

STRUCTURAL TECHINAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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October 8, 2025

10:00 A.M.

Minutes

STRUCTURAL TAC PRESENT:

David Compton, Chairman	Julie Lowry
Jaime Gascon	CW Macomber
Dr. Ana Barbosa for Michael Guerasio	David Monsour
Mark Mikkelson for Kathy Harkema	Craig Parrino
Do Y. Kim	Dean Ruark
Daniel Lavrich	Jim Schock

STAFF PRESENT:

Alan Burke	Marlita Peters
Sabrina Evans	Mo Madani
Jim Hammers	Justin Vogel
Norman Bellamy	Johnathan Cueva

MEETING FACILITATION:

The meeting was facilitated by Jeff Blair from Facilitated Solutions, LLC. Consultation, Process Design & Facilitation. Information at: facilitatedsolutions.org

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Mr. Blair welcomed everyone to the teleconference meeting of the Structural TAC.

Roll Call:

Mr. Blair performed roll call for the Structural TAC. A quorum was determined with 12 members present at roll call.

Agenda Approval:

Mr. Lavrich moved to approve the agenda for today's meeting as posted. Commissioner Schock seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of 12 to 0.

Approval of the minutes from October 3, 2025:

Mr. Lavrich moved to approve the minutes from October 3, 2025, as posted. Commissioner Schock seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of 12 to 0.

To accept public input and provide recommendations on the proposed code changes with comments from the second 45-day comment period for the update to the 9th Edition (2026) Florida Building Code, as applicable:

Mr. Blair provided an overview of the process for making recommendations on the proposed code changes with comments.

Mr. Madani reviewed the materials for the proposed code changes with comments.

Please see attached Tracking Chart for the relevant motions and votes pertaining to the proposed modifications:



TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
SECOND COMMENT PERIOD

Total Mods for this report: 37

TAC Recommendation Approved as Submitted

TAC: Structural 10 Total Mods for Structural in Approved as Submitted

 SubCode: Building

14-Exterior Walls

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	Approved as Submitted	<u>TAC Action</u>
12196	Joseph Belcher	Chapter 14	1405.6	Correct reference to updated TMS standard		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Monsour Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Schock Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF), Scott McAdam (BOAF), Shane Gerwig (FHBA), and Mike Silvers (FRSA)						

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	Approved as Submitted	<u>TAC Action</u>
12342	Alexander Haldeman	Chapter 14	1405.16.1	Clarification on the means of supporting and attachment of edges/joints of fiber-cement siding panels.		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Schock Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Shane Gerwig (FHBA)						

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	Approved as Submitted	<u>TAC Action</u>
12349	Alexander Haldeman	Chapter 14	1410.4	Clarification on the acceptable means of support and attachment of edges/joints of fiber-cement soffits.		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Schock Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Shane Gerwig (FHBA)						

16-Structural Design

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Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted
11980	Dallas Thiesen	Chapter 16	1612.4.2	Modifies the requirements for pool equipment installed in Special Flood Hazard Zones.	
Comment Parrino Motion to Deny A1 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Opposition: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) and Shane Gerwig (FAA and FHBA)					
TAC Action <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W					

17-Structural Tests and Special Inspections

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted
12161	Milad Shabanian	Chapter 17	1711	This proposal adds a new section to the code and is based on the corrosion resistance requirements in ICC 600-2020.	
Comment Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Schock Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Mike Silvers (FRSA), Jennifer Hatfield (FGIA and BOAF), Aaron Phillips (ARMA), Milad Shabanian (ICA), and Rebecca Quinn (FDEM)					
TAC Action <input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W					

20-Aluminum

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted
12191	Joseph Belcher	Chapter 20	2002.12003.1	Establishes minimum standard of performance for alloys used as structural members in aluminum structures.	
Comment Parrino Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA)					
TAC Action <input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W					

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted
12194	Joseph Belcher	Chapter 20	2003.1	Establishes a minimum standard of performance for alloys used for structural members of aluminum structures.	
Comment Parrino Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA)					
TAC Action <input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W					

TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FIRST COMMENT PERIOD

TAC: Structural

10

Total Mods for Structural

in Approved as Submitted

Total Mods for this report: 37

SubCode: Residential

3-Building Planning

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted	TAC Action
12163	Milad Shabanian	Chapter 3	306	This proposal adds a new section to the code and is based on the corrosion resistance requirements in ICC 600-2020.		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 with editorial fix 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Fix Section number on this and the related item. Support: Mike Silvers (FRSA), Jennifer Hatfield (FGIA and BOAF), Aaron Phillips (ARMA), Milad Shabanian (ICA), and Rebecca Quinn (FDEM)						

