



## Plan Submittal Guide

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## Plan Submittal

The Plan Submission web site allows you to submit your plans electronically. Steps for submitting plans, site, and file requirements are detailed in this document. *Please read the entire document before beginning your submittal process.*

## Requirements

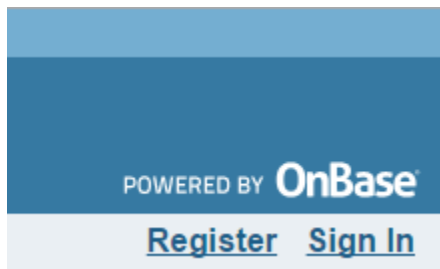
- You must create an account on this web site in order to upload plans
- All plans must be submitted in the form of PDF's, DWF's, or TIF Images
- You are responsible for obtaining all permits, and payment of fees for your project
- You are responsible for scheduling inspections after the work has been started.

## Account Creation

To register for an account, navigate in your web browser to:

<https://eplanreview.huntsvilleal.gov/PlanReview/>

1. Click the “Register” link in the upper right-hand corner of the web page.

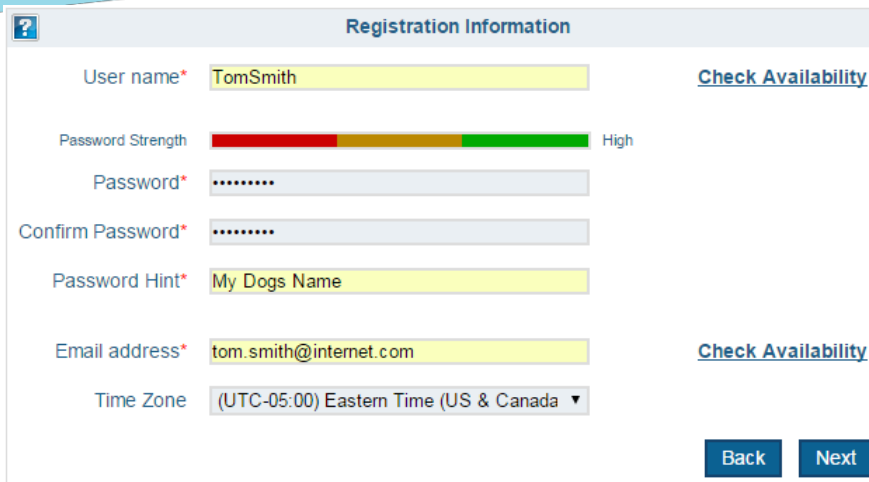


2. You will be presented with “Disclaimer” language that you must accept to proceed.

☒ I agree to the above terms and conditions.

Next

3. The “Registration Information” screen is now loaded. This is where you create a User Name, Password, and an email address that you can be contacted at to receive updates on the status of your project. Additionally, you can check for the Availability of your chosen User Name and email address. When creating your password, it should be at least 5 characters long. For passwords with ‘High’ strength, you should include a number and an upper-case character. Be sure to enter a “Password Hint” that will be used to retrieve your password in the event that it is forgotten.



**Registration Information**

User name\* TomSmith [Check Availability](#)

Password Strength  High

Password\* .....

Confirm Password\* .....

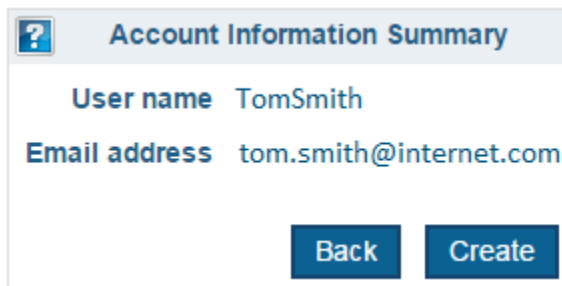
Password Hint\* My Dogs Name

Email address\* tom.smith@internet.com [Check Availability](#)

Time Zone (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada) ▼

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- Click “Next” to register the account and go on to the next step.
- A confirmation screen with your username and email address will appear, click “Create”.



