

Comment Form for Potential Changes for the 2011 Building Code

Indicate change number and make additional copies of this form for each change

A. Respondent Information

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I am responding on behalf of: Myself

Organization (specify): Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs

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B. Potential Code Change

Code Change Number: B-06-02-04

Mark one of the following with an "x":

- I support the potential requirements.
- We would support the potential requirements with modifications (describe modifications below).
- I do not support the potential requirements (provide a reason below).

COMMENTS *(Please attach additional sheets as necessary)*

The Oafc opposes the proposed permitting of auxiliary, mechanical or storage rooms to ventilate through a storage garage. And further opposes, permitting these rooms to exhaust into the storage garage provided the rooms have continuous outdoor supply air.

This would have a deleterious effect on fire fighting operations if a fire were to occur in the room. Fire extension and smoke travel would be easier.

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