7-Wall Covering

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted	TAC Action
12345	Alexander Haldeman	Chapter 7	703.10.1	Clarification on the means of supporting and attachment of edges/joints of fiber-cement siding panels.		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Shane Gerwig (FHBA)						

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Approved as Submitted	TAC Action
12348	Alexander Haldeman	Chapter 7	704.2.2	Clarification on the acceptable means of support and attachment of edges/joints of fiber-cement soffits.		<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Shane Gerwig (FHBA)						

TAC Recommendation

Denied

TAC: Structural

27

Total Mods for Structural

in Denied

Total Mods for this report: 37

SubCode: Building

1-Scope and Administration

Mod #
11962

Proponent
Rebecca Quinn obo
FL Div Emerg Mgmt

Chapter
Chapter 1

Section
107.3.5

Summary

Certain documentation is required for construction in flood hazard areas: elevation to which Lowest Floors are elevated, the elevation to which dry floodproofing will extend, and design of dry floodproofing. Proposal specifies use of FEMA certificates specifically designed for those purposes.

Denied

Comment

Schock Motion to Approve Comment A3 2nd Gascon
No Action taken on G1 in favor of A3.

Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

Support: Milad Shabanian (Stantec), Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF), and Scott McAdam (BOAF)

TAC Action

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2-Definitions

Mod #
11892

Proponent
Fernando Pages

Chapter
Chapter 2

Section
202

Summary

Including definitions for insulated vinyl siding and backed siding in the Florida Building Code is necessary to reflect advancements in siding products and ensure clear guidance for designers, contractors, and inspectors.

Denied

Comment

Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2nd Gascon
Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA), Shane Gerwig (FHBA) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF)

Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

TAC Action

<input type="checkbox"/> AS	<input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC
<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Mod #
11893

Proponent
Fernando Pages

Chapter
Chapter 2

Section
202

Summary

Add definition for exterior soffits.

Denied

Comment

Schock Motion to Approve Comment A2 2nd Gascon
Support: Eric Stafford (ICA)

Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

TAC Action

<input type="checkbox"/> AS	<input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC
<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

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<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12109	Jennifer Bridge	Chapter 2	202	Proposed revision to the definition of wind-borne debris region	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 for discussion 2 nd Kim Vote: 7 Yes – 5 No Fails Kim Motion to Reconsider 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Vacates previous decision. Kim Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Schock Vote: 9 Yes – 3 No Passes Support: Pataya Scott (IBHS), Milad Shabani (ICA, FCC, and AF), and Mike Silvers (FRSA) Opposition: Shane Gerwig (FAA and FHBA)					

14-Exterior Walls

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
11894	Fernando Pages	Chapter 14	1410	Remove the J-channel at the wall junction from the drawing, as it is not a required element, to prevent creating unnecessary code requirements.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabani (ICA) and Pataya Scott (IBHS)					

16-Structural Design

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
11976	Rebecca Quinn obo FL Div Emerg Mgmt	Chapter 16	1612.4	Rectifies disconnect with the NFIP minimum requirements that was created in the 2024 IBC (see 11175/S116-22 AMPC4). ASCE 24 has provisions for temporary structures (less than 180 days), which are Flood Design Class 1. They may be at-grade and 'wet floodproofed.' FEMA proposing same for 2027 IBC.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Deny 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No					

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12017	Rebecca Quinn obo FL Div Emerg Mgmt	Chapter 16	1612.4	Add provisions for structures in flood hazard areas other than buildings, including structures that are roofed but not walled. Such structures include pole barns, gazebos, platforms, boat shelters, and RV shade structures.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W
<u>Comment</u> Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF), Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF), and Milad Shabani (ICA)					

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<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12034	Jaime Gascon	Chapter 16	1612.4	Provides reference to an acceptable test standard to qualify passive flood resistant products based on performance testing.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Comment

More than one TAC – Primary TAC – Special Occupancy "D", Secondary TAC – Structural "AS"

 Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A2 2nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Gascon Motion to Deny Comment A1 2nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes = 0 No

Support: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) and Milad Shabanian (ICA) support A2

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12046	Jeanne Clarke	Chapter 16	1607	Changes live load requirements in parking garages from 40 psf to 55 psf to account for increased weight of electric vehicles	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Comment

 Barbosa Motion to Deny Comment A1 2nd Parrino Vote: 10 Yes – 2 No

Support: Pataya Scott (IBHS)
Opposition: Shane Gerwig (FAA)

