

Building Division

Change of Use Permit

Application Guide



Description

A building permit for a *Change of Use* of an existing building, or portion of an existing buildings current use. For example, changing a residential home into a daycare facility.

General Information

A building permit issued by the Municipality is required for the change of use to the Major Occupancy of any building or structure as defined in Part 2 and Part 10 of the Ontario Building Code. These requirements are in place to ensure the health and safety of the public and all occupants of the building. Some examples of what could be affected in a change of use may be the occupant load, structural loading and design, fire & life safety elements as well as health requirements for washrooms. Where a change of use permit requires no compensating construction, a full building audit will be required demonstrating such compliance by a qualified individual.

Additional Requirements prior to building permit application

The Building Code Act prohibits the issuance of a Building permit if the proposed construction or demolition contravenes any Applicable Law as defined in the Ontario Building Code. Furthermore, **applications that do not have the required Applicable Law documentation with their building permit submission will not be processed.**

Please verify all approvals that may be necessary prior to submitting your application to construct. The following are examples:

- **Zoning Certificate** (King Townships Planning Department)
- **Zoning By-Law Amendment/ Official Plan Amendment** (Township Planning Department)
- **Site Plan Development Approval/Agreement** (Township Planning Department)

Required Drawings

Survey or Site Plan

Survey or site plan, referenced to a current survey, showing the size and location of all existing structures with distances to property lines as well as structures on adjacent properties.

Floor Plans & Elevations - Architectural & Structural

Floor plans fully dimensioned for each level showing architectural and structural details including foundation; slab, footings, exterior walls, joists, rafters, lintels and beams. Plans to show the use of all spaces including the location of all washrooms, type of plumbing fixtures and floor drains. Drawings of all four exterior elevations with floor to ceiling heights and overall building height.

Sections & Details

Cross section(s) to show building construction specifications of all floor, wall and roof assemblies. Identify required fire resistant ratings for such wall, floor, ceiling and roof assemblies where applicable. Identify current and proposed load bearing capacity for existing and proposed use of all floors.

Provide a detailed summary of the current and proposed use of the building or space being converted, occupant load and the nature of the business and number of employees. Dimension and note entrances and exits from the building or space within the building show emergency lighting, landings, stairs and ramps where applicable.

Note: Drawings prepared by a qualified Designer as defined by the Ontario Building Code, must include designer's name, Building Code Identification Number (BCIN), signature, and statement that the designer has reviewed and takes responsibility for the design and meets the qualifications set out in the Ontario Building Code as a Designer or other/independent Designer.

Required Forms

- **Application for a Permit to Construct or Demolish**
- **Schedule 1 Designer Information * if required**
- **Plumbing Data Sheet (required where plumbing fixtures are being added or altered)**
- **Owner's Authorization Form**
- **OBC Data Matrix Form**

Exemptions - Schedule 1

If drawings are prepared, stamped and signed by a qualified Engineer or Architect, they are exempt from submitting a Schedule 1.

Required Fees

Building permit application fees can be found on the Townships website.

Permit Fee	per By-Law
Municipal Security Deposit - all Municipal roadways *if applicable	per By-Law

Should you have any questions or require clarification please contact the Building Division, King Township, 2585 King Road, King City, L7B 1A1 (905) 833-5321

Application for a Permit to Construct or Demolish

This form is authorized under subsection 8(1.1) of the *Building Code Act, 1992*

For use by Principal Authority			
Application number:		Permit number (if different):	
Date received:		Roll number:	
Application submitted to: _____ (Name of municipality, upper-tier municipality, board of health or conservation authority)			
A. Project information			
Building number, street name			Unit number
Municipality	Postal code	Plan number/other description	
Project value est. \$		Area of work (m ²)	
B. Purpose of application			
New construction	Addition to an existing building	Alteration/repair	Demolition
Proposed use of building		Current use of building	
Description of proposed work			
C. Applicant		Applicant is:	Owner or Authorized agent of owner
Last name	First name	Corporation or partnership	
Street address			Unit number
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number	Fax		Cell number
D. Owner (if different from applicant)			
Last name	First name	Corporation or partnership	
Street address			Unit number
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number	Fax		Cell number

