



Seminar on: Opportunities in Mid-rise Construction

WOOD DESIGN SEMINAR

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May 8th, 2014

Delta St. John's St. John's, NL

8am - 12pm Breakfast Provided

May 9th, 2014

Delta Fredericton Fredericton, NB

8am - 12pm Breakfast Provided

FREE ADMISSION

*A REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT FOR ATTENDEES WILL BE REQUIRED TO SECURE YOUR SPACE

and continuing education credits
for qualified industry professionals

Seminar Agenda:



Fire performance of light wood frame mid-rise buildings

Len Garis, Surrey BC Fire Chief & Adjunct Professor, School of Criminology & Criminal Justice University of the Fraser Valley.



Ontario's mid-rise construction experience and 5-6 Storey design.

Steven Street, Mid-rise technical leader, WoodWORKS! Ontario.



National building code change proposals and research

Ineke Van Zeeland, Manager, codes & standards, Canadian Wood Council.

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Opportunities in Mid-rise Construction:

The National Building Code of Canada (NBCC) is under review to allow the height restriction of light wood frame construction to be increased to 6 stories. This change poses the following opportunities to our region:

- More competitive developments - estimated cost savings of \$30 - \$40 per square foot of construction when compared to concrete and steel materials
- Increased availability of affordable housing
- 6-storey mid-rise residential buildings can be among the most economical structures for sustainable urban densification to prevent urban sprawl
- Increased tax base for municipalities
- Minimized carbon footprint of building construction
- Opportunity to partner with other building material industries to achieve optimal results

If you are an architect, civil or structural engineer, developer, building designer or contractor, construction technologist, municipal official, fire fighter, code official student or professor, this is the one event you should not miss.

3 Step Registration:

1. Complete the online registration form at:

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- Thursday, May 8th - St. John's, Newfoundland
- Friday, May 9th - Fredericton, New Brunswick

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Deadline for registration is May 2nd, 2014