

BUILDING PERMIT APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Decks:

- Application form completed
- Schedule 1 – Designer Information
- Development Review form completed
- Site Plan as per the cover sheet on Building application
- Building Plans – 2 copies required
 - a) Floor plan & foundation plan
 - b) Exterior elevations (front, side, rear)
 - c) Cross section
- Engineered Specs for Glass, Aluminum, Vinyl or Steel Guards
- Conservation Authority Approval
(Catfish Creek or Kettle Creek where applicable)



What do you need to supply when making application for a building permit?

When submitting for a building permit the following items are required at the time of Application;

- **Application to Construct or Demolish with Schedule 1: Designer Information**
- **2 sets of drawings**, to scale, legible and include:
 - o *Site plan*, lot lines and dimensions, new and existing building sizes and locations, building setbacks, street names, municipal address and north arrow. (Plans submitted for development approval may also be re-submitted for building permit)
 - o *Foundation Plan*. Showing; scale, dimensions, size type and location of all walls and partitions, width locations and lintel sizes for all openings, material specifications or notes.
 - o *Floor Plans*. Showing; scale, dimensions, use of rooms and spaces, size type and location of all walls and partitions, width locations and lintel sizes for all openings, material specifications or notes, location and direction of stairs, references to details.
 - o *Elevations*. Showing; scale, vertical dimensions, grade level, exterior finishes, overhang dimension, roof shape slope and finish, references to details.
 - o *Sections and details*. Showing; scale, details of footings foundation, walls, floors and roof, distance from grade to floors, roof and underside of footing, material specifications or notes.
 - o All drawings to be done by a qualified designer with a valid BCIN (Except for exemptions as outlined under sections 2.17.4.1.(3) (4) and 2.17.5.1.(2) of the OBC)
 - o Engineered Specifications for Glass, Aluminum, Vinyl or Steel Guards
- **General review commitment** certificate completed by engineer/architect for aspects of the building designed outside of part 9 of the OBC.

Applications deemed to be incomplete will be rejected prior to review and will need to be resubmitted for issuance of building permit.

As of August 22, 2016, By-Law 2029, being a by-law respecting the implementation of the Building Code Act, S.O. 1992, c.23. and cited as the "Building Permit By-Law":

9.11 Building Permit Security Deposit: With respect to the issuance of a building permit, a refundable security deposit will be paid to the Municipality to assure total completion of work authorized by the permit. The amount will be based on five (5) percent of the permit value to a maximum of \$1,000.00. The deposit will be held without interest until completion certificate is issued. The deposit will be returned in full, less any additional required inspection fees. If an extension for completion of the permitted work is not requested in writing and granted, then the deposit will be forfeited at the end of one year after the date of issuance of the permit. The fee contemplated by this section shall be forfeited in full if the building for which the permit was issued has been occupied prior to the issuance of a completion certificate.



Application for a Permit to Construct or Demolish

This form is authorized under subsection 8(1.1) of the Building Code Act.

For use by Principal Authority			
Application number:	Permit number (if different):		
Date received:	Roll number:		
Application submitted to: _____ (Name of municipality, upper-tier municipality, board of health or conservation authority)			
A. Project information			
Building number, street name		Unit number	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Plan number/other description	
Project value est. \$		Area of work (m ²)	
B. Purpose of application			
<input type="checkbox"/> New construction <input type="checkbox"/> Addition to an existing building <input type="checkbox"/> Alteration/repair <input type="checkbox"/> Demolition <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Permit			
Proposed use of building		Current use of building	
Description of proposed work			
C. Applicant Applicant is: <input type="checkbox"/> Owner or <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized agent of owner			
Last name	First name	Corporation or partnership	
Street address		Unit number	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number ()	Fax ()	Cell number ()	
D. Owner (if different from applicant)			
Last name	First name	Corporation or partnership	
Street address		Unit number	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number ()	Fax ()	Cell number ()	