E. Builder (if known)			
Last name	First name	Corporation or partnership (if applicable)	
Street address		Unit number	Lot/con.
Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
Telephone number	Fax		Cell number
F. New home construction licensing requirement			
i. Is the proposed construction for a new home as defined in the <i>New Home Construction Licensing Act, 2017</i> ? If no, go to section G.		Yes	No
ii. Is a licence required under the <i>New Home Construction Licensing Act, 2017</i> ?		Yes	No
iii. If yes to (ii) provide licence number(s): _____			
G. Required Schedules			
i) Attach Schedule 1 for each individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities.			
ii) Attach Schedule 2 where application is to construct on-site, install or repair a sewage system.			
H. Completeness and compliance with applicable law			
i) This application meets all the requirements of clauses 1.3.1.3 (5) (a) to (d) of Division C of the Building Code (the application is made in the correct form and by the owner or authorized agent, all applicable fields have been completed on the application and required schedules, and all required schedules are submitted). Payment has been made of all fees that are required, under the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(c) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> , to be paid when the application is made.		Yes	No
ii) This application is accompanied by the plans and specifications prescribed by the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(b) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> .		Yes	No
iii) This application is accompanied by the information and documents prescribed by the applicable by-law, resolution or regulation made under clause 7(1)(b) of the <i>Building Code Act, 1992</i> which enable the chief building official to determine whether the proposed building, construction or demolition will contravene any applicable law.		Yes	No
iv) The proposed building, construction or demolition will not contravene any applicable law.		Yes	No
I. Declaration of applicant			
I _____ declare that: (print name)			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The information contained in this application, attached schedules, attached plans and specifications, and other attached documentation is true to the best of my knowledge. If the owner is a corporation or partnership, I have the authority to bind the corporation or partnership. 			
Date	Signature of applicant		

Personal information contained in this form and schedules is collected under the authority of subsection 8(1.1) of the *Building Code Act, 1992*, and will be used in the administration and enforcement of the *Building Code Act, 1992*. Questions about the collection of personal information may be addressed to: a) the Chief Building Official of the municipality or upper-tier municipality to which this application is being made, or, b) the inspector having the powers and duties of a chief building official in relation to sewage systems or plumbing for an upper-tier municipality, board of health or conservation authority to whom this application is made, or, c) Director, Building and Development Branch, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing 777 Bay St., 12th Floor, Toronto, ON M7A 2J3 (416) 585-6666.

Schedule 1: Designer Information

Use one form for each individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities with respect to the project.

A. Project Information

Building number, street name		Unit no.	Lot/con.
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Municipality	Postal code	Plan number/ other description	
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B. Individual who reviews and takes responsibility for design activities

Name	Firm		
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Street address		Unit no.	Lot/con.
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Municipality	Postal code	Province	E-mail
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Telephone number	Fax number	Cell number	
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C. Design activities undertaken by individual identified in Section B. [Building Code Table 3.5.2.1. of Division C]

House	HVAC – House	Building Structural
Small Buildings	Building Services	Plumbing – House
Large Buildings	Detection, Lighting and Power	Plumbing – All Buildings
Complex Buildings	Fire Protection	On-site Sewage Systems

Description of designer's work

D. Declaration of Designer

I _____ declare that (choose one as appropriate):
 (print name)

I review and take responsibility for the design work on behalf of a firm registered under subsection 3.2.4.of Division C, of the Building Code. I am qualified, and the firm is registered, in the appropriate classes/categories.

Individual BCIN: _____

Firm BCIN: _____

I review and take responsibility for the design and am qualified in the appropriate category as an "other designer" under subsection 3.2.5.of Division C, of the Building Code.

Individual BCIN: _____

Basis for exemption from registration: _____

The design work is exempt from the registration and qualification requirements of the Building Code.

Basis for exemption from registration and qualification: _____

I certify that:

1. The information contained in this schedule is true to the best of my knowledge.
2. I have submitted this application with the knowledge and consent of the firm.