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12298	Douglas Armstrong	Chapter 16	1604.5.3	This specialized code language will provide a systematic, accurate, and consistent approach to evaluating lightning risk for these essential uses and recommend protective measures.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Comment

 Schock Motion to Deny G6 2nd Rourk Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

Opposition: Jennifer Hatfield (NLPC) and Shane Gerwig (FAA)

17-Structural Tests and Special Inspections

<u>Mod #</u>	<u>Proponent</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>TAC Action</u>
12167	Milad Shabanian	Chapter 17	1709.5.1	Revise exterior windows and doors provision with focus on water intrusion.	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Comment

 Motion to Withdraw A1 and A2 in favor of handout which is a combined effort (Hatfield/Stafford) to approach this modification by proponents of A1 and A2 Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Mikkelsen Motion to Approve Handout 2nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA), Pataya Scott (IBHS), and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) supported the handout.

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TAC: Structural	27	Total Mods for Structural	in Denied	
Mod # 12274	Proponent Cade Booth	Chapter Chapter 23	Section 2304.10.8	Summary The proposed updates the FBC to include mass timber, aligning it with national standards and advancements in building science, fire safety, and structural integrity. Backed by extensive research and testing, this ensures clear enforcement, cost-effective compliance, and statewide consistency.
Comment	Schock Motion to Deny Comment G1 2 nd Parrino Vote: 8 Yes – 4 No Passes – Retains Denial Support: Bill Tobin (SLNA) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) Opposition: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Mike Silvers (FRSA)			
TAC Action	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W			
Mod # 12276	Proponent Cade Booth	Chapter Chapter 23	Section 2304.11.3	Summary The proposed updates the FBC to include mass timber, aligning it with national standards and advancements in building science, fire safety, and structural integrity. Backed by extensive research and testing, this ensures clear enforcement, cost-effective compliance, and statewide consistency.
Comment	Parrino Motion to Deny 2 nd Schock Vote: 7 Yes – 5 No Fails Kim Motion to Approve 2 nd McComber Vote: 7 Yes – 5 No Fails Support: Scott McAdam (BOAF) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) Opposition: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Mike Silvers (FRSA)			
TAC Action	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W			
Mod # 12277	Proponent Cade Booth	Chapter Chapter 23	Section 2304.11.4	Summary The proposed updates the FBC to include mass timber, aligning it with national standards and advancements in building science, fire safety, and structural integrity. Backed by extensive research and testing, this ensures clear enforcement, cost-effective compliance, and statewide consistency.
Comment	Kim Motion to Approve G1 2 nd McComber 8 Yes – 4 No Passes Support: Scott McAdam (BOAF) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) Opposition: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Mike Silvers (FRSA)			
TAC Action	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W			

24-Glass and Glazing

Mod # 12171	Proponent Milad Shabanian	Chapter Chapter 24	Section 2411.3.2.1	Summary Revise exterior windows and doors provision with focus on water intrusion.	Denied
Comment	Proponents request Motion to Withdraw A1 and A2 in favor of handout which is a combined effort (Hatfield/Stafford) to approach this modification by proponents of A1 and A2 Mikkelson Motion to Approve Handout 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Jennifer Hatfield (FGIA and BOAF) and Milad Shabanian (ICA)				TAC Action
TAC Action	<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W				

TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FIRST COMMENT PERIOD

Total Mods for this report: 37

TAC: Structural	27	Total Mods for Structural	in Denied	
Mod # 11967	Proponent Jennifer Hatfield	Chapter Chapter 35	Section 35	Summary On behalf of the Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance (FGIA), this modification provides standard updates for both AAMA and ASTM standards used in the fenestration industry.

Comment

Ruark Motion to Approve comment A1 2nd Schock Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No
Support: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF)

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<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

SubCode: Existing Building

4-Repairs

Mod # 12018	Proponent Rebecca Quinn obo FL Div Emerg Mgmt	Chapter Chapter 4	Section 401.5	Summary For clarity, carry into other codes the change made in 8th to require elevation of exterior equipment and exterior appliances that are damaged by flood (see FBC EB Sec. 701.3 and FBCR Sec. R322.1.6).	Denied
<u>Comment</u>	Schock Motion to Approve comment A2 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) and Scott McAdam (BOAF)				<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

