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DISTRICT OF WEST VANCOUVER **CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL MANUAL**

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Please note, this document may be periodically updated in order to ensure the most current information are in place. When referring to the CP Manual, be sure it is the most current version.



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1. Introduction

1.1 General

The Certified Professional Program is recognized as an alternative program to the building permit plan and field review processes in the District of West Vancouver. To become a Certified Professional (CP), Registered Architects and Professional Engineers must successfully complete the Certified Professional Course and pass its examinations as administered by Engineers and Geoscientists British Columbia and Architectural Institute of British Columbia.

1.2 **District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw**

In 2021, District of West Vancouver Council passed an amendment to the Building Bylaw to allow for an alternative plan and field review process using the Certified Professional Program.

CPs have an obligation to the District to monitor and ensure that projects are designed and built in accordance with the BC Building Code, District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw, District of West Vancouver Zoning Bylaw, related development permit, and other applicable enactments. In accordance with the District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw, a CP may be disqualified from practicing in the District for not meeting District requirements.

Certified Professional Program 1.3

The Certified Professional Program in West Vancouver will essentially follow the requirements outlined in the British Columbia Certified Professional Program Practice and Procedure Manual. Refer to the resources in the link below:

https://www.egbc.ca/Practice-Resources/Programs-Resources/Certified-Professional-Program



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District of West Vancouver Certified Professional Program 2. Requirements

2.1 General

In general, the Certified Professional Program in West Vancouver follows the procedures outlined in the British Columbia Certified Professional Program Practice and Procedure Manual. This section outlines specific requirements and provides necessary information for CPs to practice in West Vancouver.

2.2 **Application of the CP Program**

The CP Program is applicable to the design and construction of any new building that falls under the scope of Sentence 1.3.3.2.(1) of Division A of the building code or Temporary Building as defined in the District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw No. 4400 2004.

2.3 **Building Permit Application**

The CP must submit the building permit application and all supporting documents. The submission requirements are as outlined in the Certified Professional Program Building Permit Application Checklist in the Appendix.

Once the permit package is complete and ready for submission, the CP can schedule a meeting with the Permits and Inspections Department to go over the particulars of the project and the submission.

For additional requirements refer to the following web page:

https://westvancouver.ca/home-building-property/permits-licences/permitsinspections

2.4 **Civic Address**

Prior to making a building permit application, the CP should confirm with Permits & Inspections Department that the correct civic address of the project is used. If a new legal description is pending, it must be registered at the Land Title Office before a building permit will be issued. All Letters of Assurance and drawings are to be complete with the correct civic address noted thereon.

2.5 **Construction Value**

The CP must obtain a construction value from the owner or owner's representative to be declared at the time of building permit application. The District may verify the declared construction value with a third party valuation source prior to building permit issuance. The higher of the values will be used to determine the building permit fees (see also Section 2.7).



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From the District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw:

Construction Value means the greater of declared value of the work provided by the applicant or the value of the work calculated by the Manager of Permits and Inspections using accepted current costing guides such as the Altus Helyar Construction Cost Guide. In the event the applicant does not agree with the value determined by the Manager of Permits and Inspections, the applicant may, prior to payment of the fees and issuance of the Permit, retain a professional Quantity Surveyor registered in British Columbia to provide a written estimate of the value of the work, in which event "Construction Value" will mean the value of the work as estimated by the Quantity Surveyor.

2.6 **Development Permit**

The Development Permit must be approved in order to initiate the building permit application process through the CP Program.

2.7 **Building Permit Fees**

The building permit application fees are required to be paid at the time of application. The balance of the permit fees will be calculated and forwarded after the final review has been completed.

For an estimate of the permit fees, refer to the District of West Vancouver Fees and Charges Bylaw:

https://westvancouver.ca/government/bylaws-strategies-reports/bylaws/feesand-charges-bylaw

For CP projects, the building permit fee (based on the Construction Value table) is reduced by 5% to a maximum of \$10,000 per Building if a CP certifies Building Code compliance.

2.8 **Staged Building Permits**

The Building Inspector may issue a permit for a portion of a building, such as excavation and foundation to grade, before the documentation for the entire building has been accepted, provided sufficient information has been submitted to the District to demonstrate to the Building Inspector that the portion of the building accepted for construction substantially complies with the BC Building Code, District of West Vancouver Zoning Bylaw, District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw, related development permit, and other applicable enactments.



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2.9 **Tenant or Landlord Improvements**

If a building has not yet been granted final occupancy by the District, any tenant or landlord work and permits requires involvement of the CP. The CP must either take overall responsibility (CP-1) or review the improvement for compatibility with the base building (CP-3).

