



City of Charleston

South Carolina

No Adverse Impact Certification for V-Zones and Coastal A Zones

Project Name and/or Permit Number(s): _____

Address: _____

Legal Description (Parcel, Lot, and Plat Numbers): _____

In accordance with City of Charleston Code of Ordinances Section 27-117 (6), SCRC R322.3, 44 CFR 60.3(e) (5-6), and the latest version of NFIP Technical Bulletin 5: Free-of-Obstruction Requirements, I certify for the aforementioned development that there shall be no fill used as structural support and non-compacted fill used around the perimeter of a building for landscaping/aesthetic purposes will wash out from storm surge prior to generating excessive loading forces, ramping effects, or wave deflection.

I further certify that a grading and drainage plan for landscaping/aesthetic non-structural fill will be submitted that has been analyzed by an engineer, architect, and/or soil scientist to fully consider the following factors:

- i. Particle composition of fill material does not have a tendency for excessive natural compaction;
- ii. Volume and distribution of fill will not cause wave deflection to adjacent properties; and
- iii. Slope of fill will not cause wave run-up or ramping.

I further certify that any feature potentially causing an obstruction below the Design Flood Elevation (i.e., swimming pools, decks, gazebos, fences, retaining walls, shear walls, slabs, stairways, ramps, elevators, and other structures) will either comply with NFIP Technical Bulletin 5: Free-of-Obstruction Requirements or has been determined to cause No Adverse Impact to wave runup, ramping and deflection of floodwaters on this property and adjacent properties.

This is to further certify that I am a duly qualified engineer, architect, and/or soil scientist licensed to practice in the State of South Carolina.

Signature

Date

Certifier's Name

License Number

Title

Company Name

SEAL

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Supporting Documents Attached: _____