

## ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

FOR TRANSFER OF ALL LATERAL LOADS TO THE FOUNDATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 804.3. SILL PLATES SHALL BE AT LEAST THE EQUIVALENT OF A TWO (2) BY SIX (6) SECURED TO THE FOUNDATION WALLS."

(33) Strike all of Subsection 855.16 and insert new Subsection 855.16 in lieu thereof, to stand in the place of the subsection so stricken, and to read as follows:

"SUBSECTION 855.16. HEADERS. FRAMING AT DOOR AND WINDOW OPENINGS IN LOAD BEARING WALLS IS REQUIRED TO CONSIST OF A FULL LENGTH STUD AND A JACK, OR LAP STUD, CRIPPLE OR EQUAL TO SUPPORT DOUBLE HEADERS. ACCEPTABLE LINTELS AND HEADERS OVER OPENINGS IN BEARING WALLS AND PARTITIONS CONSIST OF WOOD MEMBERS, SET ON EDGE AS FOLLOWS:

## SUPPORTING

## 1 FLOOR OR ROOF 2 FLOORS OR ROOFS

SPANS LESS THAN FOUR FEET (4')	TWO 2" X 4"	TWO 2" X 6"
SPANS FOUR FEET (4') TO SIX FEET (6')	TWO 2" X 6"	TWO 2" X 8"
SPANS SIX FEET (6') TO EIGHT FEET (8')	TWO 2" X 8"	TWO 2" X 10"
SPANS EIGHT FEET (8') TO TEN FEET (10')	TWO 2" X 10"	TWO 2" X 12"

"HEADERS AND LINTELS OVER OPENINGS IN NON-BEARING WALLS AND PARTITIONS MAY BE REDUCED TWO (2) SIZES PROVIDED THE MINIMUM SIZE IS NOT LESS THAN THE EQUIVALENT OF TWO (2) TWO INCH (2") MEMBERS."

(34) Immediately below Subsection 871.3, insert a new Subsection 871.4, to read as follows:

"SUBSECTION 871.4. RAILINGS ON RETAINING WALLS. RAILINGS, WALLS OR OTHER PROTECTION AT LEAST THREE FEET (3') ABOVE THE SURROUNDING GRADE SHALL BE PROVIDED AT THE TOP OF ALL RETAINING WALLS WHICH ARE THREE FEET (3') OR MORE IN HEIGHT (INCLUDING RETAINING WALLS FOR ALL AREAWAYS, PARKING LOTS AND ALL OTHER INCIDENTAL USES)."

(35) Strike all of Subsection 875.3 and insert a