Prior to base building being granted occupancy, we require the Registered Professionals for the tenant or landlord improvement to be the same as the ones used for the base building. However, we will accept a sealed letter from the base building Certified Registered Professional stating that he/she has discussed the proposed improvements with the base building registered professionals and that it is acceptable for the work to be done by other consultants prior to the base building receiving occupancy.

2.10 **Departmental Reviews**

In addition to the Building Permit review, separate departmental reviews (e.g. Planning, Land Development, Plumbing, etc.) occur during the building permit review process. The CP is the main point of contact with the District and is required to ensure that consultants are providing the District departments with requested information and requirements.

2.11 **Energy Step Code Requirements**

The District has adopted the BC Energy Step Code District requirements. New buildings are required to meet the Step Code Provisions. Refer to the Building Bylaw and the following web page:

https://westvancouver.ca/home-building-property/permits-licences/buildingrenovation/building-permits/step

2.12 **Special Mechanical Systems**

The CP is required to ensure that mechanically related fire emergency systems (such as commercial kitchen exhaust systems, dust collectors, paint spray booths) and fire suppression system drawings have been submitted to the Permits and Inspections Department for review and that all pertinent information is exchanged between the District and the consultant/designer.



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2.13 Alternative Solutions

Any Alternative Solutions to the requirements of the BC Building Code must be proposed in writing, preferably with the building permit application. The alternative solution must be reviewed and stamped by the CP prior to submission to the District.

For more information, refer to the following web page:

https://westvancouver.ca/home-building-property/permits-licences/additionalforms

2.14 **Revision Permits**

Revisions must be submitted to reflect changes made to the approved building permit drawings. However, we do not require a separate permit application to be made for revisions. Revisions stay with the original building permit. The CP must review all drawings and supporting documents to ensure the revisions substantial comply with the BC Building Code, District of West Vancouver Building Bylaw, District of West Vancouver Zoning Bylaw, related development permit, and other applicable enactments. All related drawings and documents submitted are required to bear the stamp of the CP. It is the responsibility of the CP to collect the drawings and supporting documents and amalgamate them into a complete building permit revision package to be submitted to the District.

2.15 **Trade Permits**

Trade permits are required for electrical, mechanical/plumbing, and fire sprinkler works. The District does not issue trade permits for gas which are reviewed by Technical Safety BC. The CP must make sure these permits are in place prior to the contractor starting work.

2.16 Sign Permits

A separate permit application is required for signs. Signs are required to meet the Sign Bylaw and Development Permit. Refer to the following web page:

https://westvancouver.ca/home-building-property/permits-licences/bylawlicensing/sign-permits

2.17 **Liability Insurance**

The CP must provide a copy of their liability insurance and must carry a minimum \$1,000,000 per claim.



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2.18 **BC Housing – Residential Projects**

BC Housing declaration (warrantee approval or exemption) is required for all residential projects.

2.19 **Building Inspections and Occupancy**

The CP is required to perform monthly site reviews and submit a report to the Building Inspector.

The CP should invite the Building Inspector to site at various times throughout the project so that the inspector is familiar with the project.

The Building Inspector may also make random site visits to review the status of the building relative to the CP's site review reports.

Prior to final occupancy, the CP is required to submit the Final Building Inspection Document List (see Appendix) to the District in a binder. Once all required documents are confirmed the CP will coordinate with the Building Inspector on a final walkthrough.

The Certified Professional can recommend Final Occupancy and/or issuance of Occupancy Permit but cannot authorize occupancy of a building.

2.20 Final Design Drawings (Record Drawing)

Final design drawings are not required to be submitted to the District if the CP verifies that the accepted building permit drawings were complete and the final design substantially complies with the original building permit drawings.

If the final design does not substantially comply with the accepted building permit drawings, the CP shall not request a final inspection until revised drawings and a list of changes are submitted and accepted by the District. Revised drawings shall be submitted for each discipline in which the changes are applicable. All revised drawings must comply with the conditions of the approved Development Permit for the project.



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Appendix 3.

Certified Professional Program Forms:

- Confirmation of Commitment by Owner and Certified Professional * (Schedule CP-1)
- Confirmation of Completion of Code Coordination (Schedule CP-2)
- Confirmation of Tenant Improvement Compatibility (Schedule CP-3)
- **Building Permit Application Checklist**
- **Building Permit Application**
- **Building Code Checklist**
- **Project Directory**
- **Development Permit Compliance Letter**
- **Development Permit Confirmation of Changes Letter**
- Monthly Progress Report
- Final Building Inspection Document Checklist



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Confirmation of Commitment by *Owner* and "Certified Professional"

Schedule CP-1

Certified Professional Program
An Alternate Building Permit Process

For jurisdictions regulated by the British Columbia Building Code

- Notes: 1. This letter is endorsed by the Architectural Institute of British Columbia and Engineers and Geoscientists British Columbia.
 - 2. The phrase "Building Code" where used in this letter means the British Columbia Building Code.
 - 3. Words in italics are given the same meaning as defined in the British Columbia Building Code.
 - 4. Words in "quotations" are defined herein.

