

Complete the checklist below to successfully use your disaster recovery award to re-roof your house to the FORTIFIED Roof™ standard and get it designated\*. FORTIFIED is a beyond-code construction method that is proven to increase roof strength and home value, and decrease your insurance costs.

# FORTIFIED ROOF REPAIR CHECKLIST

For Homeowners and Roofers

# Hire a FORTIFIED Evaluator™

FORTIFIED evaluators are independent third-party contractors who provide critical, mandatory compliance verification services. They will help to ensure you earn a FORTIFIED designation for your property. <u>Click here</u> or scan the QR code for an Evaluator directory.



### Get 3 Bids

It is a best practice to get at least 3 bids from roofers, but is not required for the Roof Repair program. Give each roofer the Re-Roofing Checklist - Hurricane, so they understand the necessary steps and materials to adjust their bid accordingly. <u>Click here</u> or scan the QR code for the checklist.

If your roofer needs additional information, they can go here.

## Choose your Roofer

Once you choose your roofer, they will install your roof to FORTIFIED standards. Your FORTIFIED evaluator will document the work and submit it for a designation when the roof is complete.

Encourage your roofing contractor to take the free courses or get certified. <u>Click here</u> or scan the QR code.



#### Shop your Insurance

Louisiana HB 451 (2020) made it possible for you to receive a discount on the wind portion of your home insurance for owning a FORTIFIED Roof. It is recommended to price your options with 2-3 insurance companies to find the price and coverage that works best for you.

# Re-designate in 5 years

After five years, look for a letter or call your evaluator to re-designate your house. They will inspect your home to ensure that nothing has damaged your roof's integrity. This inspection will re-certify your home and allow for continued insurance reductions.



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