

WEATHERWATCH®

Mineral Surfaced **Leak Barrier**

Learn about
**Leak
Barriers**

*Protect Your Home
From Wind-Driven
Rain And Damaging
Ice Dams With A Waterproof*

Leak Barrier

A Quality Leak Barrier Will:

Create a 100% watertight seal that keeps water out at the most vulnerable areas of your roof (at the eaves and rakes, in valleys, around chimneys, etc.).

Weather Watch®, a quality leak barrier, will:

- Protect your home by preventing costly repairs due to wall or ceiling staining
- Help prevent leaks due to water damming in your gutters, wind-driven rain, and, in the North, damaging ice dams

Weather Watch® leak barrier is a key part of the GAF-Elk Smart Choice® Roof System Solution (see reverse).



Don't Put Your Home At Risk

- **The Codes Are Clear...** Protection against ice dams is *required** at eaves wherever the January average temperature is 25°F or lower or where there is a possibility of ice forming in the eaves – i.e., the area labeled “Colder Zone” (shown on back).†
- **But Be Prepared...** Ice dams can still occur in areas where the average temperature is above 25°F (not to mention wind-driven rain).
- **Avoid The Risks...** If you are in an area that requires leak barrier protection—and if there is a leak—you could be putting your insurance coverage at risk by not installing it!

*Check local building codes for specifications in your area.
†Source: International Building Code (ICBO), IRC, UBC, NBC, and SBC.