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PROJECT:

NEW TWO STOREY RESIDENTIAL BUILDING:

CANNINGTON AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR SENIORS

100 McKay Street, Cannington, Ontario

PROJECT NO:

16-16

**SUBJECT:** 

RFI NO: 6

DATE:

August 20, 2018

## Area/Description/Subject:

Structural

## Reference Drawings/Specification No:

Structural drawings S2.1, S2.2 & S3.1

## **Information Requested:**

As per item 2.1.11 in the rough carpentry specification you state 'seismic anchors, supports and accessories in accordance with reviewed shop drawings'. There aren't many anchors/brackets shown on the architectural to structural drawings. It is difficult to quantify the amount of brackets specifically for seismic requirements as this could be very expensive. Are the brackets/anchors shown on the architectural to structural drawings sufficient to qualify for seismic?

Just to clarify, no shear walls are displayed, therefore aren't required?

## Response:

Anchorage to the block walls are specified on Note 5 on S2.0, Note 5 on S3.0, as well as Sections on S2.1, S2.2 and S3.1.

The concrete block walls are performing as shear walls.