

Formatting Standards for Submitting Building or Development Plans

Submissions may include two categories of files: drawings and documents. Refer to Regina.ca/build for the documents and drawings required for each application type.

The following table summarizes the file categories and examples of each:

	File Type	Examples
Drawings	Design drawings that will be used for construction of infrastructure or a building. All drawings must be PDF, on standard size sheets, drawn to scale.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site plan • Architectural • Structural/Engineering • Mechanical • Plumbing • Electrical
Documents	Supporting files are required as part of the application package but are not drawing files. Documents must be PDF.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building permit application • Roof truss drawings • Soil reports • Environmental reports • Energy information
	Approval documents are required as part of the application package and are typically issued by an external agency. Documents must be PDF.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Security Agency (WSA) • Ministry of Environment

a. Drawing Files

- i. Orient your drawings in the correct view – that is, not upside-down or sideways.
- ii. Drawings must come flattened¹, unlocked and ready to be marked up.
- iii. Drawings of the same type must be drawn in the same scale (ex. floor plans)

b. Supporting Document Files

- i. Upload each document as a separate file under its appropriate submittal. Each file may contain multiple pages and may be uploaded together.

c. Forms and Approval Documents

- i. Upload each form or approval document as a separate file under its appropriate submittal. Each file may contain multiple pages and may be uploaded together.

¹ *Flattened* is term describing a software function that condenses all the image layers into a single layer image. This will be your last step in preparing to submit drawings digitally.