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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
Federal Emergency Management Agency  
National Flood Insurance Program

# ELEVATION CERTIFICATE

OMB No. 1660-0008  
Expires March 31, 2012

Important: Read the instructions on pages 1-9.

## SECTION A - PROPERTY INFORMATION

A1. Building Owner's Name <u>JOHN &amp; JUDITH HAYES</u>		For Insurance Company Use:
A2. Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg. No.) or P.O. Route and Box No. <u>596 HALVARD LANE</u>		Policy Number
City <u>LONGBOAT KEY</u> State <u>FL</u> ZIP Code <u>34228</u>		Company NAIC Number
A3. Property Description (Lot and Block Numbers, Tax Parcel Number, Legal Description, etc.) <u>LOT 7 BLOCK A, COUNTRY CLUB SHORES UNIT 4.</u>		
A4. Building Use (e.g., Residential, Non-Residential, Addition, Accessory, etc.) <u>RESIDENTIAL</u>		
A5. Latitude/Longitude: Lat. <u>27° 20' 46.43"</u> Long. <u>82° 35' 54.84"</u> Horizontal Datum: <input type="checkbox"/> NAD 1927 <input 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>1B</u>		
A8. For a building with a crawlspace or enclosure(s):		A9. For a building with an attached garage:
a) Square footage of crawlspace or enclosure(s) <u>NA</u> sq ft		a) Square footage of attached garage <u>550</u> sq ft
b) No. of permanent flood openings in the crawlspace or enclosure(s) within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>0</u>		b) No. of permanent flood openings in the attached garage within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>16</u>
c) Total net area of flood openings in A8.b <u>0</u> sq in		c) Total net area of flood openings in A9.b <u>2048</u> sq in
d) Engineered flood openings? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		d) Engineered flood openings? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

## SECTION B - FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) INFORMATION

B1. NFIP Community Name & Community Number <u>LONGBOAT KEY 125126</u>		B2. County Name <u>SARASOTA</u>	B3. State <u>FL</u>
B4. Map/Panel Number <u>125126-0010</u>	B5. Suffix <u>B</u>	B6. FIRM Index Date <u>5-18-92</u>	B7. FIRM Panel Effective/Revised Date <u>9-15-83</u>
B8. Flood Zone(s) <u>A13</u>		B9. Base Flood Elevation(s) (Zone AO, use base flood depth) <u>11.0'</u>	

B10. Indicate the source of the Base Flood Elevation (BFE) data or base flood depth entered in Item B9.  
 FIS Profile  FIRM Community Determined  Other (Describe) \_\_\_\_\_

B11. Indicate elevation datum used for BFE in Item B9:  NGVD 1929  NAVD 1988  Other (Describe) \_\_\_\_\_

B12. Is the building located in a Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) area or Otherwise Protected Area (OPA)?  
 Designation Date \_\_\_\_\_  CBRS  OPA  Yes  No

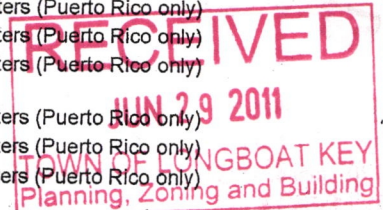
## SECTION C - BUILDING ELEVATION INFORMATION (SURVEY REQUIRED)

C1. Building elevations are based on:  Construction Drawings\*  Building Under Construction\*  Finished Construction  
 \*A new Elevation Certificate will be required when construction of the building is complete.

C2. Elevations - Zones A1-A30, AE, AH, A (with BFE), VE, V1-V30, V (with BFE), AR, AR/A, AR/AE, AR/A1-A30, AR/AH, AR/AO. Complete Items C2.a-h below according to the building diagram specified in Item A7. Use the same datum as the BFE.  
 Benchmark Utilized SARASOTA COUNTY Vertical Datum NGVD  
 Conversion/Comments NONE

a) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure floor)	<u>12 12 1/2</u> feet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
b) Top of the next higher floor	<u>NA</u> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
c) Bottom of the lowest horizontal structural member (V Zones only)	<u>NA</u> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
d) Attached garage (top of slab)	<u>9 8 5/8</u> feet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
e) Lowest elevation of machinery or equipment servicing the building (Describe type of equipment and location in Comments)	<u>12 2</u> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
f) Lowest adjacent (finished) grade next to building (LAG)	<u>8 9</u> feet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters (Puerto Rico only)
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Check the measurement used.

