

Town of Essex
 30 Martin Street, Essex, MA 01929 (978) 768-2514
 Massachusetts State Building Code, 780 CMR, 7th edition
 Building Permit Application To Construct, Repair, Renovate Or Demolish a
One- or Two-Family Dwelling

This Section For Official Use Only

Building Permit Number: _____ Date Applied: _____

Signature: _____ Date _____
 Building Commissioner/ Inspector of Buildings

SECTION 1: SITE INFORMATION

1.1 Property Address: _____ **1.2 Assessors Map & Parcel Numbers**

 1.1a Is this an accepted street? yes _____ no _____ Map Number _____ Parcel Number _____

1.3 Zoning Information: _____ **1.4 Property Dimensions:**
 Zoning District _____ Proposed Use _____ Lot Area (sq ft) _____ Frontage (ft) _____

1.5 Building Setbacks (ft)

Front Yard		Side Yards		Rear Yard	
Required	Provided	Required	Provided	Required	Provided

1.6 Water Supply: (M.G.L. c. 40, §54) Public Private **1.7 Flood Zone Information:** Zone: _____ Outside Flood Zone? Check if yes **1.8 Sewage Disposal System:** Municipal On site disposal system

SECTION 2: PROPERTY OWNERSHIP¹

2.1 Owner¹ of Record:
 Name (Print) _____ Address for Service: _____
 Signature _____ Telephone _____

SECTION 3: DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED WORK² (check all that apply)

New Construction Existing Building Owner-Occupied Repairs(s) Alteration(s) Addition
 Demolition Accessory Bldg. Number of Units _____ Other Specify: _____

Brief Description of Proposed Work²: _____

SECTION 4: ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION COSTS

Item	Estimated Costs: (Labor and Materials)	Official Use Only
1. Building	\$ _____	1. Building Permit Fee: \$ _____ Indicate how fee is determined: <input type="checkbox"/> Standard City/Town Application Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Total Project Cost ³ (Item 6) x multiplier _____ x _____ 2. Other Fees: \$ _____ List: _____ Total All Fees: \$ _____ Check No. _____ Check Amount: _____ Cash Amount: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Paid in Full <input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding Balance Due: _____
2. Electrical	\$ _____	
3. Plumbing	\$ _____	
4. Mechanical (HVAC)	\$ _____	
5. Mechanical (Fire Suppression)	\$ _____	
6. Total Project Cost:	\$ _____	

SECTION 5: CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

5.1 Licensed Construction Supervisor (CSL)

Name of CSL- Holder _____

Address _____

Signature _____

Telephone _____

License Number _____

Expiration Date _____

List CSL Type (see below) _____

Type	Description
U	Unrestricted (up to 35,000 Cu. Ft.)
R	Restricted 1&2 Family Dwelling
M	Masonry Only
RC	Residential Roofing Covering
WS	Residential Window and Siding
SF	Residential Solid Fuel Burning Appliance Installation
D	Residential Demolition

5.2 Registered Home Improvement Contractor (HIC)

HIC Company Name or HIC Registrant Name _____

Address _____

Signature _____

Telephone _____

Registration Number _____

Expiration Date _____

SECTION 6: WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AFFIDAVIT (M.G.L. c. 152. § 25C(6))

Workers Compensation Insurance affidavit must be completed and submitted with this application. Failure to provide this affidavit will result in the denial of the Issuance of the building permit.

Signed Affidavit Attached? Yes No

SECTION 7a: OWNER AUTHORIZATION TO BE COMPLETED WHEN OWNER'S AGENT OR CONTRACTOR APPLIES FOR BUILDING PERMIT

I, _____, as Owner of the subject property hereby authorize _____ to act on my behalf, in all matters relative to work authorized by this building permit application.

Signature of Owner _____

Date _____

SECTION 7b: OWNER¹ OR AUTHORIZED AGENT DECLARATION

I, _____, as Owner or Authorized Agent hereby declare that the statements and information on the foregoing application are true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge and behalf.

Print Name _____

Signature of Owner or Authorized Agent
(Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury) _____

Date _____

NOTES:

1. An Owner who obtains a building permit to do his/her own work, or an owner who hires an unregistered contractor (not registered in the Home Improvement Contractor (HIC) Program), will *not* have access to the arbitration program or guaranty fund under M.G.L. c. 142A. Other important information on the HIC Program and Construction Supervisor Licensing (CSL) can be found in 780 CMR Regulations 110.R6 and 110.R5, respectively.

