

GREENSTONE ICE PANEL DESIGN PARAMETERS



The following design parameters are required to streamline Greenstone's Design and Production Process. Designs outside of the below list will be considered complex and will require additional design, drafting and production fees and time lines.

1	Rough Openings (RO's) require a plywood sub-frame/rough buck – please specify if they are 3/4" or 1.5".
2	RO's must be a minimum of 5 ¾" from inside corners minimum and 6 ½" between adjacent RO.
3	Greenstone headers require a minimum 8" clearance above, and can not span more than an 11' RO*.
4	Ledge cuts should only be on the bearing wall, and not the walls parallel to main joist runs.
5	5.5" walls are limited to 10' high, beyond which, they must be upgraded to 7.5" wall minimum.
6	After 12' of wall height, there is a cost increase for tall walls.
7	Foundations are limited to 6' backfill pressure maximum from top of basement floor to top of backfill.
8	Heights of walls to be supplied by Greenstone must be clearly dimensioned, especially tall walls and rake walls in vaulted ceiling areas, either to truss or to ladder.
9	Both structural faces of the wall must bear down on a load bearing surface.
10	Top plates can be beneficial in most applications. They are required for RTM foundations.
11	Compound notches on panels are highly complex and will delay time lines and increase cost.
* Engineered headers can be used to span larger spaces if needed. Product supplied by third party supplier.	

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