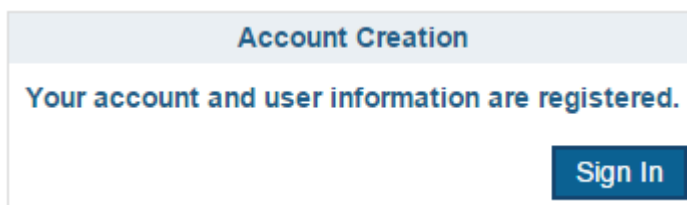
**Account Information Summary**

User name TomSmith

Email address tom.smith@internet.com

[Back](#) [Create](#)

- Your registration is complete.



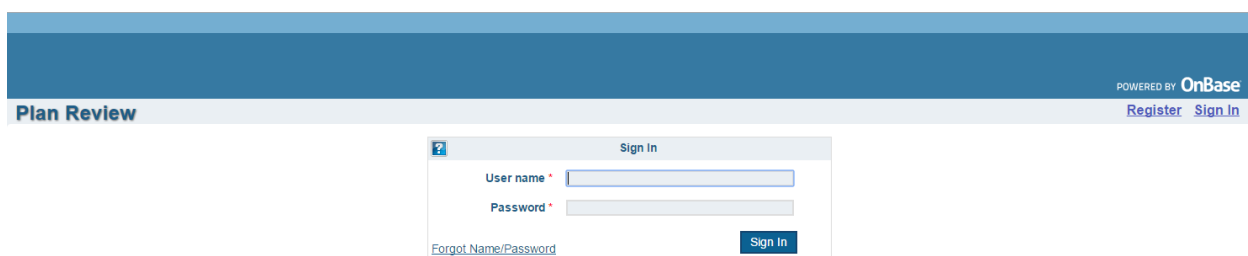
**Account Creation**

Your account and user information are registered.

[Sign In](#)

## Signing In

Sign into the account using the username and password you created in the previous steps.



Plan Review POWERED BY OnBase [Register](#) [Sign In](#)

**Sign In**

User name \*

Password \*

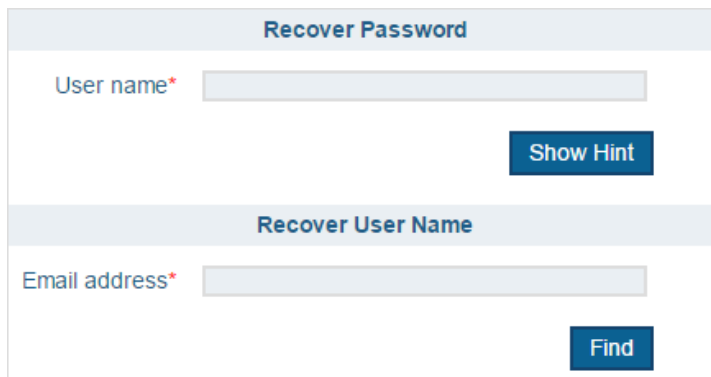
[Forgot Name/Password](#) [Sign In](#)

To retrieve a lost username or password, click on “Forgot Name/Password” on the sign in page

A screenshot of the 'Sign In' form. It has a header bar with a question mark icon and the text 'Sign In'. Below the header, there are two input fields: 'User name \*' and 'Password \*'. To the right of the 'Password \*' field is a 'Sign In' button. At the bottom left, there is a link that says 'Forgot Name/Password'.

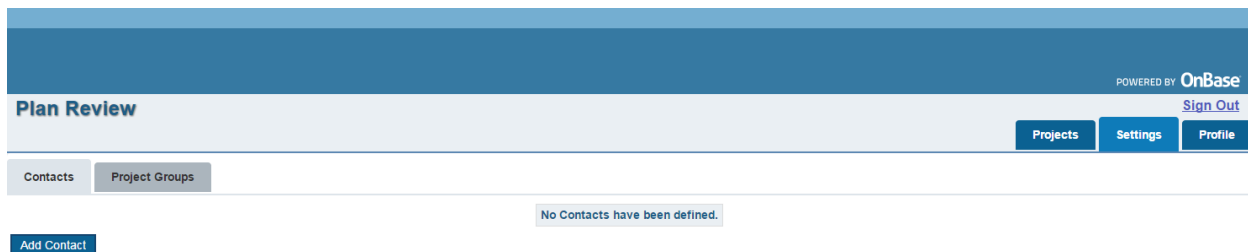
To recover a password or username click “Show Hint”

To recover the username email click “Find”. The username will be sent to the email registered for the username.


