

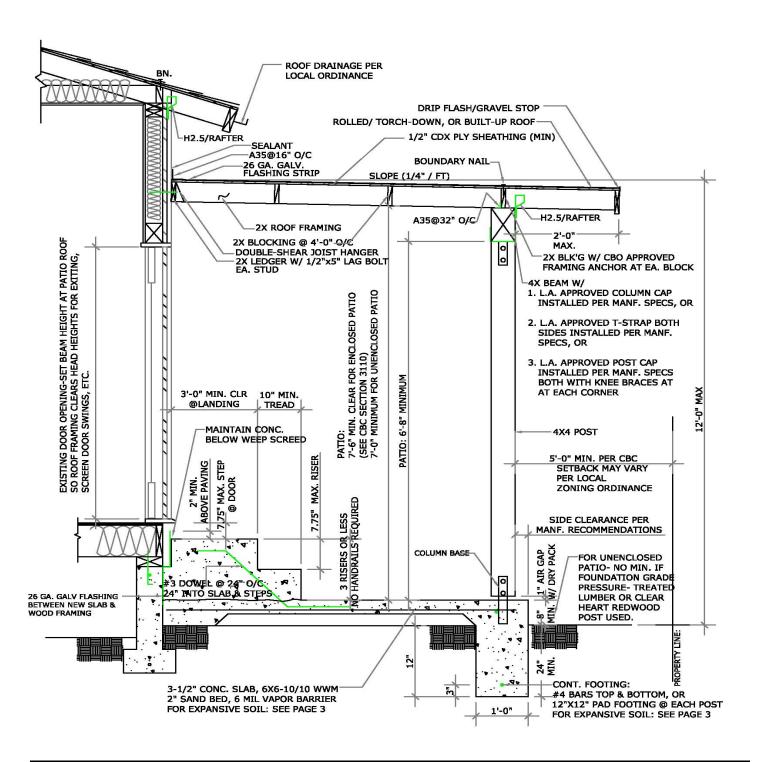
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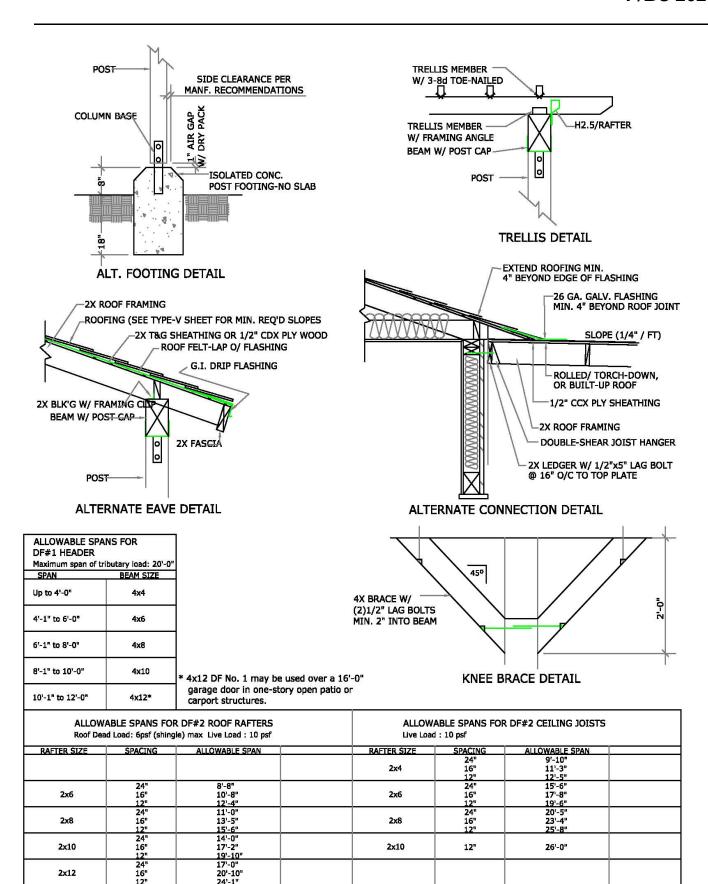
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## **ATTACHED PATIO COVER**







TYPE V CONSTRUCTION IS A CLASSIFICATION OF BUILDINGS BY CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS AND METHODS. IT IS THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE PERMITTED BY THE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE AND INCLUDES LIGHT, WOOD-FRAME CONSTRUCTION. THIS SHEET IS FOR INFORMATION AND REFERENCE ONLY AND IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR ACCURATE DRAWINGS PREPARED FOR EACH PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION PROJECT.



## **FOOTINGS AND SLABS ON GRADE**

Unless a soil report is submitted to and approved by the Department clearly outlining alternate requirements for footing and slab design, all footings must comply with the expansive soil requirements contained in IB P/BC 2020-116.

## PATIO COVER ENCLOSURE

The patio cover must remain open in accordance with the opening requirements in LABC Section 3112 and LARC Appendix H. In the event that the patio cover is enclosed with insect screening, plastic, or glass as permitted in LABC Section 3112, then LABC Section 3112 requires the patio cover be designed in accordance with the requirements of the Wood Frame Prescriptive Provisions for One Story Residential Construction Only (Information Bulletin P/BC 2020-004) or structural calculations must be provided to satisfy the lateral design requirements in the LABC.