

TOWN OF FREEDOM CAMPING PERMIT APPLICATION

Property Owner (s) _____ Date _____

Map # _____ Lot# _____ Local Address _____

Mailing Address _____

Home Phone # _____ Local Phone# _____

Number of Camping units? (eg. tent, camper?) _____

If you have a motorized vehicle or trailer, is it registered? _____ Date _____

Is the sticker on the trailer? Yes / No

If your motorized vehicle or trailer is not registered, do you have a permit for it as a structure? Yes / No

What operational state approved waste processing system do you have available? _____

Do you have a fire permit for an open fire pit? _____

You can camp from Memorial Day through Columbus Day. You are required to remain out of the setbacks. Vegetation or visual impairment between you and your abutters and public ways is encouraged.

Include a sketch of your lot showing the lot lines and placement of your camping facility and the operational waste processing system with approximate distances of your camping units from your boundaries.

Signature(s) of Property Owners _____

Approved _____ Denied _____ Signature _____

Article _____ Date _____

ARTICLE 10 RECREATIONAL CAMPING

Section 1001 Camping on Residential Lots

Recognizing the lure of New Hampshire for vacationers, the intent of this Section is to provide the opportunity for non-commercial recreational use of residential property by family and friends of the property owner or renter.

- 1001.1 Temporary camping (in tents, camping trailers, and motor homes) is allowed from Memorial Day weekend to Columbus Day weekend.
- 1001.2 Temporary camping for family reunions or other events is allowed for one period of up to ten consecutive days during the season.
- 1001.3 For extended camping (more than ten total days during the season) on a residential lot, the property owner or tenant shall obtain a permit. The zoning officer will issue a permit for no more than two camping units, only one of which shall be a motor home or camping trailer. Failure to abide by this condition may result in the revocation of the permit.
- 1001.4 Tents, camping trailers and motor homes shall not be located within the setbacks unless, due to lot size, topography, or configuration, it is impossible to avoid the setbacks. In this case, the zoning officer may permit a camping unit be located in the setback.
- 1001.5 For any camping, an operational state approved waste processing system must be available for use by all campers.
- 1001.6 No commercial camping is allowed except in an authorized campground. If a property owner rents out the primary residence on the lot, this will constitute a commercial arrangement for the purpose of this article and the property owner shall not camp on this lot except under the terms of 1001.2.

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