

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This application must be completed legibly in ink and submitted to the Town of Colonie Building Department in person or by mail.
 2. This application must be accompanied by two (2) sets of plans showing proposed construction and two (2) sets of specifications. Plans and specifications shall describe the nature of the work to be performed, the materials and equipment to be used and installed and details of structural, mechanical, plumbing and heating installations.
 3. The work covered by this application may NOT be commenced before the issuance of a Building Permit.
 4. Upon approval of this application, the Building Dept. will issue a building permit to the applicant together with an approved set of plans and specifications. Such permit and approved plans and specifications shall be kept on the premises and available for inspection throughout the progress of the work.
 5. No building shall be occupied or used in whole or in part for any purpose whatsoever until a Certificate of Occupancy is granted by the Building Dept.
 6. Costs of the work described in the application for a Building Permit include the cost of all construction, and other work done in connection therewith, exclusive of the cost of the land. If final costs shall exceed the estimated cost, an additional fee may be required before the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
 7. Any deviation from the approved plans must be authorized by the approval of revised plans subject to the same procedure established for the examination of the original plans. An additional permit fee may be charged predicated on the extent of the variation from the original plans.
 8. **A PERMIT AND CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL MUST BE OBTAINED FROM AN APPROVED ELECTRICAL INSPECTION AGENCY FOR ALL ELECTRICAL WORK.**
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INSPECTION SCHEDULE

YOU MUST CALL THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT (518-783-2706) FOR THE FOLLOWING INSPECTIONS.
NOTE: ANY WORK COVERED OR CONCEALED BEFORE INSPECTION AND APPROVAL SHALL BE EXPOSED FOR INSPECTION AT THE APPLICANT'S EXPENSE.

1. Footings before pouring concrete.
2. Foundation inspection before backfill.
3. Submit a surveyor's location of foundation to the Building Dept. for zoning approval before framing is started.
4. Plumbing, heating, framing, and electrical inspection before any closing of the framework. Electrical inspections are done by one of the following approved electrical inspectors:

Middle Department Inspection Agency	518-273-0861
Commonwealth Electrical Inspection Service Inc.	518-238-2229
New York Atlantic-Inland, Inc. (Steve Mashaw)	Cell - 518-965-2825 or 518-392-5772
The Inspector, LLC	518-481-5300

5. Insulation Inspection
6. When all work is completed, a final inspection of the site, building and all utilities is required. No occupancy of the building is permitted without a Certificate of Occupancy issued by the Building Dept.