То:	Senior Manager, Permits, Inspections, and Land Development District of West Vancouver 750 17th Street West Vancouver, BC V7V 3T3	Date:				
Proje	ct Address:	Building Permit No.				
In sig	signing and submitting this document to the <i>authority having jurisdiction</i> the owner confirms that the <i>owner</i> has					

In signing and submitting this document to the *authority having jurisdiction* the owner confirms that the *owner* has authorized the "Certified Professional (CP)", to undertake "code coordination" and the undersigned "CP" confirms that the "CP" will undertake "code coordination" with respect to the above noted project for which a building permit is sought.

"Code coordination" includes the following tasks:

- 1. act on behalf of the *owner* as the *owner*'s representative in matters involving the *authority having jurisdiction* in relation to the building permit, related project construction and related occupancy;
- 2. ascertain that the required *registered professionals of record (RPR)* for the project have been retained to provide *design and field review* in accordance with the "Building Code";
- 3. obtain the necessary letters of Assurance of Professional Design and Commitment for Field Review from the registered professionals of record for the project and deliver the originals of same to the authority having jurisdiction when applying for the building permit for the project;
- 4. obtain the other necessary documents required to support the building permit application and deliver same to the *authority having jurisdiction* when applying for the building permit for the project;
- 5. apply for and obtain a building permit for the project in accordance with the process as described in the authority having jurisdiction's Building By-law;
- 6. provide "design review" of the plans and supporting documents prepared by each of the *registered* professionals of record for the project;
- 7. ascertain that the *registered professionals of record* have incorporated in their plans and supporting documents, the requirements of the "Building Code" Division A; Division B Parts 1 and 3; and Division C;
- 8. ascertain that the Division A; Division B, Parts 1 and 3; and Division C "Building Code" requirements governing the project are compatible between the plans and supporting documents prepared by each registered professionals of record;
- 9. provide "site review" of the components of the plans and supporting documents prepared by each of the registered professionals of record for the project;
- 10. keep records of all "site reviews" by the "CP" and of any corrective action required and taken as a result of these "site reviews". Discrepancies noted during "site reviews" must be tracked and the resolution of these discrepancies noted such that a list of significant known unresolved discrepancies can be provided at the request of the authority having jurisdiction;



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"Code coordination" (cont'd):

- 11. "monitor field review activities" of the registered professionals of record;
- 12. monitor and report on significant events and changes in the project;
- 13. submit a monthly summary progress report to the *authority having jurisdiction* during construction of the project;
- 14. consult with the *authority having jurisdiction* if any unresolved variances in interpretation of the "Building Code" arise between the "CP" and the *registered professionals of record*:
- 15. consult with the *authority having jurisdiction* if any unresolved issues with respect to the "Building Code" arise between the "CP" and the contractor.
- 16. review relevant shop drawings with respect to the requirements of Division A, Division B, Parts 1 and 3 and Division C of the "Building Code";
- 17. notify the *authority having jurisdiction* in a timely manner of any significant known, unresolved contraventions of the "Building Code" or building permit requirements;
- 18. obtain the necessary letters of Assurance of Professional *Field Review* and Compliance from the *registered professionals of record* or the project and deliver the originals of same to the *authority having jurisdiction* when applying for *occupancy* for the project;
- 19. obtain the other necessary documents required to support the occupancy application and deliver same to the *authority having jurisdiction* when applying for occupancy for the project;
- 20. apply for the occupancy approval for the project in accordance with the process as described in the *authority having jurisdiction's* Building By-law; and
- 21. apply the "CP" stamp to all relevant documents that are submitted to the *authority having jurisdiction*. Affixing his or her "CP" stamp to a document confirms that the "CP" has provided the relevant portion of "code coordination" applicable to that document.

"Design review" means the activities necessary to ascertain that the design of the project will substantially comply, in all material respects, with the requirements of Division A; Division B, Parts 1 and 3; and Division C of the "Building Code".

"Monitoring field review activities" means ascertaining that the *registered professionals of record* are providing field reviews as required by Div C, Part 2 of the "Building Code", and includes keeping records of the *field review* reports prepared by the *registered professionals of record*. The *owner* will instruct each *registered professionals of record* to highlight in the *RPR*'s field review reports any significant variation from the documents accepted in support of the *building permit* and any corrective action as needed. The "CP" will review the variations highlighted in the field review reports and notify the *authority having jurisdiction*, in a timely manner, of significant known unresolved contraventions from the documents accepted in support of the *building permit*.

