1. **GYPSUM BOARD (Interior):** Two layers USG Firecode® C Core, complying with ASTM C1396, or equivalent, min. 5/8 in. thick, 4 ft. wide applied vertically, fastened to framing. Face layer joints staggered with base layer and covered with paper tape and joint compound.

**FASTENERS (Not Shown):**

A. FACE LAYER – Min. #6 x 2 in. long Type S or W screws spaced max. 8 in. oc and heads covered with joint compound.

B. BASE LAYER – Min. #6 x 1-5/8 in. long Type S or W screws, spaced max. 6 in. oc.

2. **FRAMING:** Min. 2x4 in. nominal wood studs spaced 16 in. oc, or 2x6 in. nominal wood studs spaced 24 in. oc, double top plates and single bottom plate. 16d common nails (3-1/2 in.×0.162 in.), 16d box nails (3-1/2 in. ×0.135 in.), or 12d ring nails (3-1/4 in.×0.135 in.).

3. **INSULATION:** Faced or unfaced mineral fiber insulation min. 3 in. thick (2.8 pcf, nominal) or fiberglass batt insulation min. 3 1/2 in. thick R-13 friction fit between the studs. If 2x6 in. nominal wood studs are used, fiberglass batt insulation shall be min. 5-1/2 in. thick.

4. **SHEATHING (Exterior):**

A. CERTIFIED PRODUCT – MagTech™ fire retardant sheathing for a fire-resistive wood-frame wall assembly, min. 7/16 in. thick wood structural sheathing laminated with min. 3mm thick fiber reinforced magnesium oxide board on both sides.

B. INSTALLATION – MagTech™ is applied vertically over the specified framing with min. 2-3/8 in. long, 0.113 in. diameter nails, spaced max. 8 in. oc around the perimeter and max. 12 in. oc in the field. Horizontal joints must be blocked.

C. CERTIFIED MANUFACTURER – Chicago Flameproof and Wood Specialties Corp., dba Flameproof Companies.

5. **EXTERIOR FACINGS (Optional):** Materials installed in accordance with manufacturer’s installation instructions:

- Masonry brick veneer or concrete
- Portland cement or synthetic stucco systems with self-furring metal lath or adhesive base coat
- Hardboard, wood structural panel, plywood, or fiber-cement siding including textures, rough sawn, MDO brushed, patterned, and lap
- Metal siding
- Vinyl siding – exterior plastic