A screenshot of two stacked forms. The top form is titled 'Recover Password' and contains a 'User name\*' input field and a 'Show Hint' button. The bottom form is titled 'Recover User Name' and contains an 'Email address\*' input field and a 'Find' button.

## Adding Contacts

After the account has been set up and the user has logged in they have the ability to create a list of contacts. This list can be added to at any time. This is done by clicking on the “Settings” tab and selecting the “Add Contact” button.

A screenshot of the OnBase 'Plan Review' interface. At the top right, it says 'POWERED BY OnBase' and has a 'Sign Out' link. Below this is a navigation bar with 'Projects', 'Settings', and 'Profile' buttons. Underneath, there are tabs for 'Contacts' and 'Project Groups'. A message box states 'No Contacts have been defined.' and there is an 'Add Contact' button.

## Add Company



Company	
Company	<div> <div>&lt;None&gt;</div> <div>▼</div> </div> <div>Add</div>
Name	
First Name*	<input type="text"/>
Middle Name	<input type="text"/>
Last Name*	<input type="text"/>

To add a company, click “Add” next to the company drop down list. This will add the company name to the drop-down list, which can be used to select the company name for the contact.

Company	
Name*	<input type="text" value="Contractors Inc."/>
Address	
Street Number	<input type="text" value="28500"/>
Street Name	<input type="text" value="Clemens Rd"/>
	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text" value="Westlake"/>
State / Province / Region	<div>OH ▼</div>
Postal Code	<input type="text" value="44012"/>
Contact	
Business Phone	<input type="text" value="216-555-5555"/>
<div>Close</div> <div>Add</div>	

Enter the company name, address and business phone number in their respective areas. Click “Add” to add the company to the list.

Company	
Company	Contractors Inc. <span>Edit</span> <span>Add</span>
Name	
First Name*	Bob
Middle Name	
Last Name*	Wright
Address	
Use Company Address	<span>Copy</span>
Street Number	28500
Street Name	Clemens Rd
City	Westlake
State / Province / Region	OH
Postal Code	44012
Contacts	
Business Phone	216-555-5555
Cell Phone	216-999-4455
Email	
<span>Close</span> <span>Add</span>	

The company name is added to the list and will be available in the drop-down list for adding a contact. The company information can also be edited. Select the company name from the drop-down list. Enter contact name, address, business phone number, cell phone number and email. If the contact address is the same as the company address, click “Copy” for ‘Use Company Address’. Click ‘Add’ to add the contact to the list of contacts for the account.

### Edit/Delete Contact

The contact is added to the list of contacts. Contact information can be edited if necessary by clicking on the “Edit” icon under Actions. The contact can be deleted by clicking on the “Delete” icon under “Actions”.





View Within Last 6 Months ▾

Advanced Search Fields

Project Name

Project ID

Alternate ID

Group Name

Parcel ID

Site Address

Street Number

Street Name

City

State / Province / Region ▾

Postal Code

Contact Company Name

Contact First Name

Contact Last Name

Find

Group	Identifier	Name	Create Date	Status	Open
<None>	RES-135	Garage	2/9/2015	Plan Submission	

## Add a New Project

To add a new project, select a review type from the drop down under “Start New Project” and click “Add Project”

Plan Review

Start New Project

Review Type

Residential ▾

Add Project

Enter in your project information, Location Parcels, and any Associated Review Type Information (Commercial, Residential and Fire Protection)

▼ Project Information

Name\*

Out Building

Alternate ID

Review Type

Residential

Site Address

Street Number

21966

Street Name \*

Bradley Rd

City \*

Westlake

State / Province / Region \*

OH

Postal Code \*

44012

▼ Roles

+

▼ Location Parcels

+

Associated Review Type Information

Permit #

456789

Addition Project Description

30x40 Outbuilding, with heat and plumbing.

