

EXCAVATION APPLICATION FORM

1. Submit completed application together with additional required information to:

- a. Chairman or Secretary
Planning Board
Town Office
Bennington, NH 03442
- b. Chairman or Secretary
Conservation Commission
Town Office
Bennington, NH 03442

2. Date of submission _____

3. Name of owner/applicant _____

Address(mailing) _____

4. Location of proposed/existing excavation (municipality, nearest roads, other locational information, lot # from tax map).

5. Names and addresses of abutters (see definition). List below or attach sheet and show clearly on plan:

6. State permits required and obtained (if applicable):

- WSPCC (RSA 149:8a, RSA 148:5-a)
- Wetland Board (RSA 483-A)
- State Highway Department (Access permit, RSA 249:13-18)
- State Pit Agreement (NHDPW&H, Std, Spec's, Section 106)

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7. Excavation/Reclamation Plan; this information is to be submitted as plans attached to this application.
- a. Site surveyed by a Registered Land Surveyor, to establish an accurate base map showing boundary lines, topography, and significant features.
 - b. Excavation Plan to show:
 - existing buildings, septic systems, wells
 - property lines
 - existing topography (5ft or less contour intervals)
 - limits of excavation
 - excavation depths (excavated topography)
 - total area of excavation in acres
 - access road(s) and intersection with town or state highways
 - vegetation buffer
 - abutters names and addresses
 - distances from excavation limits to property lines
 - schedule of excavation volumes; phasing of excavation (areas and dates)
 - test pit groundwater elevations
 - topsoil storage area
 - drainage improvements (if necessary)
 - photographs of existing conditions
 - zoning district boundaries
 - proposed fencing and visual barriers
 - c. Reclamation Plan to show:
 - reclaimed topography (5 ft or less contour intervals)
 - soil conditioning specifications
 - seeding and mulching specifications
 - plant materials/quantities/sizes
 - phasing of reclamation (areas and dates)
 - sections showing existing, excavated and reclaimed topography
8. Hauling Information:
- a. Routes to be utilized
 - b. Frequency of truck traffic over routes
 - c. Size and weight of trucks used

9. Reclamation Bond:

A reclamation bond shall be required prior to the issuance of an excavation permit. The bond amount is established by multiplying the excavation pit surface acreage by _____ * per acre.

*This figure will vary with site conditions and should be reviewed annually.

10. The excavation permit will be valid for a period of 3 years. An application for permit renewal should be submitted to the regulator by the owner if excavation is to be continued beyond the termination date. The renewal application should identify and adjust all information contained in the original application that no longer is effective for the renewal period.

This is to certify that the information contained in this application is completed and true to the best of my knowledge.

Submitted by: _____
Signature (owner, designee)

Date