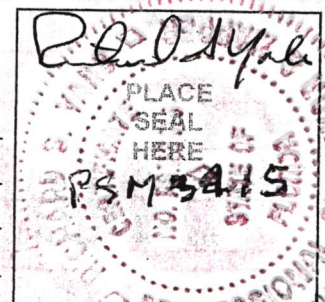


## SECTION D - SURVEYOR, ENGINEER, OR ARCHITECT CERTIFICATION

This certification is to be signed and sealed by a land surveyor, engineer, or architect authorized by law to certify elevation information. I certify that the information on this Certificate represents my best efforts to interpret the data available. I understand that any false statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment under 18 U.S. Code, Section 1001.

Check here if comments are provided on back of form. Were latitude and longitude in Section A provided by a licensed land surveyor?  Yes  No

Certifier's Name <u>RICHARD S. YARB</u>	License Number <u>PSM 3415</u>
Title <u>PSM</u>	Company Name <u>R. S. YARB SURVEYING</u>
Address <u>1306 35th St W</u>	City <u>BRADENTON</u>
State <u>FL</u>	ZIP Code <u>34205</u>
Signature <u>Richard S. Yarb</u>	Date <u>2-24-11</u>
Telephone <u>941 798-4500</u>	



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For Insurance Company Use

Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg. No.) or P.O. Route and Box No.

Policy Number

596 HALYARD LANE

City LONGBOAT KEY

State FL

ZIP Code

32228

Company NAIC Number

**SECTION D - SURVEYOR, ENGINEER, OR ARCHITECT CERTIFICATION (CONTINUED)**

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

Comments C2e AIR CONDITIONER WEST

Signature [Signature]

Date 2-24-11

Check here if attachments

**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.
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- E2. For Building Diagrams 6-9 with permanent flood openings provided in Section A Items 8 and/or 9 (see pages 8-9 of Instructions), the next higher floor (elevation C2.b in the diagrams) of the building is \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters  above or  below the HAG.
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- 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's or Owner's Authorized Representative's Name

Address City State ZIP Code

Signature Date Telephone

Comments

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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 and G9.

- 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-G9) 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 (PR) Datum \_\_\_\_\_
- G9. BFE or (in Zone AO) depth of flooding at the building site \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters (PR) Datum \_\_\_\_\_
- G10. Community's design flood elevation \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters (PR) Datum \_\_\_\_\_

Local Official's Name Title

Community Name Telephone

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City: LONGBOAT KEY State: FL ZIP Code: 34228

A3. Property Description (Lot and Block Numbers, Tax Parcel Number, Legal Description, etc.): LOT 7 BLOCK A COUNTRY CLUB SHORES UNIT 4

A4. Building Use (e.g., Residential, Non-Residential, Addition, Accessory, etc.): RESIDENTIAL

A5. Latitude/Longitude: Lat. 27° 20' 46.43" Long. 82° 35' 52.81" Horizontal Datum:  NAD 1927  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: 1B

A8. For a building with a crawlspace or enclosure(s):  
a) Square footage of crawlspace or enclosure(s): NA sq ft  
b) No. of permanent flood openings in the crawlspace or enclosure(s) within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade: 0  
c) Total net area of flood openings in A8.b: 0 sq in  
d) Engineered flood openings?  Yes  No

A9. For a building with an attached garage:  
a) Square footage of attached garage: 550 sq ft  
b) No. of permanent flood openings in the attached garage within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade: 3  
c) Total net area of flood openings in A9.b: 2000 sq in  
d) Engineered flood openings?  Yes  No 600