"Site review" means the activities necessary in the "CP's" professional judgment to ascertain that the construction of the project substantially complies, in all material respects, with the requirements of Division A; Division B, Parts 1 and 3; and Division C of the "Building Code" and the requirements of the building permit and monitors for compliance with the development permit issued for the project.

In addition to "code coordination" the undersigned owner and "CP" also acknowledge that:

- 1. If the project involves future tenant improvement works, and the base *building* occupancy is not achieved prior to commencement of the tenant improvement works, the involvement of a "CP" may be required; and,
- 2. The *owner* and the "CP" are each required to notify the *authority having jurisdiction* on or before the date the "CP" ceases to be retained by the *owner*. It is understood that work on the above project will cease as of the effective date of such termination, until such time as a new appointment is made, and a *Stop Work Order* shall be posted upon the said project by the *authority having jurisdiction*.



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		Date:
Project A	address:	Building Permit No.
NOTE:	appointment must be attached. If the owner	the <i>owner's</i> appointed agent and by the "CP". An agent's letter of er is a corporation, the letter must be signed by a signing officer of set set forth his or her position in the corporation.
Owner Ir	nformation (please print):	
Owner's: Name:		Name of, title of,Signing Officer, or Agent (if Applicable):
Address:		Tel:
City:		Email:
Postal Code:		Signature:
		re (if owner is a corporation the signature of signing officer must be given y of the document that appoints the agent must be attached.)
NOTE:		hitect or Professional Engineer who has been recognized as e Architectural Institute of British Columbia or Engineers and
"Certifie	d Professional" (please print):	
Name:		Name of Firm:
Address:		Tel:
City:		Email:
Postal Code:		Signature:
(Affix "Cer	rtified Professional's" stamp here)	(Affix "Certified Professional's professional seal here)



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Confirmation of Completion of Code Coordination

Schedule CP-2

Certified Professional Program
An Alternate Building Permit Process

For jurisdictions regulated by the British Columbia Building Code

This letter is endorsed by the Architectural Institute of British Columbia and Engineers and Geoscientists British Columbia.
 Words in italics are given the same meaning as defined in the British Columbia Building Code.
 Words in quotations are defined in Schedule CP-1.

I confirm that I have fulfilled my obligations for "code coordination" as outlined in my previously submitted Schedule CP-1 entitled **Confirmation of Commitment by** *Owner* **and "Certified Professional"**.

I enclose the relevant occupancy documents as listed on the attached **Occupancy Submission Documents Checklist.**

NOTE:

A "Certified Professional" means an Architect or Professional Engineer who has been recognized as qualified as a "Certified Professional" by the Architectural Institute of British Columbia or Engineers and Geoscientists British Columbia.

"Certified Professional" (please print):	
Name:	Name of Firm:
Address:	Tel:
City:	Email:
Postal Code:	Signature:
(Affix "Certified Professional's" stamp here)	(Affix "Certified Professional's professional seal here)

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Confirmation of Tenant Improvement Compatibility

Schedule CP-3

Certified Professional Program
An Alternate Building Permit Process

For jurisdictions regulated by the British Columbia Building Code

Notes:		British Columbia.	of British Columbia and Engineers and Geoscientists		
		Words in italics are given the same meaning as def Words in quotations are defined in Schedule CP-1.			
То:	Dis 750	nior Manager, Permits, Inspections, and Land Detrict of West Vancouver 1 17th Street st Vancouver, BC V7V 3T3	velopment Date:		
Base B Project		ng ress:	Base Building Permit No		
Specific	c Lo	cation of Tenant Improvement:			
		at I have reviewed the drawings on the attached list y compatible with the original building code concepts			
		at the construction of the base <i>building</i> shell space for eption of the items indicated on the attached list.	or this tenant improvement is essentially complete		
NOTE:		A "Certified Professional" means an Architect or F qualified as a "Certified Professional" by the Archited Geoscientists British Columbia.			
"Certif	ied l	Professional" (please print):			
Name:	_		Name of Firm:		
Addres	s: _		Tel:		
City:	_		Email:		
Postal Code:			Signature:		
(Affix "C	ertifi	ed Professional's" stamp here)	(Affix "Certified Professional's professional seal here)		



Building Permit Application Checklist

Name of CP:	Date:
Project Address:	Building Permit No.:

NOTE: Checklist represents minimum requirements for full building permit applications. Further review may reveal additional requirements. Registered Professionals shall sign and seal documents where required.

