

Township of Chatham
Morris County, New Jersey
Office of the Township Engineer
Application for Road Opening Permit

Name of Applicant: _____
Applicant Address: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Name of Owner: _____
Owner Address: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Road to be opened: _____
Block: _____ Lot: _____ (if applicable)
Approx. Address: _____

If the road opening is for utility installation, please check the appropriate line below:

Main Extension: _____ Other (Service Connection, _____
Valve/Meter/Hydrant, Etc.) _____

Purpose of Excavation:

Work will be started on: _____ Completed on: _____

Permit Fees

Check the following that apply.

A. Application Fee

 X \$100 Base fee for the application
Total Application Fee: \$100

B. Hardship Waiver Additional Road Opening Fee (combine on single check with Application Fee if required)

If a hardship waiver is obtained, an additional fee will be required for a road opening permit if the road was paved within five (5) years.

_____ \$1,000 if the road was paved within the last two (2) years
_____ \$750 if the road was paved three (3) to four (4) years ago
_____ \$500 if the road was paved five (5) years ago
Total Hardship Fee: _____

C. Escrow Deposit (Provide separate check)

Final escrow costs to be determined based on required site inspections.

- _____ \$300 For all openings up to 50 linear feet
 - _____ \$500 For all openings from 50 to 100 linear feet
 - _____ \$1,000 For all openings over 100 linear feet
 - _____ For all openings over 200 linear feet, consult the Township Engineer
- Total Escrow Fee:** _____

D. Restoration Deposit (Provide cash, check, surety bond or letter of credit)

The restoration deposit is used to guarantee proper restoration, replacement, or repair of property damaged or destroyed by the permittee. Estimate the areas of the following that will be disturbed during the road opening process, rounding **up** to the nearest foot.

	Length	Width	Amount Disturbed	Unit Price	Price
Lawn Areas	_____ FT	_____ FT	_____ 0 SY	\$10 /SY	\$0
Shoulder Areas	_____ FT	_____ FT	_____ 0 SY	\$20 /SY	\$0
Paved Roads	_____ FT	_____ FT	_____ 0 SY	\$30 /SY	\$0
Sidewalks	_____ FT	_____ FT	_____ 0 SY	\$60 /SY	\$0
Curbing	_____ FT		_____ 0 LF	\$25 /LF	\$0
Dirt/Gravel Roads	_____ FT	_____ FT	_____ 0 SY	\$15 /SY	\$0

Total Deposit: _____

Location of Opening

Sketch details below or submit two (2) sets of engineering plans. Sketch or plans must be drawn to scale. Indicate curb, shoulder, sidewalk, property line, proposed dimensions, and restoration details. All temporary stockpile areas and equipment storage areas must be identified.

_____ I have provided a copy of a certificate of insurance.

_____ I hereby certify that I am aware and will comply with all the terms, regulations, and conditions stated in the revised General Ordinances of the Township of Chatham, titled "Chapter XIX Streets and Sidewalks".

A copy of this permit and the supporting plan shall be available on the project at all times.

Signature of Applicant _____

Company _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Approved _____

(Township Engineer) _____

Date _____