E. Builder (optional)				
Last name		First name	Corporation or partnership (if applicable)	
Street address			Unit number	Lot/con.
Municipality		Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number ()		Fax ()	Cell number ()	
F. Tarion Warranty Corporation (Ontario New Home Warranty Program)				
i. Is proposed construction for a new home as defined in the <i>Ontario New Home Warranties Plan Act</i> ? If no, go to section G.			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
ii. Is registration required under the <i>Ontario New Home Warranties Plan Act</i> ?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
iii. If yes to (ii) provide registration number(s): _____				
G. Required Schedules				
i) Attach Schedule 1 for each individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities.				
ii) Attach Schedule 2 where application is to construct on-site, install or repair a sewage system.				
H. Completeness and compliance with applicable law				
i) This application meets all the requirements of clauses 1.3.1.3 (5) (a) to (d) of Division C of the Building Code (the application is made in the correct form and by the owner or authorized agent, all applicable fields have been completed on the application and required schedules, and all required schedules are submitted). Payment has been made of all fees that are required, under the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(c) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> , to be paid when the application is made.			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
ii) This application is accompanied by the plans and specifications prescribed by the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(b) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> .			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
iii) This application is accompanied by the information and documents prescribed by the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(b) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> which enable the chief building official to determine whether the proposed building, construction or demolition will contravene any applicable law.			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
iv) The proposed building, construction or demolition will not contravene any applicable law.			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
I. Declaration of applicant				
I _____ declare that: (print name)				
1. The information contained in this application, attached schedules, attached plans and specifications, and other attached documentation is true to the best of my knowledge.				
2. If the owner is a corporation or partnership, I have the authority to bind the corporation or partnership.				
_____ Date		_____ Signature of applicant		

Personal information contained in this form and schedules is collected under the authority of subsection 8(1.1) of the *Building Code Act, 1992*, and will be used in the administration and enforcement of the *Building Code Act, 1992*. Questions about the collection of personal information may be addressed to: a) the Chief Building Official of the municipality or upper-tier municipality to which this application is being made, or, b) the inspector having the powers and duties of a chief building official in relation to sewage systems or plumbing for an upper-tier municipality, board of health or conservation authority to whom this application is made, or, c) Director, Building and Development Branch, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing 777 Bay St., 2nd Floor. Toronto, M5G 2E5 (416) 585-6666.

Schedule 1: Designer Information

Use one form for each individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities with respect to the project.

A. Project Information			
Building number, street name		Unit no.	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Plan number/ other description	
B. Individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities			
Name		Firm	
Street address		Unit no.	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number ()	Fax number ()	Cell number ()	
C. Design activities undertaken by individual identified in Section B. [Building Code Table 3.5.2.1. of Division C]			
<input type="checkbox"/> House	<input type="checkbox"/> HVAC – House	<input type="checkbox"/> Building Structural	
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Buildings	<input type="checkbox"/> Building Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing – House	
<input type="checkbox"/> Large Buildings	<input type="checkbox"/> Detection, Lighting and Power	<input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing – All Buildings	
<input type="checkbox"/> Complex Buildings	<input type="checkbox"/> Fire Protection	<input type="checkbox"/> On-site Sewage Systems	
Description of designer's work			
D. Declaration of Designer			
I _____ declare that (choose one as appropriate):			
(print name)			
<input type="checkbox"/> I review and take responsibility for the design work on behalf of a firm registered under subsection 3.2.4. of Division C, of the Building Code. I am qualified, and the firm is registered, in the appropriate classes/categories. Individual BCIN: _____ Firm BCIN: _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> I review and take responsibility for the design and am qualified in the appropriate category as an "other designer" under subsection 3.2.5. of Division C, of the Building Code. Individual BCIN: _____ Basis for exemption from registration: _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> The design work is exempt from the registration and qualification requirements of the Building Code. Basis for exemption from registration and qualification: _____			
I certify that:			
1. The information contained in this schedule is true to the best of my knowledge. 2. I have submitted this application with the knowledge and consent of the firm.			
_____		_____	
Date		Signature of Designer	

NOTE:

1. For the purposes of this form, "individual" means the "person" referred to in Clause 3.2.4.7(1) d) of Division C, Article 3.2.5.1. of Division C, and all other persons who are exempt from qualification under Subsections 3.2.4. and 3.2.5. of Division C.
2. Schedule 1 is not required to be completed by a holder of a license, temporary license, or a certificate of practice, issued by the Ontario Association of Architects. Schedule 1 is also not required to be completed by a holder of a license to practise, a limited license to practise, or a certificate of authorization, issued by the Association of Professional Engineers of Ontario.



The Building Code Act requires compliance to other applicable law and items identified under the Municipal Building By-law prior to issuance of a building permit.

In order to determine compliance, the Municipality of Central Elgin has developed the attached “Development Review Form (DRF)” as a general guideline for residential and small construction projects. Failure to complete this form and submission of all required approvals as note on the DRF will leave municipal staff unable to determine compliance to other applicable law and, therefore, a building permit will not be reviewed or issued.

Building permit application time frames as set out in the Building Code Act will not commence until such time as the DRF is complete and all approvals have been received.