## Editing a Project

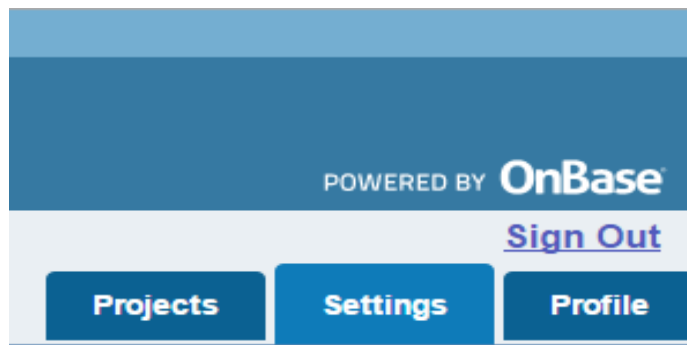
If at any time you need to change any of the information defined in a project you can simply click the “Edit” link in the top right corner of the Project Information”

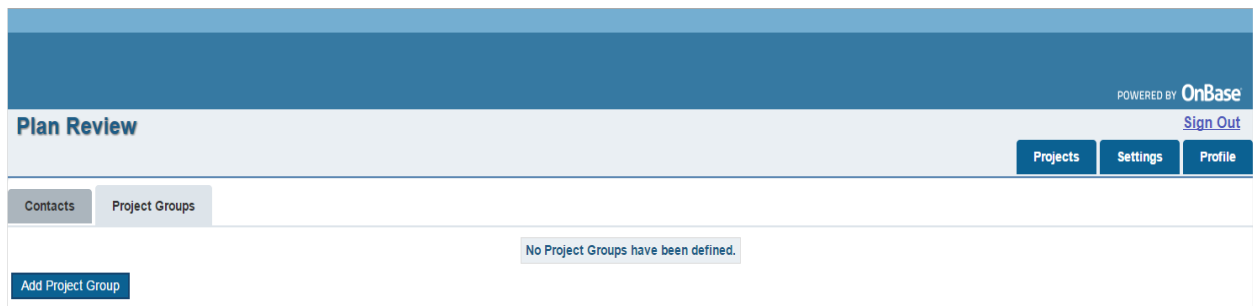
[Edit](#)

Project Information	
Name	Out Building
Identifier	RES-136
Alternate ID	
Review Type	Residential

## Project Groups

Optionally individual related projects can be grouped together under one master project. Project groups are created from the “Settings” tab on the main screen and then by clicking on the “Project Groups” tab next to “Contacts”.

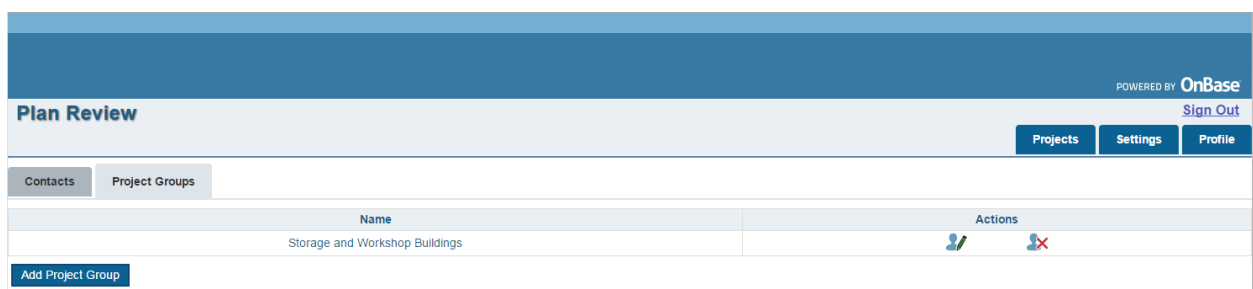




Click the “Add Project Group” button and enter the desired “Name” then click “Save”.

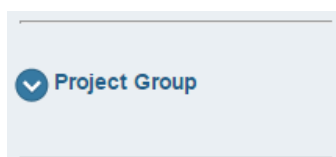
The screenshot shows a dialog box titled 'Edit Project Group'. It has a text input field labeled 'Name\*' with the text 'Storage and Workshop Buildings' entered. At the bottom right of the dialog, there are two buttons: 'Close' and 'Save'.

