AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc. Highlights Installation Standards in Utah

Why Accurate Measurements Matter for Garage Door Installation

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ST. GEORGE, Utah, November 2, 2026 - AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc. is highlighting the importance of accurate measurements, proper installation steps, and safety testing. The company serves homeowners and businesses across Southern Utah.

The focus is on what happens before, during, and after a professional garage door installation. These steps help identify clearance, alignment, and hardware issues before the work is complete.

Why Accurate Measurements Are Important

A garage door opening needs more than a width and height measurement. A professional assessment also considers headroom, backroom, and sideroom while checking the surrounding framing for condition and alignment. Possible obstructions should also be identified before the door is ordered.

These measurements help determine which door and hardware will fit the opening. Incorrect measurements can cause gaps, alignment problems, or extra work.

"Accurate measurements give the installation team the information needed to select and prepare the right components for the opening," said Ryan Salinas, Owner of AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc.

AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc. checks the available space before ordering a new door and related hardware.

What Does a Professional Installer Measure?

A professional measurement can include:

Opening width and height: The full door opening is measured.

Headroom: The available space above the opening is recorded.

Backroom: The depth behind the door is measured.

Sideroom: The space on both sides of the opening is reviewed.

Framing: The frame is checked for proper condition and alignment.

Obstructions: Items that could affect door movement are identified.

Low-headroom garages may need special track hardware, while unusual openings may require a different installation approach.

What Happens During a Professional Garage Door Installation?

A professional garage door installation company follows a planned process from preparation through final testing. When needed, the old door and hardware are removed before the opening is inspected for framing problems that could affect installation of the new system.

How Is a New Garage Door Installed?

A typical installation includes these steps:

Remove the old door: Existing panels and hardware are removed.

Inspect the opening: The frame and work area are reviewed.

Install the bottom panel: The first panel is placed and checked for level.

Add the other panels: Each section is connected with hinges.

Install the vertical tracks: Tracks are secured on both sides of the opening.

Install the horizontal tracks: The horizontal sections are connected to the vertical tracks.

Install the springs and hardware: Required components are fitted to the door system.

Check the door: Balance and movement are tested.

Install the opener: The opener is installed or connected to the door.

Test the system: The door and opener are operated to confirm proper function.

Each step affects how the door works, and proper alignment helps the system move smoothly.

How Is a Garage Door Opener Tested for Safety?

The opener is adjusted after the door is installed, with travel limits and operating force set for the door. Safety sensors are aligned and tested, and the reversal function is checked with an obstruction in the door's path.

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission provides garage door safety guidance that includes testing the automatic reversal function. These final tests help confirm that the system responds as expected, while the technician can also explain the door and opener controls to the property owner.

About AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc

AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc. is a family-owned and operated garage door company. The company provides residential and commercial garage door services, including installation, repair, maintenance, openers, accessories, and driveway gate solutions. Its published garage door options include steel, wood, aluminum, glass, custom, and commercial garage doors.

AllStar Garage Door Services, Inc. provides garage door installation services in Utah for customers in St. George, Washington, Hurricane, Santa Clara, Ivins, Cedar City, and nearby Southern Utah communities. The company also identifies membership in the International Door Association among its industry affiliations.

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