



November 2, 2018

RE: CERTIFICATION LETTER

Project/Job # 604008  
Project Address:

Guzinski Residence  
8917 Wheeler Dr  
Orland Park, IL 60462

AHJ  
SC Office

Orland Park village  
Chicago-Temp

**Design Criteria:**

- Applicable Codes = 2015 IEBC/IBC, 2015 IRC, ASCE 7-10, and 2015 NDS
- Risk Category = II
- Wind Speed = 115 mph, Exposure Category C, Partially/Fully Enclosed Method
- Ground Snow Load = 30 psf
- MP1: Roof DL = 8.5 psf, Roof LL/SL = 30 psf
- MP3: Roof DL = 7.5 psf, Roof LL/SL = 30 psf
- MP5: Roof DL = 7.5 psf, Roof LL/SL = 30 psf

Note: Per IBC 1613.1; Seismic check is not required because  $S_s = 0.18493 < 0.4g$  and Seismic Design Category (SDC) = B < D

To Whom It May Concern,

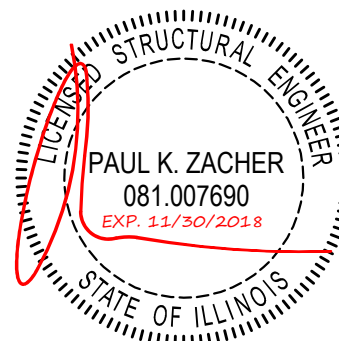
A jobsite survey of the existing framing system of the address indicated above was performed by a site survey team from Tesla. Structural evaluation was based on site observations and the design criteria listed above.

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

Additionally, I certify that the PV module assembly including all standoffs supporting it have been reviewed to be in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications and to meet and/or exceed all requirements set forth by the referenced codes for loading.

The PV assembly hardware specifications are contained in the plans/docs submitted for approval.

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## HARDWARE DESIGN AND STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS RESULTS SUMMARY TABLES

Landscape Hardware	Hardware - Landscape Modules' Standoff Specifications					
	X-X Spacing	X-X Cantilever	Y-Y Spacing	Y-Y Cantilever	Configuration	Uplift DCR
MP1	48"	24"	41"	NA	Staggered	31.6%
MP3	48"	24"	41"	NA	Staggered	28.0%
MP5	48"	24"	41"	NA	Staggered	28.0%

Portrait Hardware	Hardware - Portrait Modules' Standoff Specifications					
	X-X Spacing	X-X Cantilever	Y-Y Spacing	Y-Y Cantilever	Configuration	Uplift DCR
MP1	48"	20"	62"	NA	Staggered	47.8%
MP3	48"	20"	62"	NA	Staggered	42.3%
MP5	48"	20"	62"	NA	Staggered	42.3%

Mounting Plane	Roof Pitch	Qualification Results
	(Degrees)	Member Evaluation Results
MP1	26°	Member Analysis OK
MP3	26°	Member Analysis OK
MP5	26°	Member Analysis OK

## STRUCTURE ANALYSIS - LOADING SUMMARY AND MEMBER CHECK - MP1

Member Loading Summary					
Roof Pitch	6/12	Initial	Pitch Adjust	Non-PV Areas	PV Areas
Roof Dead Load	DL	8.5 psf	x 1.11	9.5 psf	9.5 psf
PV Dead Load	PV-DL	3.0 psf	x 1.11		3.3 psf
Roof Live Load	RLL	20.0 psf	x 0.90	18.0 psf	
Live/Snow Load	LL/SL <sup>1,2</sup>	30.0 psf	x 1   x 1	30.0 psf	30.0 psf
<b>Total Load (Governing LC)</b>	<b>TL</b>			<b>39.5 psf</b>	<b>42.8 psf</b>

Notes: 1. ps = Cs\*pf; Cs -roof, Cs -pv per ASCE 7 [Figure 7-2] 2. pf = 0.7 (C<sub>e</sub>) (C<sub>t</sub>) (I<sub>s</sub>) p<sub>g</sub>; C<sub>e</sub>=0.9, C<sub>t</sub>=1.1, I<sub>s</sub>=1.0

Member Analysis Results Summary					
Governing Analysis	Max Moment	@ Location	Capacity	DCR	Result
(-) Bending Stress (psi)	-659.5	17.0 ft	-649.9	101%	Pass

## ZEP HARDWARE DESIGN CALCULATIONS - MP1

### Mounting Plane Information

Roofing Material		Comp Roof	
Roof Slope		26°	
Framing Type / Direction		Y-Y Rafters	
PV System Type		SolarCity SleekMount™	
Zep System Type		ZS Comp	
Standoff (Attachment Hardware)		Comp Mount SRV	
Spanning Vents		No	