The new Project Group will be added to the list of Project Groups that can be selected from the main project screen. These can also be changed or deleted at any time by using the icons for Edit and Delete under the “Actions” tag.

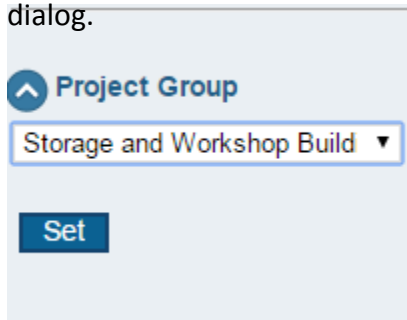


### Group a Project

To group projects, start by clicking the “Group Project” link on the left side of the screen.



Click the blue arrow icon to open the selection and click the “Set” button to open the Grouping dialog.

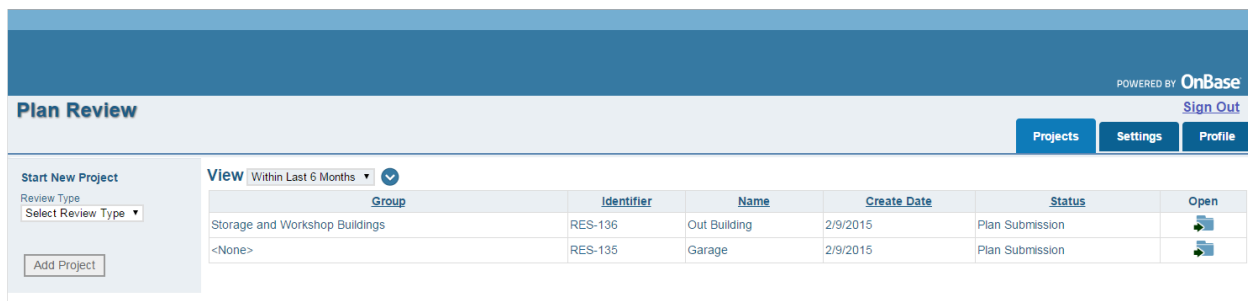


Project Group

Storage and Workshop Build ▼

Set

Once a group has been applied to a project(s) those projects will be grouped together on the main screen.



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Plan Review

Sign Out

Projects Settings Profile

Start New Project

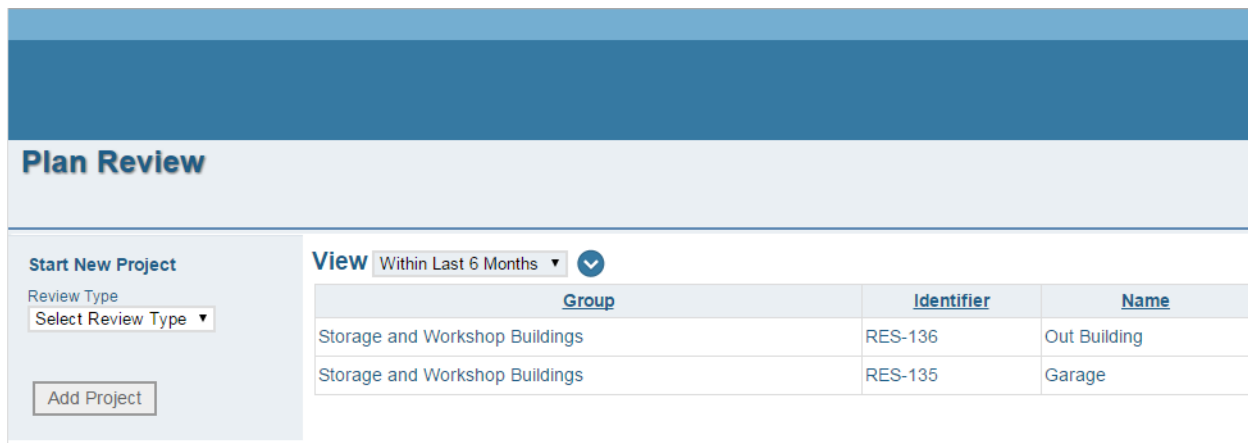
Review Type

Select Review Type ▼

Add Project

View Within Last 6 Months ▼

Group	Identifier	Name	Create Date	Status	Open
Storage and Workshop Buildings	RES-136	Out Building	2/9/2015	Plan Submission	
<None>	RES-135	Garage	2/9/2015	Plan Submission	



Plan Review

Start New Project

Review Type

Select Review Type ▼

Add Project

View Within Last 6 Months ▼

Group	Identifier	Name
Storage and Workshop Buildings	RES-136	Out Building
Storage and Workshop Buildings	RES-135	Garage

## Uploading Plan Documents

To begin uploading plan documents select the “Plan Documents” tab, then select the “Browse” button.

