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re: Ice Dams - Indiana

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to the committee with regard to ice dams in the state of Indiana. Ice and water barrier is not currently code in all counties in the state. I hope this letter serves to change that. In Indiana, especially the areas where the temperatures aren't considered cold enough, we get hit hard with ice dams. We have on day where the weather is 35 degrees and the next is 9 degrees. This fluctuation is too rapid to thoroughly melt the ice under the snow that forms on the roofs, but it does create the perfect ice dam culture. **This is why the entire state should be included in building code table 301.2 (1).**

I have attached some photos of a project in Carmel, Indiana. This repair cost \$3000 and was repaired by adding ice and water barrier to the eaves and roof to wall sections. The problem has not occurred since the repair. We are installing ice and water barrier on all eaves, valleys, roof to wall sections and around penetrations. It is doing the roofing industry a disservice to not include these areas as code. I am asking for us to add these areas to the entire state for building code table 301.2 (1). Let's get in front of this problem as a united front and reduce the ice damming calls of the future.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chase Lecklider".

Chase Lecklider, Owner  
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