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Permit Requirements for Replacement Windows & Doors

All retrofit replacement window and door permits must have all items listed as part of the permit application.

- Completed permit application, notarized.
- Two copies of all Miami-Dade County Product Approvals or Florida Product Approvals for all components including:
 - a. Window
 - b. Door
 - c. Mullion
- All retrofit windows and doors must meet one of the following wind load requirements.
 - Two copies of a site-specific plan signed and sealed by a Florida Professional Engineer or Architect, indicating the location of all openings and the design pressures.
 - Two copies of a site-specific plan (not signed and sealed) indicating the location and two copies of a worst case design pressure chart signed and sealed by a Florida Professional Engineer or Architect.
 - Two copies of a site-specific plan (not signed and sealed) indicating the location of the openings and the design pressures based on 2020 FBC-R Table 301.2.(2) and Table 301.2.(3).

Note: 2020 FBC-R Table 301.2.(2) and Table 301.2.(3). have been adopted for retrofit of doors and windows and shutters only on buildings with a permit application prior to Sept. 1, 1994 and is limited to buildings with a mean roof height of 30 foot or less.

All retrofit doors and windows must meet the impact requirements of 2020 FBC-R 507.3. As follows:

- Windows and doors must be impact resistant, or
- A shutter permit with required product approval must accompany door and window permit, or
- Existing shutters must meet FBC or SFBC 1994 or later and be accompanied by an existing permit number.

Exception: Impact protection will not be required if less than 25% of the aggregate area of all glazed openings are being replaced in a 12 month period.



WINDOWS/DOORS WIND LOAD CALCULATIONS

Please fill in the information requested:

ADDRESS OF HOME_

HIGHEST POINT OF ROOF	
EAVE HEIGHT OF ROOF	
BUILDING WIDTH	
BUILDING LENGTH	

The site specific plan must show the distance of the openings from the nearest corner.

Wind Loads per FBC-R 301.2(2) & 301.2(3)

Mean Roof Height	Zone 4 & 5 (+)	Zone 4 (-)	Zone 5 (-)
1' – 15'	+42.7	- 46.2	- 57.2
15' – 20'	+45.6	- 49.3	- 60.8
20' - 25'	+ 47.7	- 51.6	- 63.7

*Zone 5 is any opening within the corner distance from any corner. *Corner distance is .4 x mean roof height or .10 x width, but not less than 3'