

COMMERCIAL APPLICATION  
DEPARTMENTAL APPROVAL FORM

PROPERTY ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PROPERTY OWNER: \_\_\_\_\_

ASSESSORS MAP & LOT NUMBER      MAP \_\_\_\_\_      LOT \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE REQUIRED

FIRE DEPARTMENT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

HIGHWAY DEPT. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

WATER DEPT. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SEWER DEPT. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD OF HEALTH \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CONSERVATION COM. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

TAX COLLECTOR \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ASSESSORS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PLANNING BOARD \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD OF APPEALS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Town of Somerset



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Department of Public Safety

Massachusetts State Building Code (780 CMR)

Building Permit Application for any Building other than a One- or Two-Family Dwelling

(This Section For Official Use Only)

Building Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Applied: \_\_\_\_\_ Building Official: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 1: LOCATION (Please indicate Block # and Lot # for locations for which a street address is not available)

No. and Street \_\_\_\_\_ City /Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Building (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 2: PROPOSED WORK

Edition of MA State Code used \_\_\_\_\_ If New Construction check here  or check all that apply in the two rows below

Existing Building  Repair  Alteration  Addition  Demolition  (Please fill out and submit Appendix 1)

Change of Use  Change of Occupancy  Other  Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Are building plans and/or construction documents being supplied as part of this permit application? Yes  No

Is an Independent Structural Engineering Peer Review required? Yes  No

Brief Description of Proposed Work:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 3: COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF EXISTING BUILDING UNDERGOING RENOVATION, ADDITION, OR CHANGE IN USE OR OCCUPANCY

Check here if an Existing Building Investigation and Evaluation is enclosed (See 780 CMR 34)

Existing Use Group(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed Use Group(s): \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 4: BUILDING HEIGHT AND AREA

	Existing	Proposed
No. of Floors/Stories (include basement levels) & Area Per Floor (sq. ft.)		
Total Area (sq. ft.) and Total Height (ft.)		

SECTION 5: USE GROUP (Check as applicable)

A: Assembly A-1  A-2  Nightclub  A-3  A-4  A-5  B: Business  E: Educational   
 F: Factory F-1  F-2  H: High Hazard H-1  H-2  H-3  H-4  H-5   
 I: Institutional I-1  I-2  I-3  I-4  M: Mercantile  R: Residential R-1  R-2  R-3  R-4   
 S: Storage S-1  S-2  U: Utility  Special Use  and please describe below:

Special Use: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 6: CONSTRUCTION TYPE (Check as applicable)

IA  IB  IIA  IIB  IIIA  IIIB  IV  VA  VB

SECTION 7: SITE INFORMATION (refer to 780 CMR 111.0 for details on each item)

Water Supply: Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/>	Flood Zone Information: Check if outside Flood Zone <input type="checkbox"/> or identify Zone: _____	Sewage Disposal: Indicate municipal <input type="checkbox"/> or on site system <input type="checkbox"/>	Trench Permit: A trench will not be required <input type="checkbox"/> or trench permit is enclosed <input type="checkbox"/>	Debris Removal: Licensed Disposal Site <input type="checkbox"/> or specify: _____
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Railroad right-of-way:  
Not Applicable   
or Consent to Build enclosed

Hazards to Air Navigation:  
Is Structure within airport approach area?  
Yes  or No

MA Historic Commission Review Process:  
Is their review completed?  
Yes  No

SECTION 8: CONTENT OF CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY

Edition of Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Use Group(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Construction: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupant Load per Floor: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the building contain an Sprinkler System?: \_\_\_\_\_ Special Stipulations: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 9: PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION**

Name and Address of Property Owner

Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ No. and Street \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner Contact Information:

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. (business) \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

If applicable, the property owner hereby authorizes

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
to act on the property owner's behalf, in all matters relative to work authorized by this building permit application.

**SECTION 10: CONSTRUCTION CONTROL (Please fill out Appendix 2)**

(If building is less than 35,000 cu. ft. of enclosed space and/or not under Construction Control then check here  and skip Section 10.1)

**10.1 Registered Professional Responsible for Construction Control**

Name (Registrant)	Telephone No.	e-mail address	Registration Number
Street Address	City/Town	State Zip	Discipline Expiration Date

**10.2 General Contractor**

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Responsible for Construction \_\_\_\_\_ License No. and Type if Applicable \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. (business) \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 11: WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AFFIDAVIT (M.G.L. c. 152, § 25C(6))**

A Workers' Compensation Insurance Affidavit from the MA Department of Industrial Accidents 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.  
Is a signed Affidavit submitted with this application? Yes  No

**SECTION 12: CONSTRUCTION COSTS AND PERMIT FEE**

Item	Estimated Costs: (Labor and Materials)	Total Construction Cost (from Item 6) = \$ _____
1. Building	\$ _____	Building Permit Fee = Total Construction Cost x _____ (Insert here appropriate municipal factor) = \$ _____  Note: Minimum fee = \$ _____ (contact municipality)  Enclose check payable to _____ (contact municipality) and write check number here _____
2. Electrical	\$ _____	
3. Plumbing	\$ _____	
4. Mechanical (HVAC)	\$ _____	
5. Mechanical (Other)	\$ _____	
6. Total Cost	\$ _____	

**SECTION 13: SIGNATURE OF BUILDING PERMIT APPLICANT**

By entering my name below, I hereby attest under the pains and penalties of perjury that all of the information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and understanding.