Date

Signature of Designer

NOTE:

1. For the purposes of this form, "individual" means the "person" referred to in Clause 3.2.4.7(1) (c).of Division C, Article 3.2.5.1. of Division C, and all other persons who are exempt from qualification under Subsections 3.2.4. and 3.2.5. of Division C.
2. Schedule 1 is not required to be completed by a holder of a license, temporary license, or a certificate of practice, issued by the Ontario Association of Architects. Schedule 1 is also not required to be completed by a holder of a license to practise, a limited license to practise, or a certificate of authorization, issued by the Professional Engineers Ontario.

Building Division Plumbing Data Form



Project Information

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: _____		
PROPERTY ADDRESS: _____		
Street No. and Name	City	Postal Code
OWNER NAME: _____		
First	Last	
TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____	EMAIL: _____	

Fixture Information

Fixture or Device	Fixture Flow	Bsmt	1st Floor	2nd Floor	3rd Floor	Subtotal	Total
Bathrooms							
¹ Bathroom group with 2 fixtures (sink & toilet)	2.9						
¹ Bathroom group with 3 fixtures (1 sink, 1 toilet & 1 bathtub with or without shower, <u>or</u> 1 shower head)	3.6						
¹ Bathroom group with 4 fixtures (2 sinks, 1 toilet & 1 bathtub with or without shower head, <u>or</u> 1 shower head)	3.7						
¹ Bathroom group with 4 fixtures (1 sink, 1 toilet, 1 bathtub, & 1 shower)	5.0						
¹ Bathroom group with 5 fixtures (2 sinks, 1 toilet, 1 bathtub, & 1 shower head)	5.7						
¹ Bathroom group with 6 fixtures (2 sinks, 1 toilet, 1 bidet, 1 bathtub, & 1 shower head)	7.7						
Additional Shower	1.4						
² Each additional Shower head or body spray, 9.5 L/min or less per head	1.4						
Bidet	2.0						
Urinal, with flush tank	3.0						
Urinal, with self-closing metering valve	2.0						
Laundry							
Clothes washer, 3.5kg	1.4						
Sink, laundry (1 or 2 compartments)	1.4						
Kitchen							
Sink, kitchen, domestic, 8.3 L/min or less	1.4						
Sink, bar	1.0						
Dishwasher, domestic	1.4						
Other							
³ Hose bibb (½ inch supply)	2.5						
Additional Hose bibb (½ inch supply)	2.5						
Hose bibb (¾ inch supply)	3.0						
Hose bibb, combination hot and cold	2.5						
Total Fixture Units =							

¹ Bathroom groups are based on a shower/tub with 1/2" supply. Additional fixture flow will apply for 3/4" supply spouts. (O.B.C. Table 7.6.3.2.A (3))

² Base fixture groups assume a single shower head. Additional body sprays or showerheads must be added to the calculation.

³ Assumption is that all dwellings will have two 1/2" hose bibs (one at rear and one in garage) which are automatically included in the above calculations

Note: Maximum number of fixture units on a ¾" Water Service Pipe = 26 (OBC 7.6.3.4).

I hereby certify that the information supplied above is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Name (please print)

Signature

Personal information collected on this form is under the authority of the Municipal Act, s. 11. The purpose of this collection is to administer the Service Connection Permit Application Process. Personal information provided on this form is protected in accordance with Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (MFIPPA) Part II. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the collection of personal information, please contact the Building Division, King Township, 2585 King Road,

Building Division

Letter of Authorization



Information

Property Address: _____

Legal Description: _____

Roll Number: _____

Personal Information

Name: _____

Phone No.: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Authorizing Letter

To Whom it May Concern:

I/We, the above, do give _____ permission to act as our agent in applying to the Township of King for a building permit for the following projects:

(check all that apply)

- Demolition of Accessory Structure
- Demolition of Residential Building
- Demolition of Commercial/Industrial Building
- Construction of Dwelling
- Addition to Dwelling
- Construction of Accessory Structure
- Construction of a Deck
- Construction of Commercial/Industrial Building
- Renovation to Existing Building
- Other: (please specify) _____

Property Owner Signature: _____ Date: _____

Property Owner Signature: _____ Date: _____

Authorized Agent Signature: _____ Date: _____