Α	BUILDING DEPARTMENT	СР	DWV
_	The Certified Professional should initial in the CP column to indicate documents submitted or mark N/A.		
	Submit documents electronically with one hard copy set.		
1	Development Permit Approval Letter		
2	CP Program Building Permit Application Form		
3	DWV Registered Owner's Authorization Letter		
4	Building Permit Application Fee		
5	BC Housing New Home Registration Form or Exemption, residential project only (required prior to permit issuance)		
6	Land Title Search (retrieved within the last 30 days, must include copies of all covenants, easements, rights-of way,		
	and any other encumbrances)		
7	B.C. Building Code Checklist (EGBC/AIBC)		
8	Building Code Report and Code Compliance drawings		
9	Confirmation of Commitment by <i>Owner</i> and "Certified Professional" Schedule CP-1		
10	Confirmation of Tenant Improvement Compatibility Schedule CP-3		
11	CP's Liability Insurance and DWV Declaration of Insurance Coverage for Registered Professionals		
12	DWV Owner's Acknowledgement for Part 3 Buildings		
13	CP Program Project Directory		
14	CP Program Development Permit Compliance Letter or Confirmation of Change Letter		
15	Alternative Solution(s) Report and DWV Alternative Solution Form, if applicable		
16	Geotechnical Report prepared by a Professional Engineer		
17	BC Energy Step Code		
	DWV Design Intent Letter		
	DWV Verification Report		
	□ BC Energy Design Report		
10	Low carbon energy system (LCES) option, Qualified Engineer must provide written verification LCES is met		
18	DWV Development Cost Charges Form		
19	Architect to provide 11" x 17" floor plans of each level with the type of development (defined by Regional		
20	Transportation DCC Bylaw), sq. m. of floor area for each use, and number of apartment/townhouse dwelling		
20	Construction Fire Safety Plan. Contact DWV Fire & Rescue 604-925-7370		
21	Vancouver Coastal Health construction permit letter/stamped plans, if applicable		
22	Metro Vancouver grease interceptor compliance letter, if applicable. Projects installing and connecting fixtures to a		
23	grease interceptor		
	Letter of Assurance Schedule A		
24 25	Letters of Assurance Schedule B or Schedule L, where applicable by scope of work		
26	DWV Declaration of Insurance Coverage for Registered Professionals, each discipline		
27	Topographical Site Survey sealed or stamped within 6 months of application date		
21	Site Plan minimum scale: 1:100 or 1/8" = 1'-0"		
	 All dimensions Setbacks must be shown perpendicular to property lines, and must be in meters 		
	 Finished and natural grade elevations at all building corners Elevations of intermediate points wherever the grade slope changes 		
	 Elevations of intermediate points wherever the grade slope changes Driveway location, including slope, and area 		
	 All cantilevers and overhangs, including roof overhangs, to be clearly shown and dimensioned 		
	- All cartilievers and overnangs, including roof overnangs, to be clearly shown and differential		



Certified Professional Program Building Permit Application Checklist

	I						
Α	BUILDING DEPARTMENT CP						DWV
	The Certified Professional should initial in the CP column to indicate documents submitted or mark N/A.						
28	Complete sets of archi	tectural, structural, mec	hanical, plumbing, fire su	ppression, electrical, and	d landscape drawings		
	to an appropriate scale (minimum ¼" = 1'-0" or 1:50, except site plan). Maximum page size ARCH D (24" x 36" or						
	610mm x 914mm).						
Α	Document Subr	mission					T
	Certified Professional t						
	RPR	Schedule A	Schedule B or L	DWV Insurance	RPR Drawings		
	Architectural					+	+
	Structural						+
							+
	Mechanical					 	-
	Plumbing						
	Fire Suppression					1	1
	Electrical					-	-
	Geotechnical						
	Landscaping						
	ı					1	1
В	LAND DEVELOPMENT CP DWV						
		Refer to the link <u>Land Development</u> for resources.					
			CP column to indicate do	cuments submitted or m	ark N/A.		
	Submit documents electronically.						
1	Landscape and Gradin						
2	Stormwater Management Plan						
3	Erosion and Sediment Control						
4	Traffic Management Pl						
5			pliance with MMC & DW	V Engineering Standard:	S		
6	Excavation, Shoring, a						
7		ddress underpinning and	d tower crane erection				
8	Works and Services A						
9	Flood Hazard Assessment Report prepared by a Qualified Professional, if applicable						



Building Permit Application

Civic Address:	Application Date:
Proposed Work: Institutional Other New Building(s) Part 3 only Tenant Improvement Other Are you demolishing an existing building? Are you aware of any contaminated soils on the property? Is your property within a Wildfire Hazard Development Permit Area? BCBC Occupancy Class (check) BCBC Occupancy Class (check) BCBC OCCUPANCE BCBC OCCUP	Zone:
Description of Work:	Subject to correction and planteview
Business Name on Premise: (if applicable) Business Operatio (if applicable)	n:
Certified Professional: Business Name:	
Address:	Postal:
Phone: E-mail:	
Registered Property Owner(s) Name:	
Address:	Postal:
Phone: Email:	
Authorized Agent for Owner: Business Name: (if applicable)	
Address:	Postal:
Phone: Email:	
Applicant other than owner must submit a Registered Owner's Authorization Letter	
Contractor (site contact name): Business Name:	
Address:	Postal:
Phone: Email:	
Applicant Acknowledgement I, the Applicant, certify that, to the best of my knowledge, supplemental documentation submitted in support of the issuance of Building Permits by the Dis Applicant, certify that this application is being made with the full knowledge and consent of all O	strict of West Vancouver is true and correct. I, the
Applicant's Name: Business Name:	
Applicant's Signature: Email:	Phone:

