REQUIREMENTS FOR A BUILDING PERMIT

The following permits SHALL ACCOMPANY the application for a permit or a written statement from that Department if a permit is not required.

DO NOT APPLY FOR BUILDING PERMIT UNTIL OTHER REQUIRED PERMITS HAVE BEEN OBTAINED. INCOMPLETE PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND DRAWINGS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED OR PROCESSED.

- 1. RECORDED PROOF OF OWNERSHIP & AUTHORIZATION LETTER FOR WORK FROM OWNER
- 2. ADDRESS CONFIRMATION Leelanau County Planning Department 231-256-9812
- 3. DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERMIT (DEQ) when applicable 1-231-876-4444
- **4. SOIL EROSION PERMIT** A permit is required for any earth change or disturbance **a.)** within 500 ft. of a water body (lake or stream), **b.)** within 100 ft. of regulated wetland, **c.)** one acre or more in size, **d.)** developing or expanding a driveway with a slope of 10% or greater, and **e.)** involving any commercial use regardless of size, location or slope. 231 256-9783
- 5. HEALTH DEPARTMENT PERMIT Water and sewer (public or private) 231-256-0200
- 6. DRIVEWAY PERMIT Leelanau County Road Commission 231-271-3993
- **7. LAND USE PERMIT** Compliance with zoning requirements of Townships.

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- 8. STATE ENERGY CODE must accompany plans or prints for a new single family dwelling & additions
- 9. BUILDING PERMITS APPLICATION 231-256-9806 To Include:
- A. Construction Documents R106.1 two sets of complete building plans to include A), 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6:
 - **1. Foundation plans** identifying support beam size, column spacing, sill plate anchor location and size, foundation reinforcement, foundation ventilation, and dimensions.
 - **2. Floor plans** Identifying use of each room, location of windows and door openings, location of smoke detectors, location and size of attic access, and dimensions.
 - 3. Elevations front, rear and sides.
 - **4. Sections** typical exterior wall section from bottom of footings to roof peak indicating: method of construction materials, structural framing size and spacing, foundation damp proofing, attic/rafter ventilation, roof preparation, and ceiling heights. Include deck and stairway section showing handrails, guardrail height and spacing of intermediate guards, and riser/run of stairs.
 - **5. Truss design data R802.10.1, R106.1.4 -** or as an alternative to drawings, truss design data sheet may be provided at the time of application. Actual drawings must be submitted prior to installation.
 - **6. Site plan -** drawn to scale showing proposed new construction, existing buildings and dimensions from property lines.
 - **7. Authorization letter** from owner, if applicant is contractor.
 - 8. ELECTRICAL PERMIT when applicable 231-256-9806
 - **9. PLUMBING PERMIT** when applicable 231-256-9806
 - 10. MECHANICAL PERMIT when applicable 231-256-9806

PERMITS & ADDRESS MUST BE POSTED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

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