

Town of Braintree
Application For Access / Utilities Within Highway Right-of-Way Permit

Owner/Applicant: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Co Applicant/Contractor: _____

Mailing Address: _____

The undersigned requests an Access/Utilities within Highway Right-of-Way Permit to allow _____ to construct an Access/Utilities Within Highway Right-of-Way in accordance with Vermont Dept. of Highways Standards to serve the applicant's property – Parcel Number _____ located on the _____ side of Highway No. ____ (local name of the road _____) The proposed Access/Utilities within Highway Right-of-Way will be located approximately (feet or miles) _____ from the intersection of this road with _____.

Discription of work and a detailed sketch must accompany this application.

Prior to acceptance of this permit, the applicant must indicate the site of the proposed Access/Utilities Within Highway Right-of-Way with stakes marked with orange flags. **Dig Safe 811 Vermont law requires individuals to notify Dig Safe® at least 48 hours before excavation on public and private property, rights of ways and easements.

Driveways and Approach Roads entering a Town Highway shall meet the following standards:

1. Be constructed at a 90 degree angle to the town highway
2. Have a minimum sight distance of 150 feet both ways when viewed 15 feet back form the edge of the travelled way.
3. Have a minimum width of 16 feet for the first 20 feet back from the edge of the town highway shoulder.
4. Be graded and ditched so that water does not run onto the town highway.
5. Is in compliance with the Fire Service standards, if applicalable.

Utilities Within Highway Right-of-Way of Town Highway shall meet the following standards:

1. Must be 3 feet below grade with marking tape 1 foot below grade when crossing roadway.
2. If running parallel with road utility should be 3 feet below grade and outside of outer most portion of ditch line and marked with marking tape 1 foot below grade.

Where situations exist that the town standards cannot be reasonable met, the Owner/Applicant can request a review from the Selectboard for any proposed deviations.

The Owner/ Applicant shall be responsible for all damages to persons or property resulting from work done under this permit, even if Applicants Contractor does the work. All references to the Owner/Applicant also refers to Co Applicant.

The Owner/Applicant must erect and maintain barriers need to protect the traveling public.

The applicant agrees to maintain said Access/Utilities Within Highway Right-of-Way and adhere to the directions, restrictions and conditions on page 2 of this form as part of this permit.

Dated at Braintree, This _____ day of _____, 20____

Owner/Applicant's or Owner/Applicant's Agent

Title

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Notice: This permit is issued in accordance with Title 19, Section 43 V.S.A. relative to all highways within the control and jurisdiction of the Town of Braintree. The issuance of this permit does NOT release the applicant from any requirements of statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations administered by other governmental agencies. The permit will be effective upon compliance with such of these requirements as are applicable and continue in effect for as long as the present land use continues. Any change from the present land use will require a permit. This permit is subject to the directions, restrictions and conditions contained herein and on the reverse of this form and any attachments hereto, and covers only work described in this application, and then only when the work is performed as directed. Violations are subject to the penalties set forth in Title 19, Section 43, V.S.A. of fines of not less than \$100, nor more than \$10,000 for each violation.

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Directions, Restrictions and Conditions: _____

Braintree Road Foreman

Date

Town Authorized Agent

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