THE PERMIT APPLICATION FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE. THIS APPLICATION IS VOID IF A PERMIT IS NOT OBTAINED WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE DATE OF APPLICATION. Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act: personal information contained on this form is collected under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Community Charter and will be used for the purpose of processing your permit application. If you have any questions about the collection, use or disclosure of this information, please call the Legislative Services Department at 604-921-3497.







2018 B.C. Building Code Checklist (Division B – Part 3)

Project Name:									
Civi	c Addı	ress:							
Pern	nit Ap	plication 1	No.:			Dat	e:		
Cert	Certified Professional: CRP:								
1	Value	of Construct	tion: \$		_ D	eveloped Site	Area:		m ²
2		DING DAT							
	Buildi	ng Area:	m ²		Majo	or Occupancy	(ies):		••
	Numbe	er of Streets:	:		Buil	ding Height: .	Storey	/	
	Constr	uction Type	Classification:	J COMBU	JSTIBLE /	□ NON-CO	OMBUSTIBLE	;	
		• •	rticles/Part 3: (3.2						rements
	☐ Fire	e Wall: 🗖 2	2 hr / 🗖 4 hr	□м	[ezzanine(s)		3 3.2.1.2. Horiz	zontal Fire	Separation
	☐ Spr	inkler Syste	em 🗖 Standpip	ne System	☐ Fire	Alarm Systen	n 🗖 High	n Building 3	3.2.6.
3	Fire Resistance Rating: FLOOR: hr/ MEZZ.: hr/ ROOF: hr/LOAD BEARING: hr								
3	SPATIAL SEPARATION: Wall								
		Limiting Distance	Area Exposing Building Face	L/H Ratio	% Opening Actual	% Opening Allowed	Type of Construction	Fire Rating	Cladding
	North								
	South								
	East								
	West								
				-					
	□ Оре	enings protec	cted L.D. <1.2 m			3.2.3.5.			
	☐ Combustible projections within 1.2 m of the PL				3.2.3.6.(1)				
	☐ Proj	jecting roof	soffits			3.2.3.6.			
	☐ Max	ximum size	opening where L.	$D. \le 2.0 \text{ m}$	1	3.2.3.1.(5)			
		cing of open					3.2.3.1.(6)		
		tection of ex				3.2.3.13.			
	□ Wal	ll exposed to	another wall			3.2.3.14.			

