



RUTHERFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE

BUILDING CODES DEPARTMENT

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Footings

Single Family Dwelling

Conventional light-frame construction

1-story	12"W
2-story	15"W
3-story	23"W

4" brick veneer over light-frame construction or 8" hollow concrete masonry

1-story	12"W
2-story	21"W
3-story	32"W

8" solid or fully grouted masonry

1-story	16"W
2-story	29"W
3-story	42"W

**All footings must be minimum 8" in depth and 12" below finished grade.

Detached Garage

- Slab-3 1/2" minimum with 4" gravel underneath
- Footer around perimeter to be 16"W x 8"D
- Bottom of footing to be on solid, undisturbed soil

Attached Garage

- Refer to above chart for 1-story house