



FORTIFIED To Last!

Coastal Metal Service metal roofing panels were used on North Carolina's first ever FORTIFIED Gold home!

Metal roofing panels from Coastal Metal Service were selected for the first home to earn the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety FORTIFIED Gold designation. Built in Surf City, N.C., the home was designed to withstand natural disasters.

"By using concrete walls that satisfies the one requirement, then topping it off with a metal roof which is designed to withstand 170 miles per hour winds, all we needed then was windows and doors that would meet those types of impact and wind ratings," said Thomas Dugan, the builder.

What is FORTIFIED?

FORTIFIED is a program of the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety (IBHS) designed to give new and existing homeowners options for improving the performance of their properties against natural hazards. A FORTIFIED Designation is awarded to homes that meet rigorous performance standards.

Learn More Online

To learn more about IBHS, its research and the FORTIFIED building programs, please visit www.disastersafety.org/fortified.



Lower Your Insurance Premiums

FORTIFIED homes along the Atlantic Ocean's coast may also qualify for property insurance reductions under the state's high wind and hail mitigation program.



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