	·	-	
	☐ Protection of exposed soffit (if permitted by 3.2.3.6)	3.2.3.16. / 3.2.3.6.	
	☐ Wall exposed to adjoining roof	3.2.3.15.	
	☐ Class A, B or C roof covering	3.1.15.2.	
4	PROVISIONS FOR FIRE FIGHTING:		
	☐ Access above grade / ☐ Access below grade	3.2.5.1. / 3.2.5.2.	
	☐ Sprinklers required / ☐ Sprinkler standards	3.2.2.18. / 3.2.5.12.	
	☐ Access route location and design	3.2.5.4. to 3.2.5.6.	
	☐ Access to roof for buildings > 3 storeys	3.2.5.3.	
	☐ Standpipes and hose connections	3.2.5.8. to 3.2.5.11.	
5	FIRE SEPARATION BETWEEN OCCUPANCIES AN SHAFTS:	ND TENANTS, FLOOR AREAS AND	
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	☐ Fire separation for Residential occupancy	3.3.4.2.	
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Occupant Load 3.1.17.1.						
Room	Area (m²)	÷	Area/person (m²)	= Total		
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☐ Types of exits			3.4.1.4.	I		
☐ Minimum of 2 ex	its		3.4.2.1.			
☐ Distance between	exits		3.4.2.3.			
☐ Travel distance			3.4.2.4.			
☐ Travel distance ar	nd location of exits		3.4.2.5.			
☐ Travel distance to maximum 50 m	exit in service space		3.4.2.4.(3) / 3.2.1.1	.(8)		
☐ Clear width of exi	t, corridor, stair, ramp and	loor	3.4.3.2. / Table 3.4.	3.2A and Table 3.4.3.		
☐ 9.2 mm/person fo stairs (rise > 180 ☐ 8 mm/person for s	 ☐ 6.1. mm/person for: ramps ≤ 1 in 8, doorways, corridors and passageways ☐ 9.2 mm/person for: ramps > 1 in 8, stairs (rise > 180 mm or run < 280 mm) ☐ 8 mm/person for stairs (rise ≤ 180 mm and run ≤ 280 mm) 			3.4.3.2.		
☐ Exit width encroa			3.4.3.3. 3.4.3.4. Tables 3.1.13.2. and 3.1.13.7. (Exception 3.1.3.7.(2)) 3.4.4.1. / 3.4.4.2. / 3.4.4.3.			
☐ Headroom	•					
☐ Flame spread ratio	ng for exits					
☐ Fire separation of	exits					
☐ Integrity of exits			3.4.4.4.	3.4.4.4.		
☐ Minimum 3 risers			3.4.6.2. (Exception	3.3.2.15.)		
☐ Treads and risers			3.4.6.8.			
☐ Maximum of 3.7	n per flight, except Group I	32	3.4.6.3.	3.4.6.3.		
☐ Length and width			3.4.6.4.			
☐ Handrails – numb continuity/horizon	ntal extensions		3.4.6.5.			
☐ Guards – height/c	limbability/openings		3.4.6.6.			
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☐ Sign for stair belo			3.4.5.2.			
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	☐ Landings 300 mm wider and longer than door	3.4.6.11.	
	☐ Doors and Direction of Door swing	3.4.6.11. / 3.4.6.12.	
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	☐ Exit doors to be self-closing	3.4.6.13.	
	☐ Release hardware, openable from inside w/o key	3.4.6.16. / 3.3.2.7.	
	☐ Electromagnetic locks	3.4.6.16.(4) & (5)	
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8	SAFETY REQUIREMENTS WITHIN FLOOR AREA		
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	☐ Means of egress for service spaces	3.3.1.3.(7)	
	☐ 2 egress doorways; min. 1/3 diagonal separation	3.3.1.5.	
	☐ Travel distance	3.3.1.6.	
	Doors in access to exit:		
	☐ Minimum 800 mm for single leaf clear opening		
	☐ Minimum 800 mm for active leaf in double door		
	☐ Minimum 850 mm for doors requiring access		
	☐ Minimum 850 mm for care facilities	3.3.1.13. / 3.3.3.4.	
	☐ Minimum 1050 mm to move patients in beds		
	☐ Readily openable without use of keys		
	☐ Not open onto a step		
	☐ Hazardous substances	3.3.1.2. / BCFC	
	☐ Design of hazardous areas	3.3.6. / BCFC	
	☐ Door swing: Occupant load > 60 or F1 occupancy must swing in direction of exit travel	3.3.1.11.	
	☐ Minimum width of corridor	3.3.1.9. / 3.3.3.3.(3)	
	Capacity of access to exit:		
	☐ Corridors, passageways, doorways, and ramps not more than 1 in 8 − 6.1 mm/person ☐ Stairs		
	\square Ramps > 1 in 8 – 9.2 mm/person	3.3.1.17. / 3.4.3.2.(1) to (3)	
	☐ B2 and B3 occupancies – 18.4 mm/person		
	☐ Unsprinklered Dance and LB occupancies with OL > 250 requires 50% capacity at main entrance		
	☐ Guards at raised floors, roof, shaft, balcony	3.3.1.18.	
	☐ Tapered treads in curved stair	3.3.1.16.	
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	☐ Ventilation for commercial cooking equipment	3.3.1.2.(2)
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	☐ Emergency power for lighting	3.2.7.4. (1 hr for buildings under 3.2.2.50. & 58)
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10	FIRE ALARMS:	
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	☐ Types of systems	3.2.4.3. / 3.2.4.4.
	☐ Signals to fire department	3.2.4.7.
	☐ Zoning of fire alarm systems	3.2.4.8.
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	☐ Termination at vertical fire separation	3.2.8.1.(1)
	☐ Mezzanine egress	3.4.2.2.
	☐ Interconnected floor space not permitted in B2	
	occupancy with sleeping rooms	3.2.8.1.(3)
	Openings through horizontal fire separation for vehicular ramps in storage garage	3.2.8.2.(2)
	☐ Openings in fire separation for manufacturing process	3.2.8.2.(3)