## Plan Review

Project Information

Plan Documents

Review Documents

Approved Documents

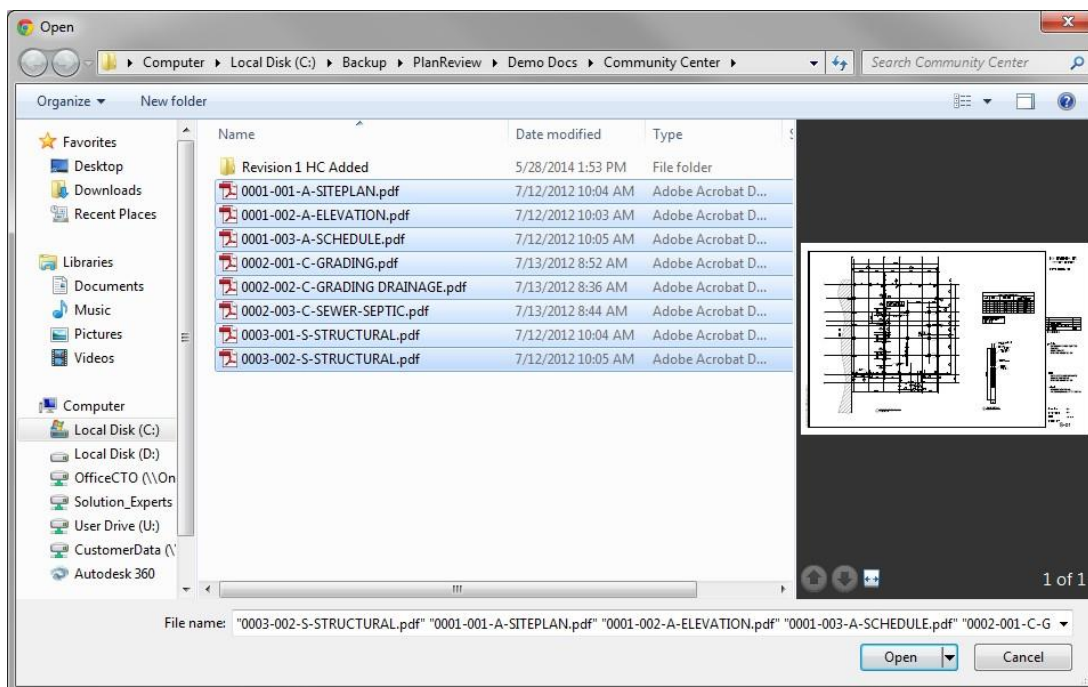
**Project**  
RES-136  
**Group**  
Storage and Workshop Buildings  
**Name**  
Out Building  
**Status**  
Plan Submission

Browse... Clear Upload Cancel Status: Ready

**Review Status**  
None

**Actions**  
[Submit for Review](#)

Then select the file(s) you wish to upload. The browse dialog that appears allows you to select multiple items using Shift-Click or Control-Click. After you have selected the appropriate items, click the “Open” button.



