

**Cover Sheet Note for Review at the CM Roundtable Which is a General Cover Sheet that is Generally Included with all Truss Design Drawings and Sealed by the Truss Design Engineer.**

The Truss design utilizes the design values published by the Metal Connector Plate (MPC) manufacturers. The Truss design further utilizes the design values published by the applicable lumber rules-writing agency as approved by American Lumber Standards Committee and which design values have been incorporated into lumber design provisions and equations by the American Wood Council and into Truss design programs by the MPC manufacturers. The lumber design values correspond with the grade stamp identified by the Truss Manufacturer on the lumber prior to cross cutting. The lumber rules-writing agency published grading rules shall further apply to the Owner, Building Designer and Contractor. All capitalized terms are as defined in ANSI/TPI 1, the *National Design Standard for Metal Plate Connected Wood Truss Construction*.

The seal on this cover sheet and/or a Truss Design Drawing ("TDD") represents an acceptance of professional engineering responsibility for the design of the single Truss depicted on the TDD only, as a Truss Design Engineer under ANSI/TPI 1, the *National Design Standard for Metal Plate Connected Wood Truss Construction* ("TPI-1"). The design assumptions, loading conditions, suitability and use of this Truss for any Building is the responsibility of the Building Designer. The approval of the TDD and any field use of the Truss, including handling, storage, installation and bracing, shall be the responsibility of the Building Designer and Contractor. All notes set out in the TDD and the practices and guidelines of *Building Component Safety Information (BCSI)* published by the Truss Plate Institute and the Structural Building Component Association are referenced for general guidance. All capitalized terms are as defined in TPI 1.

**Warning Note for the bottom of each TDD for Review at the CM Roundtable. This is for the TDD specific "Warning Note" that is found on each TDD, which is produced by the CM and may or may not be sealed.**

**WARNING** - Verify design parameters and read notes on this Truss Design Drawing ("TDD") and the \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Sheet (if any) before use. Only \_\_\_\_\_ connector plates shall be used for this TDD to be valid. A sealed TDD represents an acceptance of responsibility for the design of the single Truss depicted on the TDD only, pursuant to ANSI/TPI 1, the *National Design Standard for Metal Plate Connected Wood Truss Construction* ("TPI-1"). The design assumptions, loading conditions, suitability and use of this Truss for any Building is the responsibility of the Building Designer. The approval of the Truss Design Drawing and any field use of the Truss, including handling, storage, installation and bracing, shall be the responsibility of the Building Designer and Contractor. All notes set out in this Truss Design Drawing and the practices and guidelines of *Building Component Safety Information (BCSI)* published by the Truss Plate Institute and the Structural Building Component Association are referenced for general guidance. All capitalized terms are as defined in TPI 1.