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Mr. Jose Maldonado  
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Dear Mr. Maldonado,

In response to the inspector's comments, the following are acceptable changes to our construction documents:

- The double (2) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  x 11 7/8 LVL specified on the Ceiling Framing Plan 2/S4 is not required because there is load bearing wall below.
- The double (2) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  x 14 LVL specified on the Ceiling Framing Plan 2/S4 is not required because there is load bearing wall below.
- The second-floor trusses are currently bearing  $\frac{3}{4}$ " on the load bearing wall along the center of the home. Attach two continuous (2) 2x4 to the existing double 2x4 wall top plate. This solution will provide a total 3  $\frac{3}{4}$ " bearing distance. The new double 2x4 shall be attached to the top plate with two (2) rows of 5" long Simpson Strong-Tie SDWS screws at 8" on center.

Please let us know if you need further guidance or information.

Regards,



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