds ASD design withdrawal capacity.
II. For concrete or masonry wall construction, fasteners shall be located on the wall a minimum of 1.5 inches (37.9 mm) from the edge of the opening and 2 inches (50.8 mm) inward of the panel edge. Permanently installed anchors in Concrete or masonry wall construction shall have an allowable minimum 300 pounds ASD design withdrawal capacity and an allowable minimum 525 pounds ASD design shear capacity with a 1.5 inch edge distance. Hex nuts, washered wing-nuts, or bolts used to attach the wood structural panels to the anchors shall be minimum 1/4-inch hardware and shall be installed with or have integral washers with a minimum 1-inch outside diameter.
III. Vibration-resistant alternative attachments designed to resist the component and cladding loads determined in accordance with provisions of Table R301.2(2) or ASCE 7 shall be permitted.

I understand and agree to all of the above,

Signature of Owner/Agent/Contractor

Date



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Form B37

Florida Product Approval Affidavit

In complying with Florida Law and Chapter 17 of the Florida Building Code, I _____ as the contractor/builder, attest the structure to be built or renovated at _____ will comply with the established standards for performance of products and materials set forth by the product approval guidelines as required by 553.842 [Florida Statute](#) and 61G20-3 [Florida Administrative Code](#).

Information and approval numbers of the building components will be available at the time of inspection of these products to the inspector on the jobsite: 1) copy of the product approval; 2) the performance characteristics which the product was tested and certified to comply with; and 3) copy of the applicable manufacturer's installation requirements. Further, I understand these products may have to be removed if approval cannot be demonstrated during inspection. **A copy of the completed Product Approval Specification Sheet will be returned to Bay County Builders Services before a Certificate of Occupancy will be issued.**

Contractor/Builder signature

Date



PRODUCT APPROVAL SPECIFICATION SHEET

As required by Florida Statute and the Florida Administrative Code, please provide the information and approval numbers on the building components listed below if they will be utilized on the construction project for which you are applying for a building permit. We recommend you contact your local product supplier should you not know the product approval number for any of the applicable listed products.

Category/Subcategory	Manufacturer	Product Description	Approval Number(s)
1. Exterior Doors			
A. Swinging			
B. Sliding			
C. Sectional			
D. Roll-up			
E. Automatic			
F. Other			
2. Windows			
A. Single Hung			
B. Horizontal Slider			
C. Casement			
D. Double Hung			
E. Fixed			
F. Awning			
G. Pass Through			
H. Projected			
I. Mullion			
J. Wind Breaker			
K. Dual Action			
L. Other			
3. Panel Walls			
A. Siding			
B. Soffits			
C. EIFS			
D. Storefronts			
E. Curtain Walls			
F. Wall Louver			
G. Glass Block			
H. Membrane			
I. Greenhouse			
J. Other			
4. Roofing Products			
A. Asphalt Shingles			
B. Underlayments			
C. Roofing Fasteners			
D. Non-Structural Metal Roofing			
E. Wood Shingles and Shakes			
F. Roofing Tiles			
G. Roofing Insulation			
H. Waterproofing			



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Form B38

I.	Built Up Roofing Roof Systems		
J.	Modified Bitumen		
K.	Single Ply Roof Systems		
Category/Subcategory		Manufacturer	Product Description
L.	Roofing Slate		
M.	Cements-Adhesives Coatings		
N.	Liquid Applied Roof Systems		
O.	Roof Tile Adhesive		
P.	Spray Applied Polyurethane Roof		
Q.	Other		
5. Shutters			
A.	Accordion		
B.	Bahama		
C.	Storm Panels		
D.	Colonial		
E.	Roll-up		
F.	Equipment		
G.	Other		
6. Skylights			
A.	Skylight		
B.	Other		
7. Structural Components			
A.	Wood Connectors/ Anchors		
B.	Truss Plates		
C.	Engineered Lumber		
D.	Railing		
E.	Coolers-Freezers		
F.	Concrete Admixtures		
G.	Material		
H.	Insulation Forms		
I.	Plastics		
J.	Deck Roof		
K.	Wall		
L.	Sheds		
M.	Other		
8. New Exterior Envelope Product			

The products manufacturer, description, and approval numbers can be obtained from the [DBPR Florida Building Commission website](http://www.floridabuilding.org) for product approval. Please include any decimal points. I understand that at the time of inspection of these products, the following information must be available to the inspector on the jobsite: 1) copy of the product approval; 2) the performance characteristics which the product was tested and certified to comply with; and 3) copy of the applicable manufacturer's installation requirements. Further, I understand these products may have to be removed if approval cannot be demonstrated during inspection.

Applicant Signature

Date