



**Firethorne Community Association, Inc.
GUIDELINES FOR ROOFING MATERIALS**

STATE OF TEXAS §
 § **KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:**
COUNTY OF FT. BEND §

WHEREAS, the Firethorne Community Association, Inc. ("Association") is charged with administering and enforcing those certain covenants, conditions and restrictions contained in the recorded Declarations for the various sections of the community (referred to collectively as "Declarations"); and

WHEREAS, the Board of the Association ("Board") has determined that in connection with maintaining the aesthetics and architectural harmony of the community, and to provide clear and definitive guidance regarding roofing materials therein, it is appropriate for the Association to adopt guidelines regarding roofing materials within the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board has duly adopted the following *Guidelines for Roofing Materials* within the community.

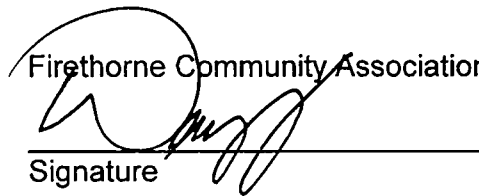
1. All buildings shall be roofed with composition shingles unless otherwise approved in writing by the ARC Committee. Wood shingles are specifically prohibited for safety reasons.
2. Composition shingles must weigh at least 230 pounds per square and have a stated warranty of at least 25 years. Shingles must have a laminated design. Three-tab shingles are specifically prohibited except for use as a starter and cap rows.
3. Roof shingles must be black tones. Light brown, light gray, blue, green, red and white colors are not allowed.
4. Roof overlays are not allowed. Prior to roofing, all existing materials must be removed down to clean decking. Any damaged or deteriorated decking must be replaced.
5. Ridge vents are encouraged, to improve ventilation, reduce attic temperature and reduce cooling costs, but are not required.
6. All roof protrusions, such as vents, roof jacks, must be painted to match the shingles.
7. Subject to Section 8 below and with advance written approval from the ARC

Committee, an owner may install shingles ("Alternative Shingles") which are designed to primarily to:

- a. be wind and hail resistant; or
 - b. provide heating or cooling efficiencies greater than traditional composition shingles; or
 - c. provide solar energy capture capabilities.
8. Once installed, any such Alternative Shingles must:
- a. resemble the shingles used or authorized to be used on other structures within the Association; and
 - b. be more durable than and of equal or superior quality to the shingles used or authorized to be used on other structures within the Association; and
 - c. match the aesthetics of properties surrounding the owner's property.

These guidelines are effective upon recording in the Public Records of Ft. Bend County, Texas, and supersede any policy regarding roofing materials which may have previously been in effect.

Approved and adopted by the Board on this 22nd day of March
2012.

Firethorne Community Association, Inc.


Signature
Wayne C. Meyer

Officer Name
President

Position

STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF FT. BEND

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Wayne C. Meyer, President of Firethorne Community Association, Inc., a Texas corporation, known to me to be the person and officer whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she had executed the same as the act of said corporation for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, and in the capacity therein stated.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 22ND day of March, 2012.



Mary Jo Jasperison
Notary Public, State of Texas

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