### Wind Design Criteria

Design Code	IBC 2015	ASCE 7-10	
Wind Design Method		Partially/Fully Enclosed Method	
Ultimate Wind Speed	V-Ult	115 mph	Fig. 1609A
Exposure Category		C	Section 26.7
Roof Style		Gable Roof	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Mean Roof Height	h	25 ft	Section 26.2

### Wind Pressure Calculation Coefficients

Wind Pressure Exposure	K <sub>z</sub>	0.95	Table 30.3-1
Topographic Factor	K <sub>zt</sub>	1.00	Section 26.8
Wind Directionality Factor	K <sub>d</sub>	0.85	Section 26.6-1
Importance Factor	I	NA	
Velocity Pressure	q <sub>h</sub>	q <sub>h</sub> = 0.00256 (K <sub>z</sub> ) (K <sub>zt</sub> ) (K <sub>d</sub> ) (V <sup>2</sup> ) 27.2 psf	Equation 30.3-1

		Wind Pressure	
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Up)	GC <sub>p</sub> (Up)	-0.88	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Down)	GC <sub>p</sub> (Down)	0.45	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Design Wind Pressure	p	p = q <sub>h</sub> (GC <sub>p</sub> )	Equation 30.4-1
Wind Pressure Up	p <sub>(up)</sub>	-23.8 psf	
Wind Pressure Down	p <sub>(down)</sub>	16.0 psf	

## ALLOWABLE STANDOFF SPACINGS

		X-Direction	Y-Direction
Max Allowable Standoff Spacing	Landscape	48"	41"
Max Allowable Cantilever	Landscape	24"	NA
Standoff Configuration	Landscape	Staggered	
Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	14 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
Net Wind Uplift at Standoff	T-actual	-173 lbs	
Uplift Capacity of Standoff	T-allow	548 lbs	
Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	31.6%	

		X-Direction	Y-Direction
Max Allowable Standoff Spacing	Portrait	48"	62"
Max Allowable Cantilever	Portrait	20"	NA
Standoff Configuration	Portrait	Staggered	
Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	21 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
Net Wind Uplift at Standoff	T-actual	-262 lbs	
Uplift Capacity of Standoff	T-allow	548 lbs	
Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	47.8%	

## STRUCTURE ANALYSIS - LOADING SUMMARY AND MEMBER CHECK - MP3

Member Loading Summary					
Roof Pitch	6/12	Initial	Pitch Adjust	Non-PV Areas	PV Areas
Roof Dead Load	DL	7.5 psf	x 1.11	8.3 psf	8.3 psf
PV Dead Load	PV-DL	3.0 psf	x 1.11		3.3 psf
Roof Live Load	RLL	20.0 psf	x 0.90	18.0 psf	
Live/Snow Load	LL/SL <sup>1,2</sup>	30.0 psf	x 1   x 1	30.0 psf	30.0 psf
<b>Total Load (Governing LC)</b>	<b>TL</b>			<b>38.3 psf</b>	<b>41.7 psf</b>

Notes: 1. ps = Cs\*pf; Cs -roof, Cs -pv per ASCE 7 [Figure 7-2] 2. pf = 0.7 (C<sub>e</sub>) (C<sub>t</sub>) (I<sub>s</sub>) p<sub>g</sub>; C<sub>e</sub>=0.9, C<sub>t</sub>=1.1, I<sub>s</sub>=1.0

Member Analysis Results Summary					
Governing Analysis	Max Moment	@ Location	Capacity	DCR	Result
(+) Bending Stress (psi)	1,408.5	8.2 ft	1,461.4	96%	Pass

## ZEP HARDWARE DESIGN CALCULATIONS - MP3

### Mounting Plane Information

Roofing Material		Comp Roof	
Roof Slope		26°	
Framing Type / Direction		Y-Y Rafters	
PV System Type		SolarCity SleekMount™	
Zep System Type		ZS Comp	
Standoff (Attachment Hardware)		Comp Mount SRV	
Spanning Vents		No	

### Wind Design Criteria

Design Code	IBC 2015	ASCE 7-10	
Wind Design Method		Partially/Fully Enclosed Method	
Ultimate Wind Speed	V-Ult	115 mph	Fig. 1609A
Exposure Category		C	Section 26.7
Roof Style		Gable Roof	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Mean Roof Height	h	15 ft	Section 26.2

### Wind Pressure Calculation Coefficients

Wind Pressure Exposure	$K_z$	0.85	Table 30.3-1
Topographic Factor	$K_{zt}$	1.00	Section 26.8
Wind Directionality Factor	$K_d$	0.85	Section 26.6-1
Importance Factor	I	NA	
Velocity Pressure	$q_h$	$q_h = 0.00256 (K_z) (K_{zt}) (K_d) (V^2)$ 24.4 psf	Equation 30.3-1

