



Taking Shelter from the Storm: Building a Safe Room for Your Home or Small Business (Includes Construction Plans and Cost Estiamtes) (Fema P-320, Third Edition / August 2008)

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Createspace, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 274 x 211 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Every year, tornadoes, hurricanes, and other extreme windstorms injure and kill people, and cause millions of dollars worth of property damage in the United States. Even so, more and more people build homes in tornadoand hurricane-prone areas, possibly putting themselves into the path of such storms. Having a safe room built for your home or small business can help provide near-absolute protection for you and your family or employees from injury or death caused by the dangerous forces of extreme winds. Near absolute protection means that, based on our current knowledge of tornadoes and hurricanes, the occupants of a safe room built according to this guidance will have a very high probability of being protected from injury or death. Our knowledge of tornadoes and hurricanes is based on substantial meteorological records as well as extensive investigations of damage to buildings from extreme winds. It can also relieve some of the anxiety created by the threat of an oncoming tornado or hurricane. All information contained in this publication is applicable to safe rooms for use in homes as...



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