The selected items will be loaded into the “Plan Documents” screen for your review and a ready to be uploaded. It is at this point that a user can review the items in they selected and verify

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## Plan Review

[Sign Out](#)

Project Information
Plan Documents
Review Documents
Approved Documents
Related Projects
Project Invitations

**Project**  
RES-136

**Group**  
Storage and Workshop Buildings

**Name**  
Out Building

**Status**  
Plan Submission

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**Review Status**  
None

**Actions**  
[Submit for Review](#)

Browse...	Clear	Upload	Cancel	Status: Ready
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Sheet Type</b>	<b>Description</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-001-A-SITEPLAN	Architectural ▼	Siteplan ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-002-A-ELEVATION	Architectural ▼	Elevation ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-003-A-SCHEDULE	Architectural ▼	Schedule ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-001-C-GRADING	Civil ▼	Grading ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-002-C-GRADING DRAINAGE	Civil ▼	Grading ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-003-C-SEWER-SEPTIC	Civil ▼	Sewer-Septic ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0003-001-S-STRUCTURAL	Structural ▼	Structural ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0003-002-S-STRUCTURAL	Structural ▼	Structural ▼	

**Projects**





























**Settings**

**Profile**

## Actions

Upload Status	Success
Pending Upload	

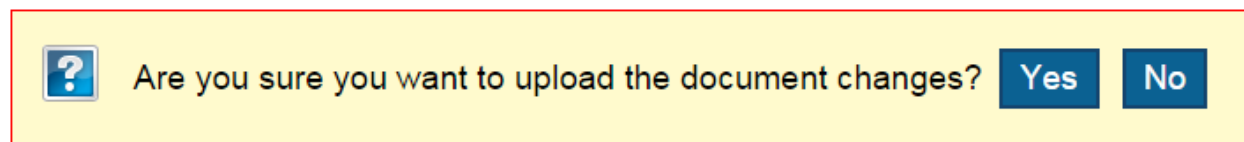
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	Name	Discipline 	Sheet Type 	Description 	Revision
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-001-A-SITEPLAN	Architectural 	Siteplan 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-002-A-ELEVATION	Architectural 	Elevation 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0001-003-A-SCHEDULE	Architectural 	Schedule 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-001-C-GRADING	Civil 	Grading 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-002-C-GRADING DRAINAGE	Civil 	Grading 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0002-003-C-SEWER-SEPTIC	Civil 	Sewer-Septic 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0003-001-S-STRUCTURAL	Structural 	Structural 		New
<input type="checkbox"/>	0003-002-S-STRUCTURAL	Structural 	Structural 		New

When you are ready to upload your plan documents, click the “Upload” button.

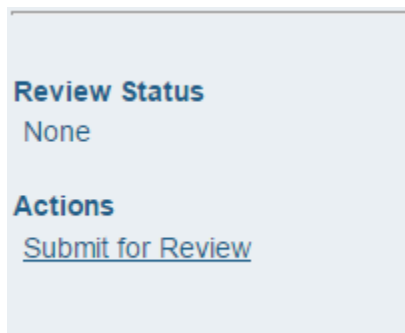


When this confirmation box appears click “Yes”.



## Submit for Review

Once you have successfully uploaded your plan documents the last step is to click the “Submit for Review” link in the bottom left of the screen.



Your plans documents have been submitted for review.

*NOTE: You can change plan documents, remove/add as long as the review cycle has not been started by the reviewer.*

## Review Documents

The “Review Documents” tab is where plan documents that have been reviewed appear. Plan



documents in this state may require review and correction by the submitter.

Plan Review

Project Information

Plan Documents

Review Documents

Approved Documents

Project

RES-136

Group

Storage and Workshop Buildings

Name

Out Building

Status

Coordinator Review

Review Cycle

All

Review Status

None

## Approved Documents

Approved Documents is where the approved plans will be uploaded by the reviewer. These will be available in either an Approved Plan Set, a combined PDF of all of your pages or Approved Plan Sheet, single pages of your plans.

Plan Review

Project Information

Plan Documents

Review Documents

Approved Documents

Project

RES-136

Group

Storage and Workshop Buildings

Name

Out Building

Status

Coordinator Review

Approved Plan Sets

Approved Plan Sets

Approved Plan Sheets

Review Status

None

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## Related Projects

This displays all projects related to the project you are currently viewing, essentially it is the grouping that you assigned.

### Plan Review

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Related Projects

Project Invitations

**Project**  
RES-136

**Group**  
Storage and Workshop Buildings

**Name**  
Out Building

**Status**  
Coordinator Review

**Review Status**  
None

Group	Identifier	Name	Create Date
Storage and Workshop Buildings	RES-135	Garage	2/9/2015

## Project Invitations

Project Invitations allow you to invite others to view or modify your project, such as your contractor, architect, plumber, etc.