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Conversion/Comments: NONE

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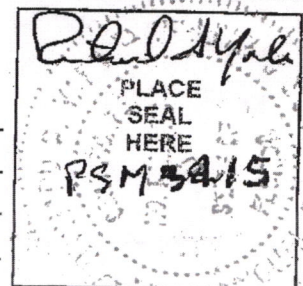
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Title: PSM Company Name: R.S. YARB SURVEYING

Address: 1306 35th St W City: BRAEDENTON State: FL ZIP Code: 34205

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

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G10. Community's design flood elevation \_\_\_\_\_  feet  meters (PR) Datum \_\_\_\_\_

Local Official's Name Darin D. Cushing Title Building Official

Community Name Town of Longboat Key Telephone 941-516-1966

Signature D. D. C. Date 9-25-14

Comments Added Bldg Photos - A9b & A9c changed to reflect Engineered opening Area & Number

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City Longboat Key	State FL	ZIP Code 34228	Company NAIC Number:

If submitting more photographs than will fit on the preceding page, affix the additional photographs below. 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.



**ICC-ES Evaluation Report****ESR-2074 FBC Supplement**

Issued July 2013

*This report is subject to renewal February 1, 2015.*[www.icc-es.org](http://www.icc-es.org) | (800) 423-6587 | (562) 699-0543*A Subsidiary of the International Code Council®*

DIVISION: 08 00 00—OPENINGS

Section: 08 95 43—Vents/Foundation Flood Vents

**REPORT HOLDER:****SMARTVENT PRODUCTS, INC.**  
430 ANDBRO DRIVE, UNIT 1  
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(877) 441-8368[www.smartvent.com](http://www.smartvent.com)  
[info@smartvent.com](mailto:info@smartvent.com)**EVALUATION SUBJECT:****SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS: FLOODVENT™ MODEL #1540-520; FLOODVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1540-521; SMARTVENT™ MODEL #1540-510; SMARTVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1540-511; WOOD WALL FLOOD MODEL #1540-570; WOOD WALL FLOOD OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-574; FLOODVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-524; SMARTVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-514****1.0 REPORT PURPOSE AND SCOPE****Purpose:**

The purpose of this evaluation report supplement is to indicate that Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, recognized in ICC-ES master report ESR-2074, have also been evaluated for compliance with the codes noted below.

**Applicable code editions:**

- 2010 Florida Building Code—Building (FBC)
- 2010 Florida Building Code—Residential (FRC)

**2.0 CONCLUSIONS**

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the master evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with the FBC and the FRC, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the *International Building Code®* provisions noted in the master report.

Use of the Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents has also been found to be in compliance with the High-Velocity Hurricane Zone provisions of the FBC and the FRC for structures not subject to FBC Section 2326.3.1 or FRC Section 4409.13.3.1, as applicable.

For products falling under Florida Rule 9N-3, verification that the report holder's quality assurance program is audited by a quality assurance entity approved by the Florida Building Commission for the type of inspections being conducted is the responsibility of an approved validation entity (or the code official when the report holder does not possess an approval by the Commission).

This supplement expires concurrently with the master report reissued December 1, 2012, revised June 2014.

**ICC-ES Evaluation Report**
**ESR-2074\***

Reissued December 2012

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[www.smartvent.com](http://www.smartvent.com)  
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**EVALUATION SUBJECT:**
**SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS:**  
**FLOODVENT™ MODEL #1540-520; FLOODVENT™**  
**STACKING MODEL #1540-521; SMARTVENT™ MODEL**  
**#1540-510; SMARTVENT™ STACKING MODEL #1540-511;**  
**WOOD WALL FLOOD MODEL #1540-570; WOOD WALL**  
**FLOOD OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-574;**  
**FLOODVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-524;**  
**SMARTVENT™ OVERHEAD DOOR MODEL #1540-514**
**1.0 EVALUATION SCOPE**

Compliance with the following codes:

- 2009 and 2006 *International Building Code*® (IBC)
- 2009 and 2006 *International Residential Code*® (IRC)

Properties evaluated:

- Physical operation
- Water flow

**2.0 USES**

The Smart Vent® units are automatic foundation flood vents (AFFVs) employed to equalize hydrostatic pressure on nonfire-resistance-rated foundation walls, rolling-type overhead doors and building walls subject to rising or falling flood waters. The Smart Vent® units are intended for use where flood hazard areas have been established in accordance with IBC Section 1612.3 or IRC Section R3222.1. Certain models also allow natural ventilation in accordance with Section 1203 of the IBC or Section 408.1 of the IRC.

