

# ELEVATION CERTIFICATE

**Important:** Follow the instructions on pages 1–9.

Copy all pages of this Elevation Certificate and all attachments for (1) community official, (2) insurance agent/company, and (3) building owner.

SECTION A – PROPERTY INFORMATION				FOR INSURANCE COMPANY USE	
A1. Building Owner's Name COZY BEACH COTTAGE, LP				Policy Number:	
A2. Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg. No.) or P.O. Route and Box No. 250 FLAMINGO ST.				Company NAIC Number:	
City FORT MYERS BEACH		State Florida		ZIP Code 33931	
A3. Property Description (Lot and Block Numbers, Tax Parcel Number, Legal Description, etc.) FLAMINGO PARK, BLK C, PB 9/PG 66, LOT 23                      STRAP: 34-46-24-W1-0010C.0230					
A4. Building Use (e.g., Residential, Non-Residential, Addition, Accessory, etc.) <u>RESIDENTIAL</u>					
A5. Latitude/Longitude: Lat. <u>26.4259967</u> Long. <u>-81.9035036000</u> Horizontal Datum: <input type="checkbox"/> NAD 1927 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAD 1983					
A6. Attach at least 2 photographs of the building if the Certificate is being used to obtain flood insurance.					
A7. Building Diagram Number <u>6</u>					
A8. For a building with a crawlspace or enclosure(s):					
a) Square footage of crawlspace or enclosure(s) <u>1,248</u> sq ft					
b) Number of permanent flood openings in the crawlspace or enclosure(s) within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>7</u>					
c) Total net area of flood openings in A8.b <u>1435</u> sq in					
d) Engineered flood openings? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
A9. For a building with an attached garage:					
a) Square footage of attached garage <u>N/A</u> sq ft					
b) Number of permanent flood openings in the attached garage within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>N/A</u>					
c) Total net area of flood openings in A9.b <u>N/A</u> sq in					
d) Engineered flood openings? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
SECTION B – FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) INFORMATION					
B1. NFIP Community Name & Community Number TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH & 120673			B2. County Name LEE		B3. State Florida
B4. Map/Panel Number 12071C/0567	B5. Suffix F	B6. FIRM Index Date 08/28/2008	B7. FIRM Panel Effective/ Revised Date 08/28/2008	B8. Flood Zone(s) AE	B9. Base Flood Elevation(s) (Zone AO, use Base Flood Depth) 10.0'
B10. Indicate the source of the Base Flood Elevation (BFE) data or base flood depth entered in Item B9: <input type="checkbox"/> FIS Profile <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FIRM <input type="checkbox"/> Community Determined <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Source: _____					
B11. Indicate elevation datum used for BFE in Item B9: <input type="checkbox"/> NGVD 1929 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAVD 1988 <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Source: _____					
B12. Is the building located in a Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) area or Otherwise Protected Area (OPA)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Designation Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> CBRS <input type="checkbox"/> OPA					



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## SECTION E – BUILDING ELEVATION INFORMATION (SURVEY NOT REQUIRED) FOR ZONE AO AND ZONE A (WITHOUT BFE)

For Zones AO and A (without BFE), complete Items E1–E5. If the Certificate is intended to support a LOMA or LOMR-F request, complete Sections A, B, and C. For Items E1–E4, use natural grade, if available. Check the measurement used. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.

- E1. Provide elevation information for the following and check the appropriate boxes to show whether the elevation is above or below the highest adjacent grade (HAG) and the lowest adjacent grade (LAG).
- a) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure) is \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the HAG.
- b) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure) is \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the LAG.
- E2. For Building Diagrams 6–9 with permanent flood openings provided in Section A Items 8 and/or 9 (see pages 1–2 of Instructions), the next higher floor (elevation C2.b in the diagrams) of the building is \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the HAG.
- E3. Attached garage (top of slab) is \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the HAG.
- E4. Top of platform of machinery and/or equipment servicing the building is \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the HAG.
- E5. Zone AO only: If no flood depth number is available, is the top of the bottom floor elevated in accordance with the community's floodplain management ordinance?  Yes  No  Unknown. The local official must certify this information in Section G.

## SECTION F – PROPERTY OWNER (OR OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE) CERTIFICATION

The property owner or owner's authorized representative who completes Sections A, B, and E for Zone A (without a FEMA-issued or community-issued BFE) or Zone AO must sign here. The statements in Sections A, B, and E are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Property Owner or Owner's Authorized Representative's Name

Address City State ZIP Code

Signature Date Telephone

Comments

Check here if attachments.