### Plan Review

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Related Projects

Project Invitations

**Project**  
RES-136

**Group**  
Storage and Workshop Buildings

**Name**  
Out Building

**Status**  
Coordinator Review

**Review Status**  
None

Manage Invitations

[Invite User](#)

There are no project invitations.

To invite someone to view your project, click on “Invite User”. When the Invite User dialog appears you will be able to specify whether you want the user to view just the Project or the Project Group. What kind of access they should have, “View Only” or “Upload”, and their email address, then click the “Invite” button.

[Manage Invitations](#) [Invite User](#)

Invite User	
Invite user to	Project <input checked="" type="radio"/> Project Group <input type="radio"/>
Grant Access	<None> ▼
Email address*	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="Invite"/>

*NOTE: The invited user will have to create an account on the Plan Review site to use this feature.*

## Naming Conventions

Naming conventions are used to categorize documents when they are uploaded to the Plan Reviewers. A default naming convention has been set up to automate this process for you. To take advantage of this feature single page PDF's should be named according to the standards described below.

Example:

**0001-002-A-ELEVATION.pdf** – This states that this file will be in the *first* grouping of files (0001), and is *page 2* of that grouping (002), it is *Architectural* discipline (A), and is an *Elevation* sheet type (ELEVATION).

*NOTE: This convention relies on the files being named exactly as they are in the “Disciplines” and “Sheet Types” charts below.*

Explanation of naming convention parts:

File Name Part	Type and Format	Purpose/Definition
Global Sequence Number	4 Digits, 0 Padded from left	This number sets the overall position of every sheet in the plan set and will be used to sort the plan sheets when listed together
Separator	Dash	Character to separate file name section
Drawing Number	3 Digits, 0 Padded from left	Number defined by submitter, this can be used to identify the drawing to the architect/owner/engineer team or can be left as '000'
Separator	Dash	

<a href="#">Discipline Identifier</a>	1 or 2 Alpha Char Must match predefined list	Used to define the Discipline type of the plan sheet, must match one of the predefined values in the Discipline list for [Name of county or city]
<b>Separator</b>	Dash	
<a href="#">Sheet Type Identifier</a>	1-30 Alpha Char Must match predefined list	Used to define the sheet type of the plan sheet, must match one of the predefined values in the Discipline list for [Name of county or city]
<b>Extension</b>	File type	Identifies standard data file types. Plan Sheets should be PDF whenever possible, other reports and documents should be in their native format (Word, Excel, etc.) or converted to PDF whenever possible.

## Disciplines

Possible Disciplines are:

<b>Discipline Identifiers:</b>	<b>Full Name</b>
G	General
H	Hazardous Materials
V	Survey/Mapping
B	Geotechnical
W	Civil Works
C	Civil
L	Landscape
S	Structural
A	Architectural
I	Interiors
Q	Equipment
F	Fire Protection
P	Plumbing
D	Process
M	Mechanical
E	Electrical
T	Telecommunications
R	Resource
X	Other
Z	Contractor/Shop Drawings
O	Operations

## Sheet Types

Possible Sheet Types are:

Sheet Type Identifiers:
ALTA/ACSM Land Title Survey
Cover Sheet
Cross Section And Detail Sheet
Detail Sheet
Drainage
Electrical
Elevation
Environmental - 404
Environmental - Archeological
Environmental - Biological
Environmental - Geotechnical
Equipment Layout
Final Plat
Fixture Cut Sheet
Flood Plain Analysis
Flood Plan LOMAR
Floodplain CLOMAR
Floor Plan
Framing
Gis
Gis-Cad
Grading
Grading Drainage
Irrigation
Irrigation Drainage Paving
Irrigation Grading
Irrigation Grading Drainage
Landscape Overall
Landscape Partial
Lighting
Masonry
Minor Land Division
Off-Site Improvement
Off-Site Sewer
Off-Site Water
On-Site Improvement
On-Site Sewer
On-Site Water

Other
Paving
Photometric
Plumbing
Property Line Lighting
Schedule
Security Lighting
Sewer-Septic
Signing And Striping
Site Lighting Cut Sheets
Siteplan
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