**3.0 DESCRIPTION**
**3.1 General:**

When subjected to pressure from rising water, the Smart Vent® AFFVs disengage, then pivot open to allow flow in either direction to equalize water level and hydrostatic

pressure from one side of the foundation to the other. The AFFV pivoting door is normally held in the closed position by a buoyant release device. When subjected to rising water, the buoyant release device causes the unit to unlatch, allowing the plate to rotate out of the way and allow flow. The water level stabilizes, equalizing the lateral forces. Each unit is fabricated from stainless steel. The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units each contain two vertically arranged openings per unit.

**3.2 Engineered Opening:**

The AFFVs comply with the design principle noted in Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24 for a maximum rate of rise and fall of 5.0 feet per hour (0.423 mm/s). In order to comply with the engineered opening requirement of ASCE/SEI 24, Smart Vent AFFVs must be installed in accordance with Section 4.0.

**3.3 Model Sizes:**

The FloodVENT™ Model #1540-520, SmartVENT™ Model #1540-510, FloodVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-524, and SmartVENT™ Overhead Door Model #1540-514 units measure 15<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches wide by 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches high (400 by 196.9 mm). The Wood Wall Flood Model #1540-570 and Wood Wall Flood Overhead Door Model #1540-574 units measure 14 inches wide by 8<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches high (355.6 by 222.25 mm). The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 units measure 16 inches wide by 16 inches high (406.4 by 406.4 mm).

**3.4 Ventilation:**

The SmartVENT® Model #1540-510 and SmartVENT® Overhead Door Model #1540-514 both have screen covers with 1/4-inch-by-1/4-inch (6.35 by 6.35 mm) openings, yielding 51 square inches (32 903 mm<sup>2</sup>) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. The SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 consists of two Model #1540-510 units in one assembly, and provides 102 square inches (65 806 mm<sup>2</sup>) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. Other AFFVs recognized in this report do not offer natural ventilation.

**4.0 INSTALLATION**

SmartVENT® and FloodVENT™ are designed to be installed into walls or overhead doors of existing or new construction from the exterior side. Installation of the vents must be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, the applicable code and this report. The mounting straps allow mounting in wood, masonry and

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concrete walls up to 12 inches (305 mm) thick. In order to comply with the engineered opening design principle noted in Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24, the Smart Vent<sup>®</sup> AFFVs must be installed as follows:

- With a minimum of two openings on different sides of each enclosed area.
- With a minimum of one AFFV for every 200 square feet (18.6 m<sup>2</sup>) of enclosed area, except that the SmartVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT™ Stacking Model #1540-521 must be installed with a minimum of one AFFV for every 400 square feet (37.2 m<sup>2</sup>) of enclosed area.
- Below the base flood elevation.
- With the bottom of the AFFV located a maximum of 12 inches (305.4 mm) above grade.

#### 5.0 CONDITIONS OF USE

The Smart Vent<sup>®</sup> AFFVs described in this report comply with, or are suitable alternatives to what is specified in, those codes listed in Section 1.0 of this report, subject to the following conditions:

- 5.1 The Smart Vent<sup>®</sup> AFFVs must be installed in accordance with this report, the applicable code and the manufacturer's installation instructions. In the event of a conflict, the instructions in this report govern.
- 5.2 The Smart Vent<sup>®</sup> AFFVs must not be used in the place of "breakaway walls" in coastal high hazard areas, but are permitted for use in conjunction with breakaway walls in other areas.

#### 6.0 EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

Data in accordance with the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria for Automatic Foundation Flood Vents (AC364), dated October 2013 (editorially revised May 2014).

#### 7.0 IDENTIFICATION

The Smart VENT<sup>®</sup> models recognized in this report must be identified by a label bearing the manufacturer's name (Smartvent Products, Inc.), the model number, and the evaluation report number (ESR-2074).