



Starting out on a home design project can have your head swirling with questions. Here are a few that you may have. If you have a different question, or a follow-up question from the ones below –don't hesitate to reach out to us... Fred WILL have an answer for you!

Can I save money or time on my remodel if I leave 'one wall up' of the old house?

No, the cost of construction, total permitting fees and time invested in all phases of design and building are based on the amount of work being done.

Can you recommend a General Contractor to bid and build my project?

Yes, we consistently work with local builders on multiple projects and can connect you with some good choices!

How involved am I in the Design process?

We like any level of input from you. Figo can take your ideas and bring them to fruition by working with you all the way through the design, permit, and construction process.

What is an As-Built?

If your project is a remodel, we come out and field measure the structure to re-create it in AutoCad as a starting point for the new design.

What is an ADU?

An Accessory Dwelling Unit (A.K.A. Granny Unit, Tiny House) is a secondary home on your property ranging in size from 235-1200 square feet in the County of Sonoma and up to 1000 square feet in the City of Sonoma.

Where do I start?

We usually start with a complimentary meeting at your property to discuss your project. You can ask all the questions you'd like and there's no obligation!



How long does it take to process a Permit? And how long does it stay valid?

That depends on where you live. City of Sonoma takes 4-6 weeks and is valid for 12 months. County of Sonoma takes 8-14 weeks and stays valid for 36 months.

I want to do just an interior remodel. Is that too small of a project for Figo to take on?

Absolutely not! Every job is important. We design plans for every size of project. Look at our website and see the varied content!

What's allowed on my property?

This is a loaded question as it definitely depends on where your property is situated but, as part of our research package, we will tell you all of the zoning regulations, setbacks, the number of buildings allowed etc., anything that may affect the project you have in mind. We can also guide you in what will best complement your property as far as scale and style.

Do you do plans and permits for new homes, additions, ADU's and fire rebuilds? Also for remodels, and all types of accessory buildings like pool houses and barns?

YES!!! Go to FIGOCD.com to reach us today!

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