

### WHAT IS VIRTUAL WALK-IN SERVICE?

A virtual walk-in is a process available to customers (homeowners/design professionals) whose scope of work meets the established criteria below to have their Building Code Enforcement plans reviewed by a Storm Drainage plan reviewer on a digital “walk-in” basis via email submittal.

### PROCEDURE

1. Email [StormPlanReview@houstontx.gov](mailto:StormPlanReview@houstontx.gov) with a request for walk-in service. The subject line must include the project number. **Only one project per email request.**
2. If qualified for virtual walk-in service, plans will be reviewed between 8 AM and 3 PM on Mondays.

### QUALIFICATION

A project must meet the following criteria to qualify for walk-in service:

- The project number was issued by Building Code Enforcement.
  - Projects submitted for right-of-way review to the Office of the City Engineer do not qualify for walk-in service.
- The project must be one of the following proposed development types:

<b>Single-family residential</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Includes new construction, additions, and swimming pools</li> </ul>
<b>Multiple single-family residential development</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Includes new construction, additions, and swimming pools</li> <li>• Up to 10 single-family residential lots per project</li> <li>• Does not include apartment complexes, townhouses, or condos</li> </ul>
<b>Fill &amp; Grade only permit*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited to 2 rejection comments from latest review cycle</li> </ul>
<b>Fence/Masonry wall only project*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited to 2 rejection comments from latest review cycle</li> </ul>
<b>Revision to approved plans*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Classified as a plan revision (RV or 33V) in the system</li> <li>• Limited to 2 rejection comments from latest review cycle</li> </ul>
<b>Exceptions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where exceptions to the above qualifications are made, written proof from the reviewer must be provided as an attachment</li> </ul>

*\*Residential or commercial projects*

- Plans have completed at least one full review cycle and have rejection comments by the Storm Drainage (360) group
- Plans must be resubmitted and available in ProjectDox for review at the time of service.
  - Plan Reviewer will not upload any files into ProjectDox. Only uploaded files will be reviewed.
- A response sheet is uploaded to the “Applicant Responses” folder in ProjectDox
  - Response sheet should address each comment and reference the sheet number or location in which the corrections may be found.
- If an appointment was required per project comments, information for meeting is provided in response sheet
- There are **no pending approvals from required outside departments/agencies** (i.e. TxDOT, HCFCD, Clear Lake Water Authority, etc.)
- There are **no detention and/or restrictor design** rejection comments from latest review cycle