		Wind Pressure	
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Up)	$GC_p$ (Up)	-0.88	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Down)	$GC_p$ (Down)	0.45	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Design Wind Pressure	p	$p = q_h (GC_p)$	Equation 30.4-1
Wind Pressure Up	$p_{(up)}$	-21.4 psf	
Wind Pressure Down	$p_{(down)}$	16.0 psf	

## ALLOWABLE STANDOFF SPACINGS

		X-Direction	Y-Direction
Max Allowable Standoff Spacing	Landscape	48"	41"
Max Allowable Cantilever	Landscape	24"	NA
Standoff Configuration	Landscape	Staggered	
Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	14 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
Net Wind Uplift at Standoff	T-actual	-153 lbs	
Uplift Capacity of Standoff	T-allow	548 lbs	
Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	28.0%	

		X-Direction	Y-Direction
Max Allowable Standoff Spacing	Portrait	48"	62"
Max Allowable Cantilever	Portrait	20"	NA
Standoff Configuration	Portrait	Staggered	
Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	21 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
Net Wind Uplift at Standoff	T-actual	-232 lbs	
Uplift Capacity of Standoff	T-allow	548 lbs	
Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	42.3%	

## STRUCTURE ANALYSIS - LOADING SUMMARY AND MEMBER CHECK - MP5

Member Loading Summary					
Roof Pitch	6/12	Initial	Pitch Adjust	Non-PV Areas	PV Areas
Roof Dead Load	DL	7.5 psf	x 1.11	8.3 psf	8.3 psf
PV Dead Load	PV-DL	3.0 psf	x 1.11		3.3 psf
Roof Live Load	RLL	20.0 psf	x 0.90	18.0 psf	
Live/Snow Load	LL/SL <sup>1,2</sup>	30.0 psf	x 1   x 1	30.0 psf	30.0 psf
<b>Total Load (Governing LC)</b>	<b>TL</b>			<b>38.3 psf</b>	<b>41.7 psf</b>

Notes: 1. ps = Cs\*pf; Cs -roof, Cs -pv per ASCE 7 [Figure 7-2] 2. pf = 0.7 (C<sub>e</sub>) (C<sub>t</sub>) (I<sub>s</sub>) p<sub>g</sub>; C<sub>e</sub>=0.9, C<sub>t</sub>=1.1, I<sub>s</sub>=1.0

Member Analysis Results Summary					
Governing Analysis	Max Moment	@ Location	Capacity	DCR	Result
(+) Bending Stress (psi)	1,122.1	7.6 ft	1,461.4	77%	Pass

## ZEP HARDWARE DESIGN CALCULATIONS - MP5

### Mounting Plane Information

Roofing Material		Comp Roof	
Roof Slope		26°	
Framing Type / Direction		Y-Y Rafters	
PV System Type		SolarCity SleekMount™	
Zep System Type		ZS Comp	
Standoff (Attachment Hardware)		Comp Mount SRV	
Spanning Vents		No	

### Wind Design Criteria

Design Code	IBC 2015	ASCE 7-10	
Wind Design Method		Partially/Fully Enclosed Method	
Ultimate Wind Speed	V-Ult	115 mph	Fig. 1609A
Exposure Category		C	Section 26.7
Roof Style		Gable Roof	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Mean Roof Height	h	15 ft	Section 26.2

### Wind Pressure Calculation Coefficients

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Topographic Factor	K <sub>zt</sub>	1.00	Section 26.8
Wind Directionality Factor	K <sub>d</sub>	0.85	Section 26.6-1
Importance Factor	I	NA	
Velocity Pressure	q <sub>h</sub>	q <sub>h</sub> = 0.00256 (K <sub>z</sub> ) (K <sub>zt</sub> ) (K <sub>d</sub> ) (V <sup>2</sup> ) 24.4 psf	Equation 30.3-1

		Wind Pressure	
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Up)	GC <sub>p</sub> (Up)	-0.88	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Ext. Pressure Coefficient (Down)	GC <sub>p</sub> (Down)	0.45	Fig. 30.4-2A/B/C-5A/B
Design Wind Pressure	p	p = q <sub>h</sub> (GC <sub>p</sub> )	Equation 30.4-1
Wind Pressure Up	p <sub>(up)</sub>	-21.4 psf	
Wind Pressure Down	p <sub>(down)</sub>	16.0 psf	

## ALLOWABLE STANDOFF SPACINGS

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Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	14 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
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Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	28.0%	

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Standoff Configuration	Portrait	Staggered	
Max Standoff Tributary Area	Trib	21 sf	
PV Assembly Dead Load	W-PV	3.0 psf	
Net Wind Uplift at Standoff	T-actual	-232 lbs	
Uplift Capacity of Standoff	T-allow	548 lbs	
Standoff Demand/Capacity	DCR	42.3%	