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## SECTION G – COMMUNITY INFORMATION (OPTIONAL)

The local official who is authorized by law or ordinance to administer the community's floodplain management ordinance can complete Sections A, B, C (or E), and G of this Elevation Certificate. Complete the applicable item(s) and sign below. Check the measurement used in Items G8–G10. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.

- G1.  The information in Section C was taken from other documentation that has been signed and sealed by a licensed surveyor, engineer, or architect who is authorized by law to certify elevation information. (Indicate the source and date of the elevation data in the Comments area below.)
- G2.  A community official completed Section E for a building located in Zone A (without a FEMA-issued or community-issued BFE) or Zone AO.
- G3.  The following information (Items G4–G10) is provided for community floodplain management purposes.

G4. Permit Number	G5. Date Permit Issued	G6. Date Certificate of Compliance/Occupancy Issued
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- G7. This permit has been issued for:  New Construction  Substantial Improvement
- G8. Elevation of as-built lowest floor (including basement) of the building: \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_
- G9. BFE or (in Zone AO) depth of flooding at the building site: \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_
- G10. Community's design flood elevation: \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_

Local Official's Name	Title
Community Name	Telephone
Signature	Date

Comments (including type of equipment and location, per C2(e), if applicable)

Check here if attachments.

# BUILDING PHOTOGRAPHS

See Instructions for Item A6.

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If using the Elevation Certificate to obtain NFIP flood insurance, affix at least 2 building photographs below according to the instructions for Item A6. Identify all photographs with date taken; "Front View" and "Rear View"; and, if required, "Right Side View" and "Left Side View." When applicable, photographs must show the foundation with representative examples of the flood openings or vents, as indicated in Section A8. If submitting more photographs than will fit on this page, use the Continuation Page.



Photo One

Photo One Caption-FRONT FINAL 12/5/2019



Photo Two

Photo Two Caption-RIGHT FINAL 12/5/2019

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Photo Three

Photo Three Caption-LEFT FINAL 12/5/2019



Photo Four

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Photo Five

Photo Five Caption

Photo Six

Photo Six Caption

# Certification of Engineered Flood Openings

In accordance with the Code of Federal Regulations for the National Flood Insurance Program

I hereby certify that the Crawl Space Door Systems flood vents 816CS, 1220CS, 1232CS, 1616CS, 1624CS, 1632CS, 2032CS, 2424CS, and 2436CS are designed in accordance with the requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations for the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) to provide automatic equalization of hydrostatic flood forces by allowing for the entry and exit of floodwaters, when properly installed and sized as set forth below. Vent opening measurements were measured and certified by Mr. Christopher Mark Loney, Virginia P.E. NO. 029000. Detailed calculations were prepared as outlined in "Review of certification of Engineered Flood Openings," prepared by Dr. Georg Reichard, Associate Professor of Building Construction, Virginia Tech (available upon request from Crawl Space Door Systems, Inc. billy@crawlspacedoors.com)

## Design Characteristics

Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24-05 provides an equation to determine the required net area of engineered openings ( $A_o$ ) for a given enclosed area ( $A_e$ ). This equation is based on the hydraulic formula for the flow rate across sharp edged orifices. I have utilized this equation to calculate 1) the restricted flow rate through the main frame opening in case the louver is blown out during a flood event; 2) the flow rate through the individual openings between louver blades; and 3) the flow rate through projected openings between louver blades following hydraulic short-tube theory. The maximum total enclosed area ( $A_e$ ) that can be serviced by a single vent has then been determined by utilizing the lowest flow rate of the three assessed scenarios for each vent and is listed in Table 1. These values are based on the following assumptions:

- In absence of reliable data, the rates of rise and fall have been assumed at a minimum rate of 5 feet/hour;
- The (maximum) difference between the exterior and interior floodwater levels shall not exceed 1 foot during base flood conditions;
- A factor of safety of 5 has been assumed, which is consistent with design practices related to protection of life and property;
- The net area of openings ( $A_o$ ) as provided by the manufacturer.

