

1. References to I-codes have been changed to refer to the Oregon Specialty codes
2. § 4c clarified light straw clay mixture.
3. § 5a Wall thickness has been changed to a mandatory 12"
4. § 5d All sill plates in contact with foundation stem walls shall be naturally durable wood or wood that is preserved as per OSRC R319.1

Sill plates over framed wood do not need to be required to follow OSRC R319.1 because there is no excess moisture in the light straw clay. In addition, the clay is more hygrophilic and has a higher hygric buffer capacity than the wood thereby any free water will be absorbed by the clay.

5. § 5e Reworded section to make the language more clear and extend the overhang of the light straw clay to be consistent with AR 105.1
6. § 9b Language indicating that the drying of light straw clay walls to a maximum of 20% moisture content in order to be consistent with other standards was maintained to be consistent with AR 104.4
7. § 9c Section removed.
8. § 9f addition of insect screening requirement for spacing between light straw clay and exterior siding.
9. § 10 Electrical requirements were modified to match those of AR111.1, straw bale code, with the prohibition of type NM wire.
10. § 11,12 Plumbing and mechanical requirements were added to match the requirements of AR 111.2
11. § 13 Fire resistance section added modeled on AR 106.1