2. When substantial work is planned, provide the information below:

Total floors area (Sq. Ft.) _____	(including garage, finished basement/attics, decks or porch)
Gross living area (Sq. Ft.) _____	Habitable room count _____
Number of fireplaces _____	Number of bedrooms _____
Number of bathrooms _____	Number of half/baths _____
Type of heating system _____	Number of decks/ porches _____
Type of cooling system _____	Enclosed _____ Open _____



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
 Department of Industrial Accidents
 Office of Investigations
 600 Washington Street
 Boston, MA 02111
 www.mass.gov/dia

Workers' Compensation Insurance Affidavit: Builders/Contractors/Electricians/Plumbers
Applicant Information **Please Print Legibly**

Name (Business/Organization/Individual): _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Phone #: _____

<p>Are you an employer? Check the appropriate box:</p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> I am an employer with _____ employees (full and/or part-time).*</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a sole proprietor or partnership and have no employees working for me in any capacity. [No workers' comp. insurance required.]</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a homeowner doing all work myself. [No workers' comp. insurance required.] †</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a general contractor and I have hired the sub-contractors listed on the attached sheet. These sub-contractors have employees and have workers' comp. insurance. ‡</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> We are a corporation and its officers have exercised their right of exemption per MGL c. 152, §1(4), and we have no employees. [No workers' comp. insurance required.]</p>	<p>Type of project (required):</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> New construction</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Remodeling</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Demolition</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> Building addition</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> Electrical repairs or additions</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing repairs or additions</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Roof repairs</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>
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*Any applicant that checks box #1 must also fill out the section below showing their workers' compensation policy information.
 † Homeowners who submit this affidavit indicating they are doing all work and then hire outside contractors must submit a new affidavit indicating such.
 ‡ Contractors that check this box must attach an additional sheet showing the name of the sub-contractors and state whether or not those entities have employees. If the sub-contractors have employees, they must provide their workers' comp. policy number.

I am an employer that is providing workers' compensation insurance for my employees. Below is the policy and job site information.

Insurance Company Name: _____

Policy # or Self-ins. Lic. #: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Job Site Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Attach a copy of the workers' compensation policy declaration page (showing the policy number and expiration date).

Failure to secure coverage as required under Section 25A of MGL c. 152 can lead to the imposition of criminal penalties of a fine up to \$1,500.00 and/or one-year imprisonment, as well as civil penalties in the form of a STOP WORK ORDER and a fine of up to \$250.00 a day against the violator. Be advised that a copy of this statement may be forwarded to the Office of Investigations of the DIA for insurance coverage verification.

I do hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that the information provided above is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone #: _____

<i>Official use only. Do not write in this area, to be completed by city or town official.</i>	
City or Town: _____	Permit/License # _____
Issuing Authority (circle one):	
1. Board of Health 2. Building Department 3. City/Town Clerk 4. Electrical Inspector 5. Plumbing Inspector	
6. Other _____	
Contact Person: _____	Phone #: _____

Building Permit Application Routing and Approval Form

Property Address: _____

Town of Essex Assessor Map _____ Lot _____

Name of Owner: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

*If there is more than one owner: the name, contact information and signature of all owners will be required.

Name of Agent/Builder: _____

License Number of Builder: _____

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

IMPORTANT: You must obtain approvals from the following Town of Essex Departments if the box to the left of the Department is checked by the Building Inspector. You must meet with the Building Inspector or the Assistant Building Inspector to find out what is required. If your application requires Site Plan Review the Building Inspector or the Assistant Building Inspector will check the box and you are required to submit an application to the Town Clerk so the SPR application may be reviewed by the Planning Board.

Required	Department	Approved	Denied	Initials of authorized Department Representative
	Board of Health			
	Conservation Commission			
	Water/Wastewater Department			
	Department of Public Works			
	Fire Department/911			
	Historical Commission			
	Site Plan Review – Planning Board			
	Other			

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

The Original Application was received for processing by the Building Inspector on: _____

Approved/Signed by the Building Inspector on: _____

Conditions: _____

Denied on: _____

Reason for Denial: _____