Drawings are required to be to scale, legible and include:

- **Zoning Compliance.** Site plan showing lot lines and dimensions, new and existing building sizes and locations, building height, building setbacks, street names, municipal address and north arrow, reference to legal survey or note stating survey stakes located and confirmed on site.
- **Lot Grading.** Site plan showing lot lines and dimensions, new and existing building sizes and locations, building setbacks, location of paved surfaces, street names, municipal address and north arrow, location of septic field, reference to legal survey or note stating survey stakes located and confirmed on site, (geodetic elevations) and drainage arrows. Lot grading plans must bear the signature and seal of a Professional Engineer, Landscape Architect, or Ontario Land Surveyor.
- **Access Permit.** Site Plan showing lot lines and dimensions, driveway location and width.
- **Service Permit.** Site Plan showing lot lines and dimensions, building setbacks, street names, municipal address and north arrow, location of service lines, location of driveways and sidewalks.
- **Proximity to Overhead Power Lines.** Site Plan identifying and confirming by the Local Utility Company the proximity to overhead power lines.



Sections outlined below deal with applicable law as outlined in section 1.1.3.3. of the O.B.C , and the Municipal Building By-law as per section 7 of the BCA. Prior to the acceptance of a building permit application, all sections must be fully completed and approved by the appropriate authorities. Time frames for issuance of permits under the BCA, due not commence until all items below are completed and submitted with a complete building permit application to the municipality. This form is only a guideline for residential and small development in our area, additional reviews and approvals may be required.

Full Address of project		Unit Number	Lot/con.
Building Number	Street Name		

A) Zoning Compliance. To obtain property zoning, you must contact Municipality of Central Elgin Planning Office at 519-633-2560.

Property Zoning			
Building Size			
Width	Length	Height	Area
Setbacks Provided			
Side yard	Side yard	Front Yard	Rear yard
Is this application conditional to Site Plan Control or Zoning Amendment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
If yes attach copies of approvals.			

B) Lot Grading Approval

Does the proposed development include a roofed structure greater than 10 sq. m. (108 sq. ft.)? (if yes one of the following is required) Yes No

Have you provided a Lot Grading Plan or Lot Grading Exemption Form for approval? Yes No

C) Overhead Power Lines

Are there any Overhead Power Lines within the construction area? Yes No

If "Yes", provide a drawing showing the approximate location to the construction work.

C) Ontario Heritage Act

Does the development deal with a historical designated building? Yes No

If yes, provide letter of approval from the Municipal Council.

D) Conservation Authority

Is the proposed development in a flood, erosion or dynamic beaches controlled area?

- Kettle Creek Conservation Authority - 631-1270.-Joe Gordon
- Catfish Creek Conservation Authority - 773-9037 – Tony Difazio

Does the proposed construction require Conservation Authority review? Yes No

If yes, provide a copy of Permit Issued.

E) Agricultural

Minimum Distance Separation

Non-livestock related construction

Are there any structures capable of housing livestock within 500m (1650 ft) of this proposed structure? Yes No.

Livestock related construction

Are there any residential structures within 500m (1650 ft) of this proposed structure? Yes No.

If yes to either of the above provide Minimum Distance Separation Calculation Form.

Nutrient Management Act

1) Is this a new operation creating > 5 N.U.'s? Yes No.

If yes, provide a copy of Nutrient Management Plan.

2) Is this a new operation creating > 150 N.U.'s? Yes No.

3) Is this an expanding operation creating > 300 N.U.'s? Yes No.

If yes to either of the above, provide a copy of Provincial approval

F) Septic Permit

Does the development require installation of a new septic system? Yes No

Does the development require alterations of an existing septic system? Yes No

Does the development increase the number of bedrooms? Yes No

Does the development increase the number of plumbing fixtures? Yes No

G) Access permit

Does the development require new access onto a County road? Yes No

Does the development require access approval for MTO? Yes No

If yes, provide letter of approval.

Does the development require new access onto a Municipal road? Yes No

If yes please provide plans for approval by the Director of Physical Services

H) Service Connection

Does the development require connection to municipal services? Yes No

If yes please provide plans for approval by the Director of Physical Services

I) Declaration of applicant

I, _____ certify that:
(Print name)

1. The information contained in this application, attached plans and specifications, and other attached documentation is true to the best of my knowledge.
2. As the Owner/Contractor, I take responsibility to ensure compliance to all federal, provincial and municipal legislation and or regulations prior to, during, and after construction. I will not hold The Municipality of Central Elgin or its employees liable for any actions by myself resulting in non-issuance of a permit, revoking of a permit, civil action, and/or possible fine.
4. I have authority to bind the Corporation or Partnership (if applicable).

(Date)

(Signature of Applicant)

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