This map outlines major metropolitan cities throughout Canada and shows what zone the National Building Code of Canada puts each area into for determining the insulation value required of a single family home (based on average annual degree-days). For instance, Victoria, BC would be Zone 4; Toronto Zone 5; Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, and Quebec City Zone 7A. Note that the Vancouver Building Bylaw (separate from the National and BC Building Code) effectively puts the City of Vancouver into Zone 7B.

*Note: Some municipalities throughout the country may have adopted or offered incentives to reach higher insulation values or “Passive Home” benchmarks so please confirm with the municipality the home is being built. Note also that these requirements are expected to steadily increase in the future so please double check with your local building official prior to installation.