	Openings for stairways, escalators, moving walkways	3.2.8.2.(5) & (6)
	☐ Interconnected first floor and floor below or above	3.2.8.2.(6)
	☐ Exit width for stairs serving interconnected floors	3.4.3.2.(6)
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	☐ Sprinkler system	3.2.8.3.
	☐ Draft stops	3.2.8.6.
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12	SERVICES FACILITIES:	
	☐ No storage in services spaces	3.6.1.4.
	☐ Fire separation of service rooms	3.6.2.1.
	☐ Fire separation for service room with fire safety system	3.6.2.1.(8)
	☐ No boiler under exit	3.6.2.2.
	☐ Door swing for service rooms	3.6.2.6.
	☐ Fire separation of janitor rooms	3.3.1.21.
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	☐ Linen and garbage chutes and rooms	3.6.3.3.
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	☐ Access to crawl space	3.6.4.6.
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	☐ Room and space height	3.7.1.1. / 9.5.3.
	☐ Room ventilation	6.3.1.1. / 6.3.1.3.
	☐ Medical gas piping systems	3.7.3.1. / CSA Z7396.1
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	Plumbing Facilities 3.7.2.				
	Occupancy	# of persons of each sex		# of water closets required	# of water closets provided
14	ACCESSIBILITY:				
	☐ Accessible design stand B651	lard option Section 3.8 or C	CSA	3.8.3.1.	
	☐ Application and exemp	tions to buildings		3.8.2.1.(1).	
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	☐ Adaptable dwelling uni	ts		3.8.5.	
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	☐ Where accessible wash	room required		3.8.2.1.(1)	
	☐ Water closet stalls			3.8.3.11.	
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	☐ Universal washrooms			3.8.3.12.	
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	☐ Doorways and doors pr	oviding access		3.8.3.6.	
	☐ Power doors in hotels, I	B2, or A/B3/D/E > 500 m ²		3.8.2.7.	
	Ramp minimum width/ slope/handrails/guards	maximum		3.8.3.5.	
	☐ Elevating devices (elev B355)	ators CSA B44 and lifts CS	SA	3.8.3.7. / 3.5.2.1. / 3.5	5.4.1.
15	ALTERNATIVE SOLU				
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	Summary of the Alterna	tive Solution(s):			

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Name of CP:	Date:
Project Address:	Building Permit No.:
Registered Owner:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
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Certified Professional:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Architect:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Structural Engineer:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Mechanical Engineer:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
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Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Fire Suppression Engineer:	Business Name:
Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:



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Phone:	E-mail:
Geotechnical Engineer:	Business Name:
Mailing Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Other: (specify engineer's role)	Business Name:
Mailing Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
Other: (specify engineer's role)	Business Name:
Mailing Address:	Postal:
Phone:	E-mail:
CP Signature:	Business Name:
	CP Stamp:



Certified Professional Program Development Permit Compliance Letter

Name of CP:	Date:
Project Address:	Building Permit No.:
I,	er the above noted Building Permit substantially comply confirm that I understand this project may be audited by
Signed by:CRP/Architect of Record	Date:
Company Name:	Professional Seal:
	Professional Seal Here
Submitted by:Certified Professional	Date:
Company Name:	CP Stamp:
	Professional Seal Here



Development Permit Confirmation of Changes Letter

Name of CP:	Date:
Project Address:	Building Permit No.:
I,submitted for this stage of construction under the Development Permit drawings.	(CRP/Architect of Record), hereby confirm that the drawings above noted Building Permit do not comply with the

NOTE: All changes must be noted in the Table on Page 2. Particular attention should be paid to the following:

- 1. Permitted use(s).
- 2. Building exterior (e.g. doors, windows, siding, rooftop units, venting, change in overall building form including height).
- 3. Floor area(s) (e.g. additional floors, enclosed balconies, mezzanines, lofts, storage rooms).
- 4. On-site parking (e.g. add or delete parking stalls, layout changes) and loading and bicycles (e.g. configuration, dimensions, and vertical clearances).
- 5. Landscape.
- 6. Number of dwelling units or tenancies.

Plans and details must be submitted to illustrate the listed changes.

Further, I understand that it will be determined by staff at the District of West Vancouver whether an amendment to the Development Permit is required as a result of these changes.

I also confirm that I understand this project may be audited by District staff for compliance with the Development Permit as issued.



Development Permit Confirmation of Changes Letter

NOTE: Submit plans and details that illustrate the listed changes. Cloud changes on the drawings to reference the list.

DRAWING NO.	CHANGE DESCRIPTION Attach a separate sheet if required		REVISION NO.
Signed by:		Date:	
orgined by:	CRP/Architect of Record	Date.	
Company Nam	ne:	Professional Seal:	
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Submitted by:		Date:	
-	Certified Professional		
Company Nam	ie:	CP Stamp:	
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Final Building Inspection Document Checklist

Name of CP:	Date:	
Project Address:	Building Permit No.:	

NOTE: The Certified Professional should initial in the CP column to indicate documents submitted or mark N/A (not applicable). The Certified Professional is to collect all the completed documents and put them in a binder with the section TABs noted below. The Certified Professional will then call a document meeting with the building inspector prior to the coordinated final walkthrough.

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	Acceptance of Fire Safety Plan – Fire Department (email confirmation acceptable)		
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	Copy of permit - DWV Sign Permit(s)		
	Other		

CP Signature:	Company Name:	
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CP Stamp:



