

TOWN OF SCITUATE



Dig Safe No. _____ FEE (\$125.00) _____
Town of Scituate _____ Moratorium St. (\$5,000) _____
Permit Valid for _____ TOTAL _____

APPLICATION FOR Permit to Open, Occupy, Use, Obstruct and Close a Portion of a Public Way

Scituate, MA _____ 201__

Permission is hereby requested by:

to OPEN, OCCUPY, USE, OBSTRUCT AND CLOSE that portion of _____

which is described as follows: Starting Point: _____ Finish Point: _____

Size of opening: Width: _____ Depth: _____ Length: _____

for the purpose of _____

From _____ A.M. _____ 201__ until _____ P.M. _____ 201__

Notice given in writing:

List Companies:

The licensee hereby agrees to conform to the statutes, bylaws and/or other specifications and rules and regulations of the Town of Scituate in particular as defined on back of this application now or hereafter in force relative to restoring the street to a satisfactory condition and to protecting the public by adequate lights and safeguards. The licensee further agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Town of Scituate from any and all loss, damage and expense sustained by reason of any act or omission by the licensee hereunder.

Date _____ Applicant's Signature _____

Telephone _____ Address _____

LICENSE

A license is hereby granted to Open, Occupy, Use, Obstruct and Close that portion of _____

as described above, and subject to all the conditions therein set forth. This permit shall be in the possession

of the applicant at the work site at all time.

ENGINEERING SUPERVISOR

Date _____ By _____

Public Works

*Superintendent of Public Works
(Duly Authorized Agent)*

**The Town of Scituate requires a copy of this permit with the operator or foreman on site at all times.
All Roads which have been paved within the last 5 years will require Flowable Fill, as backfill for any excavation within the travel way.**

Flowable Fill will be used on any other Roadway at the discretion of the Engineering Supervisor.

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SPECIFICATIONS

to

Dig or Break up the ground in a Public Way in the Town of Scituate

1. All persons to whom permits are issued shall conform to the statutes, ordinances, by-laws or specifications herein contained for the rules of any department involved; that the permit may be revoked or suspended at any time by the Board of Selectmen; that the violation of any specifications thereof or of any conditions herein contained shall work an immediate revocation of this permit, such revocation to be effective upon notice by the Highway Supervisor, the Chief of Police or the Engineering Supervisor. It shall be mandatory that the contractor hire a Police Officer, when, in the opinion of the Police Chief, it is necessary.
2. The applicant hereby certifies that he will indemnify and save harmless the Town of Scituate from any and all loss, damage and expense it may sustain or be required to pay by reason of the work herein permitted, or by reason of any act or negligence on the part of the holder of this permit or his -- its employees or agents, relating to such work, or by reason of any violation of any specification herein.
3. The applicant shall at least seventy-two (72) hours, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, before making an excavation in a public way give notice in writing of the proposed excavation to natural gas pipe line companies and to such public utility companies as supply gas, electricity, water or telephone service in the Town of Scituate. Such notice shall set forth the name of the street or route number of the way, and a reasonably accurate description of the location in which the excavation is to be made. Copies of such notices together with a statement certifying that they have been mailed or delivered to such public utility companies shall be filed with the Board of Selectmen, Town of Scituate, Mass.
4. The holder of this permit shall place and maintain from the beginning of twilight through the whole of any night over or near the place so occupied or opened, obstructed or used, and over and near any gravel, dirt or other material whatsoever involved in his operation, a light or sufficient lights to protect travelers from injury; shall place and maintain a safe and convenient way for the use of foot travelers and vehicles around or over such place; shall not allow the placing of any advertising matter within the limits of the space occupied, without proper authorization.
5. The holder of this permit shall not disturb or interfere with any pipes, wires, or drains, nor injure or damage any tree, shrub, growth, or part thereof, and shall furnish in his conduits accommodations for all wires belonging to or to be used by the Town of Scituate, free of charge, whenever requested to do so, and shall remove wires and conduits whenever directed and not until directed, and shall follow the directions of the Public Grounds Supervisor where excavation will, in his opinion, be likely to injure or damage any tree, shrub, growth or part thereof.
6. The holder of this permit shall use this permit for no other purpose than that stated; shall place no material so as to interfere with flowage to catch basins, storm drains, sanitary sewers or removal of covers of the same, nor to interfere with any hydrant, pole, post or structure belonging to the Town of Scituate or any public service corporation, and shall protect such hydrants, poles, posts or structures from injury or defacement.
7. The holder of this permit shall clean and remove any refuse or rubbish when so directed in the immediate vicinity of his work; shall do the necessary watering, or sprinkling to obviate dust and shall immediately back-fill any excavation upon the direction of the Superintendent of Public Works of the Town of Scituate whose orders shall be final and conclusive.
8. The holder of this permit shall tamp all back fill. Any cold patch used as a temporary measure shall be removed before final patch is applied. The edge of the excavation shall be evenly cut back six (6) inches on each side to form a bridge effect. The top of the excavation shall be finished with at least one (1) foot of gravel and at least 2 1/2 inches of base and one (1 1/2) of top or equal former surface whichever is greater.
9. Subsequent maintenance, if necessary, as determined by the Superintendent of Public Works, to correct defects occurring within one (2) years after the completion of the work done under this permit, shall be ordered by the said Superintendent of Public Works and paid for by the user of this permit; and the surface of all streets disturbed shall be restored to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Public Works of the Town of Scituate and payment therefor shall be made by the user of the permit.

Contractor's Signature

Date

By signing the above the Contractor acknowledges the requirements set forth by the Town and agrees to comply with these requirements.