

TOWN OF DARTMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS



Permit Fee \$75

Paid ___/___/___

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
TO OBSTRUCT AND DISTURB ROADWAY SURFACE**

\$2,000 Street Obstruction Permit in Escrow

(Please type or print neatly)

_____ (Applicant) hereby makes application for a permit to obstruct and disturb the surface _____ Street between _____ and _____ Streets for the purpose of _____.

Work will begin (weather permitting) on _____, 20____. It is estimated that the street will be obstructed from _____ a.m./p.m. to _____ a.m./p.m. for _____ days from and after permit is granted and worked is commenced.

The applicant agrees that a suitable barrier shall be put and at all times kept around the section or parts of the street, lane, alley, or public place so disturbed, so long as the same shall be or remain unsafe, and that the barrier shall be sufficiently lighted by one or more lanterns fixed to such barrier or in some other proper manner every night from twilight in the evening, and through the whole night, so long as such barrier shall be kept standing; and it is further agreed that the Town shall be held harmless from all damage, costs, or expense, on account of any injury to persons or property, which is due to anything done under the authority of the permit, it is further agreed that upon verbal or written notice to the applicant that the disturbed surface is in disrepair, the applicant shall within a reasonable time as established by the Town, make repair to the disturbed surface. The applicant further agrees that the Town may utilize the escrow funds established by the General Bylaws to make the required repair to the disturbed surface.

The applicant further agrees that notice shall be given at the Department of Public Works office prior to backfilling of any utility trench and prior to restoration of the surface of the street to allow for inspection of the work. Failure by the applicant to notify the Town may require excavation of the utility for inspection.

Issuance of such a permit is conditional upon the applicant having posted a street opening bond and certificate of liability insurance in the amount of \$100-\$300,000 unless a specific permit warrants otherwise.

24 HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

Supervisor responsible for site safety: _____

Applicant's Authorized Signature _____ Date _____

Approval Date _____

Director, Department of Public Works

Controlled Density Fill Required