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Date: October 10, 2024

**To:** Tyler Appel

Drees Homes

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Re: 24-FTG-154.1

Structural Analysis Lot 60 Tobacco Road 19 Grading Stick Court Angier, NC 27501

Permit No.: SFD2408-0117

## Mr. Appel:

At the footing contractor's request, the plans were reviewed for the above referenced single family residence under construction to address the pier footings excavated in the wrong locations.

## **Observations:**

You indicated five of the six footings for the piers supporting the second girder from the rear were excavated in the wrong location. Only the footing for the first pier from the left end of the girder was excavated in the correct location.

## **Analysis and Recommendation:**

Since the footings were over-excavated and backfilled with washed stone, it will be difficult to add onto the existing footings and/or excavate new footings at their plan specified locations. Instead, I recommend constructing the piers within the center one-third of the footings as currently placed. In lieu of the plan specified (3) 2x10 dropped girders, (3) 13/4"x91/4" LVL dropped girders are required extending from the right foundation wall to the fourth pier from the right side. See the plan snippet on Page 2 for additional information. This prescribed configuration will provide the required support for all imposed loads.

Please call me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Zachary H. Hayes, PE Owner/Structural Engineer Hayes Structural Consulting & Design, PLLC



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