

CITY OF GOOSE CREEK

BUILDING INSPECTION DIVISION

GENERAL DESIGN CRITERIA FOR CONSTRUCTION WITHIN THE CITY OF GOOSE CREEK

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Building codes are the latest edition of the International Codes, with SC modifications (https://llr.sc.gov/bcc/PDFfiles/2021-Modification-index.pdf), as adopted by the state of South Carolina, available at: https://llr.sc.gov/bcc/. Other codes include the latest edition of the A117.1 Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities, NFPA 70/National Electric Code, and the South Carolina Energy Standards Act that is based on the 2009 Edition of the IECC and ASHRAE 90.1.

GROUND SNOW LOAD	WIND DESIGN				SEISMIC	SUBJECT TO DAMAGE FROM			WINTER	ICE BRAEK		AIR	
	WIND SPEED	TOPOGRAPHIC EFFECTS	SPECIAL WIND REGION	WIND BORNE DEBRIS	DESIGN CATEGORY	WEATHERING	FROST LINE DEPTH	TERMITE	DESIGN TEMP	UNDER- LAYMENT REQUIRED	FLOOD HAZARD	FREEZE INDEX	MEAN ANNUAL TEMPERATURE
5	140+ MPH	NO	NO	YES	Residential D2 Commercial D	Modest	12"	Heavy	32 F	Yes	Yes	30 F	68.4 F

Commercial construction will be based off the ATC Hazards by Location available at: https://hazards.atcouncil.org/#/. Residential construction will be based on the SC LLR approved maps available at: https://llr.sc.gov/bcc/maps.aspx.

Be advised, the Building Official has the final authority to determine the wind speed at any location.

MANUAL "J" DESIGN CRITERIA LOCATION: CHARLESTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, SC, US

ALL TEMPERATURES ARE REFERENCED IN DEGREES FAHRENHEIT										
ELEVATION	LATITUDE	WINTER HEATING	SUMMER COOLING	ALTITUTE CORRECTION FACTOR	INDOOR DESIGN TEMP	DESIGN COOLING TEMP	HEATING TEMP DIFFERENCE			
49	33	28	92	1.0 (405)	75	75	40			
COOLING TEMP DIFFERENCE	WIND VELOCITY HEATING	WIND VELOCITY COOLING	COINCIDENT WET BULB	DAILY RANGE	WINTER HUMIDITY	SUMMER HUMIDITY				
17	15	7.5	77	16	50	50				