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Generator Permit Application

Construction under this permit will be done in accordance with the FBC 5th Edition (2014)

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Permitting and Installation Guide for Residential House Generators

Scope and Purpose: This guide is intended to provide general information for the placement of house Generators on residential property and to provide consistency in the enforcement of City Of Port St. Lucie regulations.

*NOTE: This guide may not cover all situations or circumstances regarding generator installations. Contact Plan Review at (772) 344-4343 for information on specific installations.

Permits required prior to installation:

- Generator permit
- Electrical permit.

• Gas permit. NOTE: Propane tank and/or natural gas piping installation work must be performed by a licensed plumbing or mechanical subcontractor, or an LP gas installer licensed by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

Required Submittals:

- 1. Completed permit applications (3)
- 2. Recorded Notice of Commencement if total cost exceeds \$2,500.00.
- 3. 2 copies of property survey with a plot plan, dimensioned and drawn to sufficient scale, showing the proposed location of the generator, electric service equipment, and propane tank if applicable or gas meter.
- 4. 2 copies of the generator manufacturers specifications and installations instructions.
- 5. 2 copies of the riser diagram for electric service equipment and transfer switch installation.
- 6. 2 copies of the gas riser diagram showing gas piping size, length, material, inlet pressure and BTU loads.

Additional Requirements and Information:

• Generator installations must comply with: Florida Building Code, National Electric Code, Florida Building Code Fuel Gas, Florida Fire Prevention Code, and applicable standards of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA). NOTE: All code references must be the most current and the manufacturer's installation instructions must be up-to-date. Note: The most stringent shall apply.

• Generators must be installed at least 5 feet away from any building openings (windows, doors etc.) and at least 5 feet away from any assembly walls made of combustible materials [NFPA 37]

• Above ground and underground LP gas storage tanks must comply with NFPA 58 TABLE 6.3.1 for distances to buildings and property lines.

• Minimum **access** clearances from buildings and property lines must be provided on all sides of generators in accordance with the manufacturers' installation instructions and applicable codes.

• The electric service meter/main disconnect location must be permanently labeled indicating an alternate power source (generator) is connected to the electric system.

• Consideration of neighbors and any HOA should be made in the selection of generator location.

• Generators may not be placed within any easement.

• Generators may not be placed within five feet of any septic system drain field or impede access to septic tank covers or cleanouts.

• Generator pads must be 4" solid concrete. No prefab allowed without manufactures approval