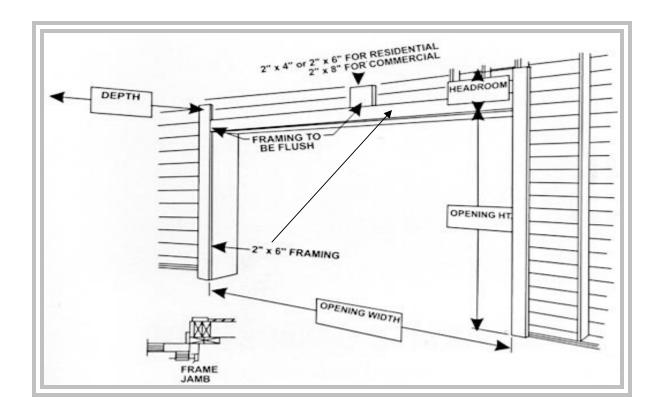
How to Prepare



Garage door size and opening should be the same. Opening must be reasonably plumb and true.

The view above shows the 2x6 facing as it should be applied to the jamb and header. Facing on side jambs should extend above the opening at least 12" or the same amount as required for headroom clearance.

If your new door is replacing an existing sectional door, just measure the existing opening and the headroom clearance as shown above. The existing back framing should be inspected for warped or rotting boards, if they are in poor condition, replace the back framing when the new door is being installed. It will save you more money in the long run.

If your new door is replacing a one-piece type door, or is being installed in a new garage, back frame the opening as required above.

For residential doors headroom required is a minimum of 12" and side clearance is $3 \frac{1}{2}$ ". Residential openers require an additional 3" of headroom. Low headroom track are available- consult your location distributor for specific information.