

BARUN CORP

October 18, 2021

RE: CERTIFICATION LETTER

Project Address: WILLIAM SNODGRASS Residence
65 DEXTERFIELD DRIVE,
FUQUAY-VARINA, NC 27526

Design Criteria:

- Applicable Codes = 2018 IEBC/IBC, 2018 IRC, ASCE 7-16, and 2018 NDS
- Risk Category = II
- Wind Speed = 130 mph, Exposure Category C, Partially/Fully Enclosed Method
- Ground Snow Load = 15 psf
- Roof 1 : 2 x 8 @ 16" OC, Roof DL = 11 psf, Roof LL/SL = 14 psf (Non-PV), Roof LL/SL = 5.8 psf (PV)

To Whom It May Concern,

A structural evaluation of loading was conducted for the above address based on the design criteria listed above.

Existing roof structural framing has been reviewed for additional loading due to installation of PV Solar System on the roof. The structural review applies to the sections of roof that is directly supporting the solar PV system.

Based on this evaluation, I certify that the alteration to the existing structure by installation of the PV system meets the prescriptive compliance requirements of the applicable existing building and/or new building provisions adopted/referenced above.

Additionally, the PV module assembly including attachment hardware has been reviewed to be in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications and to meet and/or exceed the requirements set forth by the referenced codes.

Sincerely,

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RESULTS SUMMARY

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MOUNTING PLANE STRUCTURAL EVALUATION (BASED ON IEBC 5% IMPACT CHECK)

ROOF	ROOF PITCH (deg.)	RESULT
Roof 1	40°	OK

BARUN CORP	LOAD CALCULATION	
	Roof 1	
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PV SYSTEM DEAD LOAD (PV-DL)		
PV module weight		2.5 psf
Hardware assembly weight		0.5 psf
	PV-DL	3.00 psf

ROOF DEAD LOAD (R-DL)	MATERIAL	
Existing Roofing Material	Comp Roof 1 layers	2.5 psf
Underlayment		0.5 psf
Plywood Sheathing		1.5 psf
Framing Weight	2 x 8 @ 16 in. O.C.	2.34 psf
Vaulted ceiling	Yes	3 psf
Miscellaneous		1.5 psf
Total Roof Dead Load	R-DL	11.34 psf

REDUCED ROOF LIVE LOAD (Lr)	EXPRESSION	VALUE
Roof Live Load	L_o	20.0 psf
Member Tributary Area	A_t	< 200 sf
Roof 1 Pitch		10/12 <i>or 40°</i>
Tributary Area Reduction	R_1	1
Slope Roof Reduction	R_2	0.7
Reduced Roof Live Load	$L_r = L_o (R_1) (R_2)$	14.00 psf

SNOW LOAD	VALUE
Ground Snow Load	p_g 15
Effective Roof Slope	40°
Snow Importance Factor	I_s 1.0
Snow Exposure Factor	C_e 1.0
Snow Thermal Factor	C_t 1.1
Minimum Flat Roof Snow Load	p_{f-min} 15
Flat Roof Snow Load	p_f 11.55

SLOPED ROOF SNOW LOAD ON ROOF	(All other surfaces)
Roof Slope Factor	C_{s-roof} 0.92
	p_{s-roof} 10.70

SLOPED ROOF SNOW LOAD ON PV PANEL	(Unobstructed slippery surfaces)
Roof Slope Factor	C_{s-pv} 0.50
	p_{s-pv} 5.80

BARUN CORP	IEBC 5% IMPACT CHECK	
	Roof 1	
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	EXISTING	WITH PV PANEL	
Roof Dead Load (DL) =	11.34	14.34	psf
Roof Live Load (Lr) =	14.00	0.00	psf
Roof Snow Load (SL) =	10.70	5.80	psf

	EXISTING	WITH PV PANEL	
$(DL + Lr) / Cd =$	20.28	15.94	psf
$(DL + SL) / Cd =$	19.17	17.52	psf
Maximum Gravity Load =	20.28	17.52	psf

Load Increase (%) =	-13.61%	OK
IEBC Provision :	2018	

The requirements of section 806.2 of 2018 IEBC are met and the structure is permitted to remain unaltered.