

TOWN OFFICE
CODES ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT
17 Highland Avenue
WINTHROP, MAINE 04364
TELEPHONE (207) 377-7200 ext. 427

APPLICATION FOR EARTHMOVING

NAME _____ DATE TO BEGIN _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

PROJECT LOCATION _____

ESTIMATED CUBIC YARDS _____

REASON _____

WILL THE EARTH BE MOVED OFF SITE? _____

IF YES, where? _____

GENERAL EROSION CONTROL STANDARDS (MAY 1 – AUGUST 15)

- 1) The applicant shall install an erosion control barrier, consisting of either a staked hay bale barrier or a silt fence, between the exposed earth, the waterbody, and abutting property. The location of the barrier should be at the edge of the disturbed soils. Hand-outs describing the proper installation of both methods are available at the Codes Enforcement Office.
- 2) The applicant shall apply a temporary hay mulch, about 4 inches thick, within one week of earthmoving, if seeding has not been done yet. Where slopes are steeper than 10 percent, the mulch should be held in place by either tacking netting down over the area or by cutting the mulch into the ground with a shovel.
- 3) The applicant shall permanently stabilize all exposed earth at project completion by seeding at the rate specified on the package and lightly mulching, at a rate of 2 bales per 1,000 square feet. Fertilizer should not be used on land adjacent to a lake, pond, or stream. In other areas, the amount of fertilizer is best determined by a soil test from the Maine Soil Testing Service (kits available from the Kennebec Soil and Water Conservation District, Augusta, tel. 622-7847).
- 4) If any earth will be taken off-site, the location of disposal shall be first approved by the Codes Enforcement Officer.

APPLICANT'S AGREEMENT: As a condition of my permit from the Town of Winthrop, I hereby acknowledge the above standards and agree to conduct all earthmoving in accordance with these standards.

SIGNATURE _____

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ZONE _____ MAP _____ LOT _____ PERMIT # EM - _____

SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR _____ DATE _____