Please print and sign name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Municipal Inspector to fill out this section upon application approval:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Appendix 2

Construction Documents are required for structures that must comply with 780 CMR 107. The checklist below is a compilation of the documents that may be required for this. The applicant shall fill out the checklist and provide the contact information of the registered professionals responsible for the documents. This appendix is to be submitted with the building permit application.

### Checklist for Construction Documents\*

No.	Item	Mark "x" where applicable		
		Submitted	Incomplete	Not Required
1	Architectural			
2	Foundation			
3	Structural			
4	Fire Suppression			
5	Fire Alarm (may require repeaters)			
6	HVAC			
7	Electrical			
8	Plumbing (include local connections)			
9	Gas (Natural, Propane, Medical or other)			
10	Surveyed Site Plan (Utilities, Wetland, etc.)			
11	Specifications			
12	Structural Peer Review			
13	Structural Tests & Inspections Program			
14	Fire Protection Narrative Report			
15	Existing Building Survey/Investigation			
16	Energy Conservation Report			
17	Architectural Access Review (521 CMR)			
18	Workers Compensation Insurance			
19	Hazardous Material Mitigation Documentation			
20	Other (Specify)			
21	Other (Specify)			
22	Other (Specify)			

\*Areas of Design or Construction for which plans are not complete at the time of application submittal must be identified herein. Work so identified must not be commenced until this application has been amended and the proposed construction document amendment has been approved by the authority having jurisdiction. Work started prior to approval may be subjected to *triple the original permit fee.*

### Registered Professional Contact Information

Name (Registrant)	Telephone No.	e-mail address	Registration Number
Street Address	City/Town	State    Zip	Discipline    Expiration Date
Name (Registrant)	Telephone No.	e-mail address	Registration Number
Street Address	City/Town	State    Zip	Discipline    Expiration Date
Name (Registrant)	Telephone No.	e-mail address	Registration Number
Street Address	City/Town	State    Zip	Discipline    Expiration Date

## Appendix 1

For the demolition of structures the building permit applicant shall attest that utility and other service connections are properly addressed to ensure for public safety.

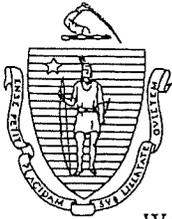
Please fill in the information below and submit this appendix with the building permit application. The building permit applicant attests under the pains and penalties of perjury that the following is true and accurate.

Property Location (Please indicate Block # and Lot # for locations for which a street address is not available)

No. and Street	City /Town	Zip	Name of Building (if applicable)
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For the above described property the following action was taken:

Water Shut Off?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Provider notified and Release obtained?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Gas Shut Off?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Provider notified and Release obtained?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Electricity Shut Off?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Provider notified and Release obtained?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Provider notified and Release obtained?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Other (if applicable)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Provider notified and Release obtained?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		Other (if applicable)	



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Department of Industrial Accidents  
 1 Congress Street, Suite 100  
 Boston, MA 02114-2017  
 www.mass.gov/dia

Workers' Compensation Insurance Affidavit: Builders/Contractors/Electricians/Plumbers.  
 TO BE FILED WITH THE PERMITTING AUTHORITY.

Applicant Information

Please Print Legibly

Name (Business/Organization/Individual): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an employer? Check the appropriate box:

1.  I am an employer with \_\_\_\_\_ employees (full and/or part-time).\*
2.  I am a sole proprietor or partnership and have no employees working for me in any capacity. [No workers' comp. insurance required.]
3.  I am a homeowner doing all work myself. [No workers' comp. insurance required.] †
4.  I am a homeowner and will be hiring contractors to conduct all work on my property. I will ensure that all contractors either have workers' compensation insurance or are sole proprietors with no employees.
5.  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. ‡
6.  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.]

Type of project (required):

7.  New construction
8.  Remodeling
9.  Demolition
10.  Building addition
11.  Electrical repairs or additions
12.  Plumbing repairs or additions
13.  Roof repairs
14.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

\*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 attached 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 MGL c. 152, §25A is a criminal violation punishable by 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. 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: X \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

*Official use only. Do not write in this area, to be completed by city or town official.*

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 #: \_\_\_\_\_



# Town of Somerset

Waste Disposal

Property Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit #: \_\_\_\_\_

In accordance with the provisions of MGL c. S 54, a condition of the Building Permit is that the debris resulting from this work shall be disposed of in a property licensed solid waste disposal facility as defined by MGL c. 111, S 150A

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Facility

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Facility

**X**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date