SubCode: Residential

2-Definitions

Mod # 11869	Proponent Fernando Pages	Chapter Chapter 2	Section 202	Summary Add Backed Vinyl Siding to the code as a new category of vinyl siding, helping distinguish this product from Insulated Vinyl Siding.	Denied
<u>Comment</u>	Ruark Motion to Approve comment A2 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Mike Silvers (FRSA), Milad Shabanian (ICA), and Pataya Scott (IBHS) Opposition: Shane Gerwig (FAA and FHBA)				<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

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Total Mods for this report: 37

TAC: Structural 27 Total Mods for Structural in Denied

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Denied
12128	Jennifer Bridge	Chapter 2	202	Proposed revision to the definition of wind-borne debris region	
<u>Comment</u>					TAC Action
Parrino Motion to Deny comment A1 Dies for lack of 2 nd Schock Motion to Approve comment A1 2 nd McComber Vote: 9 Yes – 3 No Support: Mike Silvers (FRSA), Milad Shabanian (ICA), and Pataya Scott (IBHS) Opposition: Shane Gerwig (FAA and FHBA)					<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

3-Building Planning

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Denied
11963	Rebecca Quinn obo FL Div Emerg Mgmt	Chapter 3	322.1.10	Certain documentation is required to be submitted for residential construction in flood hazard areas to document the elevation to which Lowest Floors are elevated. The proposal specifies use of the FEMA Elevation Certificate that is specifically designed for those purposes.	
<u>Comment</u>					TAC Action
Schock Motion to Approve comment A1 2 nd Ruark Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF)					<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Denied
11984	Dallas Thiesen	Chapter 3	322.1.6	Updates requirements for pool and spa equipment installed in special flood hazard zones.	
<u>Comment</u>					TAC Action
Ruark Motion to Deny 2 nd Barbosa Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Opposition: Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF) and Shane Gerwig (FHBA)					<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

6-Wall Construction

Mod #	Proponent	Chapter	Section	Summary	Denied
12170	Milad Shabanian	Chapter 6	609.3	Revise exterior windows and doors provision with focus on water intrusion.	
<u>Comment</u>					TAC Action
Proponents request Motion to Withdraw A1 and A2 in favor of handout which is a combined effort (Hatfield/Stafford) to approach this modification Mikkelsen Motion to Approve Handout 2 nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA), Pataya Scott (IBHS) and Jennifer Hatfield (BOAF)					<input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AS/IC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AM/IC <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> D/IC <input type="checkbox"/> W

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TAC: Structural

27

Total Mods for Structural

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7-Wall Covering

Mod #
11871
Proponent
 Fernando Pages

Chapter
 Chapter 7

Section
 703.11.1

Summary

Change replaces the 16" OC stud fastening rule with a prescriptive table allowing tested fastener alternatives based on framing and sheathing. Backed by ASTM D5206 and engineering data, it permits ring shank nails where stud attachment is difficult, ensuring secure, code-compliant installation.

Denied

Comment

Ruark Motion to Approve Comment A2 2nd Schock
Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA)

TAC Action

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Mod #
11872
Proponent
 Fernando Pages

Chapter
 Chapter 7

Section
 703.11.1.5

Summary

This change adds to the recently added requirements with vinyl siding and the importance of starter strip and utility trim. Larger openings need additional connection points for the siding over the top, as this increases the performance of the siding system.

Denied

Comment

Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No
Support: Milad Shabanian (ICA) and Pataya Scott (IBHS)

TAC Action

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2712-Reference Standards

Mod #
11964
Proponent
 Jennifer Hatfield

Chapter
 Chapter 46

Section
 46

Summary

On behalf of the Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance (FGIA), this modification provides standard updates for both AAMA and ASTM standards used in the fenestration industry.

Denied

Comment

Schock Motion to Approve Comment A1 2nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

TAC Action

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Mod #
12077
Proponent
 Robert Zabcik

Chapter
 Chapter 46

Section
 1

Summary

Addition of ANSI/MCA FTS-1 Standard (FRC)

Denied

Comment

Compton Motion to Approve Comment G1 2nd Gascon Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No
Support: Mike Silvers (FRSA) and Milad Shabanian (ICA)

TAC Action

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Mod #
12040

Proponent
Jaime Gascon

Chapter
N/A

Section
204

Summary

New Testing Application Standard (TAS) 204 - Flood Resistant Test Procedures for passive in place system.

Denied

Comment

More than one TAC – Primary TAC – Special Occupancy “D”, Secondary TAC – Structural “AS”

Gascon Motion to Approve Comment A1 with original language 2nd Parrino Vote: 12 Yes – 0 No

TAC Action

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None.

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None.

Adjourn:

There being no further business before the Committee, Chairman Compton adjourned the meeting at 12:14 p.m.