

## Permit Application

**TREE REMOVAL**Township of Piscataway  
Department of Community Development

IF YOU WILL BE REMOVING TREES THAT HAVE A TRUNK DIAMETER GREATER THAN 3 INCHES, THEN THIS PERMIT IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF OTHER CONSTRUCTION PERMITS.

**PLEASE COMPLETE ALL NUMBERED ITEMS ON BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM.** Please type or print neatly in ink. Do not submit any fees at this time.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Telephone

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_  
Owner of Property Telephone

6. \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address

7. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_  
Site Location (address or street names) Primary Block & Lot

9. \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Description of Site (eg. vacant, wooded, existing home, etc.)

10. \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Proposed Project (eg. build new homes, office, etc.)

11. \_\_\_\_\_  
Reasons for Tree Removal (eg. in way of house, to construct road, etc.)

12. \_\_\_\_\_ 13. \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Trees To Be Removed Acreage of Area To Be Removed

14. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Trees Previously Removed Anticipated Starting Date

16. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. \_\_\_\_\_  
Person To Contact About This Application Telephone

18. \_\_\_\_\_ 19. \_\_\_\_\_  
Person To Contact At Project Site Telephone

**YOU MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CHECKLIST**, and submit 2 copies of all information with the application. All documents must be pre-sorted into sets, and all plans must be pre-folded down to a size not exceeding 9 inches by 14-1/2 inches.

Plans and reports showing the following on site:

- ( ) 20. existing natural and man-made features;
- ( ) 21. existing and proposed grades;
- ( ) 22. location of all proposed construction;
- ( ) 23. location of individual trees, or the outline of the area of trees proposed to be removed (you are not required to get a permit for underbrush nor the removal of trees with trunks that are less than 3 inches in diameter);

- ( ) 24. location of trees to be preserved (you must plan on preserving all trees that are more than 20 feet from any construction);
- ( ) 25. details of protective devices (eg. protective fencing, tree wells, etc.). This is required in conjunction with the Township's soil erosion code. Standards for tree protection can be found in **Standards for Soil Erosion and Sediment Control in New Jersey**.
- ( ) 26. If the project required previous approval by the Planning or Zoning Boards, **you must submit a letter stating that all conditions of the approval have been met.** Those conditions are listed in the Board's "Resolution" of approval. Otherwise, this application will be considered premature.

You must also provide the following at the site:

- ( ) 27. clearly marked stakes showing building corners and the location of any other construction that is significant to the removal of trees (eg. centerline of road, location of driveway, utilities, etc.);
- ( ) 28. ribbon or paint marks on individual trees, or the outline of the area of trees proposed to be removed, as per above item # 23;
- ( ) 29. the protective devices noted as per above item # 25.

**ATTESTATION:** This application and the enclosed supporting information and plans are submitted for approval pursuant to the Tree Preservation Ordinance, Chapter 5-9 of the Revised Codification of General Ordinances of Piscataway Township.

**I hereby swear** that I understand the provisions, and will adhere to the principles and requirements of the above codes, and that the information submitted herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

30. \_\_\_\_\_ 31. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Your Signature Print Your Name

32. \_\_\_\_\_ 33. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Your Relation To Applicant (Engineer, Super, etc.)

**If there are any questions regarding this permit application, you may contact, Henry Hinterstein, Township Landscape Architect, at (732) 562-6567.**

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SPACE BELOW FOR TOWNSHIP USE ONLY

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Date Rcvd \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_ Date Incomplete \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons Incomplete \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Fee Calculation \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Rcvd \_\_\_\_\_

Date Complete \_\_\_\_\_ Reviewed By \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTION:** ( ) APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 ( ) DENIED \_\_\_\_\_ **Landscape Architect**