*)	Model	H x W [in]	$A_o$ [in <sup>2</sup> ]	$A_e$ [ft <sup>2</sup> ]
<input type="checkbox"/>	816CS	8 x 16	105	205
<input type="checkbox"/>	1220CS	12 x 20	235	500
<input type="checkbox"/>	1232CS	12 x 32	305	645
<input type="checkbox"/>	1616CS	16 x 16	180	395
<input type="checkbox"/>	1624CS	16 x 24	310	670
<input type="checkbox"/>	1632CS	16 x 32	405	835
<input type="checkbox"/>	2032CS	20 x 32	630	1240
<input type="checkbox"/>	2424CS	24 x 24	570	1230
<input type="checkbox"/>	2436CS	24 x 36	850	1765

## Installation Requirements and Limitations

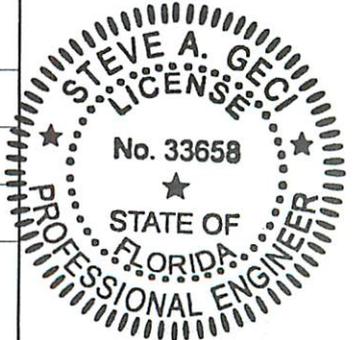
This certification will be voided if the following installation requirements and limitations are not enforced:

- There shall be a minimum of two openings on different sides of each enclosed area subject to flooding;
- The bottom of all openings shall be no higher than one foot above the higher of the interior or exterior grade that is immediately under each opening;
- No temporary (e.g. during cold weather) or permanent solid cover may be placed into or over the flood vent that would block the automatic entry or exit of floodwaters at any time;
- Where data or analyses indicate more rapid rates of rise and fall, the required number of openings shall be increased to account for those different conditions. The number or size of the openings may be decreased if data or analyses indicate rates of rise and fall are less than 5 feet per hour.

**Table 1** Maximum total enclosed area ( $A_e$ ) that can be serviced by each individual model based on the given net area of engineered openings ( $A_o$ )

## Certifying Design Professional

Name	Steve A. Geci	Title	President
Company	Geci & Associates Engineers, Inc.		
Address	2950 N 12 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Pensacola, FL 32503		
License	Florida	License No.	33658
Signature:		Date:	11/29/17



## Identification of the Building and Installed Flood Vents (By Others)

The flood vent models marked in Table 1\*) are being installed at the following building:

Building Address \_\_\_\_\_

# Plastic – No Rust or Rot Crawlspace Flood Vent for Homes (New Construction & Replacement)

*Easy Access • Modular Use • Can Be Painted*

## Flood Vent (No Cover)

One-piece ventplate with easy to insert vermin screen and fixed louver. Made of durable PVC/ABS plastic (no rust or rot) with a UV retardant treatment. FEMA compliant, engineered certified. No cover to allow the automatic entry and exit of floodwaters. Quick and easy to install.



	MODEL	HxW (in)	Net Area (in <sup>2</sup> )	Enclosed Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )
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- The bottom of the flood vent opening cannot be higher than 12 inches above grade.
- A minimum of two vents for each enclosed area (crawl space, garage, or rooms within a garage), and each flood vent must be on at least two different sides exterior walls.
- A minimum of one engineered square inch of opening for each square foot of enclosed area for an engineered flood vent. Or a minimum of one square inch of net open area for each square foot of enclosed area for non-engineered openings.
- An engineered certificate of flood openings is required for all engineered flood vents without ICC-ES certification.

MODEL	DOOR OPENING - H x W	TOTAL DIMENSION wth APPROXIMATE 3" FRAME
816CS	8" H x 16" W	1 1/2" Frame 11" H x 19" W
1220CS	12" H x 20" W	17 3/4" H x 26" W
1232CS	12" H x 32" W	17 3/4" H x 37 1/2" W
1616CS	16" H x 16" W	21 3/4" H x 21 3/4" W
1624CS	16" H x 24" W	21 3/4" H x 30" W
1632CS	16" H x 32" W	21 3/4" H x 37 1/2" W
2032CS	20" H x 32" W	25 1/2" H x 37 3/4" W
2424CS	24" H x 24" W	29 3/4" H x 30" W
2436CS	24" H x 36" W	29 3/4" H x 41 3/4" W

- All Flood Vents are surface mount – meaning they mount over the foundation opening
- All Flood Vents are paintable with a plastic adherent paint. We suggest Krylon Spray Paint and wait an hour then use Krylon Clear Coat for a lasting finish
- The frame / flange can be trimmed if needed since our Flood Vents are made of durable ABS Plastic
- All Flood Vents come with mounting hardware, frame, screen and louver
- To remove the louver just pull the pins out of the left and right side if you need access to the crawlspace