



**SURVEY OF CONSTRUCTION  
SINGLE-FAMILY BUILDINGS**

**TO BE COMPLETED BY CENSUS FIELD REPRESENTATIVE**

Address or location of building  <b>SAMPLE FORM</b>							Builder/Owner		PSU	
							Project Name		BPOID	
Building permit number	Permit Issued:	Month	Day	Year	Block	Lot	Serving post office, State, ZIP Code		RO	

**TO BE COMPLETED BY RESPONDENT**

<b>START_DATE</b>		Month	Year	<b>FRAMING</b>						
When did excavation start for the footings or foundation of this house?				What primary material is being used for the framing of this house?						
<b>EXCOMP_DATE</b>		Month	Year	1 <input type="checkbox"/> Wood						
When do you expect to complete this house?				2 <input type="checkbox"/> Steel						
<b>COMP_DATE</b>		Month	Year	3 <input type="checkbox"/> Concrete/masonry other than insulated concrete forms						
When was this house completed or occupied?				4 <input type="checkbox"/> Insulated concrete forms OR SIP						
<b>SALE_CATEGORY</b>				<b>FOUNDATION</b>						
Is this house being built –				What type of foundation will this house have?						
1 <input type="checkbox"/> for sale or is it already sold?				1 <input type="checkbox"/> Full or partial basement						
2 <input type="checkbox"/> for the owner by a contractor on the owner's land?				<b>Will part or all of this basement be finished?</b>						
3 <input type="checkbox"/> on owner's land entirely by owner?				1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Skip to <b>BASEMENTSQFOOT</b>						
4 <input type="checkbox"/> for rent?				2 <input type="checkbox"/> No – Skip to <b>TOTALSQFOOT</b>						
5 <input type="checkbox"/> as part of Habitat for Humanity?				2 <input type="checkbox"/> Crawl space						
} Skip to <b>ASSOCIATION</b>				3 <input type="checkbox"/> Slab						
				4 <input type="checkbox"/> Raised supports (pilings, piers, etc.)						
<b>DEPOSIT</b>				5 <input type="checkbox"/> Other – Specify _____ } Skip to <b>TOTALSQFOOT</b>						
Was a deposit taken or a sales agreement signed for this house?				<b>BASEMENTSQFOOT</b>						
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes				What will be the square foot area of the finished part of the basement? _____						
2 <input type="checkbox"/> No				<b>TOTALSQFOOT</b>						
3 <input type="checkbox"/> This a model home } Skip to <b>CONDO</b>				What will be the square foot area of completely finished floor space, including finished areas of the basement and attic? _____						
<b>DEPOSIT_DATE</b>			Month	Year	<b>DIMENSQFOOT</b>					
When was a deposit taken or a sales agreement signed?					Is the square footage based on interior or exterior dimensions?					
<b>CONDO</b>				1 <input type="checkbox"/> Interior      2 <input type="checkbox"/> Exterior						
Will this house be part of a condominium project?				<b>LOT_MEASUREMENT</b>						
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      2 <input type="checkbox"/> No				What is the size of the individual lot on which the house is being built? _____						
<b>ASSOCIATION</b>				<b>STORIES</b>						
Will this house be part of a community or homeowner's association?				How many stories, not including the basement, will be in this house? _____						
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      2 <input type="checkbox"/> No										
<b>DEVELOPMENT</b>										
Will this house be in a development that is age-restricted?										
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      2 <input type="checkbox"/> No										
<b>DETACHED</b>										
Will this house be –										
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Detached?      2 <input type="checkbox"/> Attached?										
<b>MANUFACTURE</b>										
Will this house be –										
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Modular?      3 <input type="checkbox"/> Precut?										
2 <input type="checkbox"/> Panelized?      4 <input type="checkbox"/> Site-built?										

**PLEASE CONTINUE ON REVERSE SIDE**

**FOYER**

Will this house have a two-story foyer?  
 1  Yes      2  No

How many of the following will be in this house?

Bedrooms  **BEDROOMS**

Full Bathrooms  **FULLBATHS**

Half Bathrooms  **HALFBATHS**

Fireplaces  **FIREPLACES**

**LAUNDRY**

Where will the washer and dryer connections be located in this house?

1  In the basement  
 2  On the first floor  
 3  On the second or higher floor  
 4  In the garage or carport  
 5  No connection planned  
 6  Multiple locations

**PRIMARYWALL**

Which wall material will cover **most** of the house when it is completed?

2  Vinyl siding (including vinyl-covered aluminum)  
 3  Stucco  
 4  Brick or brick veneer  
 5  Fiber cement siding (such as Hardiplank or Hardiboard)  
 6  Wood or wood products  
 7  Stone, rock, or other stone materials  
 8  Poured concrete or concrete block  
 9  Other – Specify

**PARKING**

What type of parking will this house have?

1  A garage for 1 car  
 2  A garage for 2 cars  
 3  A garage for 3 or more cars  
 4  A carport  
 5  Other off-street parking (driveway with no garage or carport)  
 6  None of the above

Will this house have any of the following?

Decks    1  Yes    2  No    **DECKS**

Patios    1  Yes    2  No    **PATIOS**

Porches    1  Yes    2  No    **PORCHES**

**PRIMARYSYSTEM**

Which heating system will be used **most** in this house?

2  Heat pump, air source (including reverse-cycle AC)  
 3  Heat pump, ground source (geothermal)  
 4  Forced air furnace without heat pump  
 5  Hot water or steam (including hydronic systems)  
 6  Electric baseboard (including heat strips and wall panels)  
 7  Fireplace with insert  
 8  Solid fuel burning stove (including wood or coal stoves)  
 9  Liquid fuel burning stove  
 10  Passive solar system  
 11  No heat – Skip to **AIRCONDITIONING**  
 12  Other – Specify

**PRIMARYSOURCE**

What fuel will be used **most** for heating this house?

1  Electricity  
 2  Natural gas  
 3  Bottled or liquified petroleum gas (including propane)  
 4  Oil (including heating oil or kerosene)  
 5  Wood (including pellets)  
 6  Solar  
 7  Coal  
 8  Other – Specify

**AIRCONDITIONING**

Will this house have central air conditioning?  
 1  Yes      2  No

**WATER**

What water supply source will be used for this house?

1  Public water (including community or shared water supply/well)  
 2  Individual well  
 3  Other – Specify

**SEWAGE**

What sewage disposal system will be used for this house?

1  Public sewers (including community or shared sewage/septic system)  
 2  Individual septic system  
 3  Other – Specify

**SALE PRICE** or **CONTRACT PRICE**

What is the sales price or contract price for this house? \$

**LOT VALUE**

What is the current market value of the improved lot? \$

**FINANCING**

What type of financing was or will be arranged?

1  Conventional  
 2  FHA  
 3  VA  
 4  Cash  
 5  Other – Specify

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