



VILLAGE OF BIRON DRIVEWAY PERMIT

No person shall construct or enlarge any driveway onto a Village street without first obtaining a driveway permit from the Village Clerk. The applicant for a driveway permit shall file the application with the Clerk and furnish a drawing designating his property lines, the location and width of the proposed driveway and the location of any driveway and street intersection within 150 feet of the proposed driveway.

- 1) Driveway surfacing may be blacktop or concrete. Concrete surfacing of driveways shall not extend towards the roadway beyond a point of the property line except that a 5-foot cement area poured as a cement sidewalk with 5-foot expansion joints may extend past the property line. If no curb and gutter is present only blacktop can be applied past the sidewalk area to the road. If curb and gutter is present the slope into road grade may be cement at proper curb and gutter installation, which includes rounded edges and no flat surfaces.
- 2) The applicant shall restore the right-of-way to the satisfaction of the Public Works Director and as soon as possible in order to avoid a hazard to the traveling public and excess erosion. All work within the right-of-way shall be performed in such a manner so as not to interfere with traffic on the adjoining roadway.
- 3) All driveway entrances and approaches which are constructed across sidewalks shall be paved in accordance with the requirements for sidewalk construction in sec. 8.07(5) of Chapter 8 of the Village of Biron ordinances. When curb or gutter is removed, the new construction shall be of equivalent acceptable material and curb returns shall be provided or restored in a neat workmanship like manner. Driveway surfaces shall connect with the street pavement and sidewalk in a neat workman like manner.
- 4) The entire cost of installing and maintaining the driveway access, including restoration, shall be the financial responsibility of the applicant.
- 5) Driveways are a man-made structure and must be 5 feet off the lot line and 10 feet from any other driveway.
- 6) Driveways may not exceed 26 feet in width on any property. A driveway may, within 6 feet of the street edge or to an existing sidewalk (whichever distance is shorter), flare outward up to 3 feet on either side for a maximum total width of 32 feet.
- 7) The Public Works Director shall determine if a culvert shall be required and the length and diameter if a culvert shall be required and the length and diameter thereof in conjunction with any driveway construction. The property owner shall be responsible for the cost of the culvert and installation.
- 8) No more than one driveway shall be constructed for any residential lot or premises without the approval of the Village Board. A "U-shape" driveway shall be considered two driveways and shall require Public Works Committee approval.
- 9) The applicant shall be responsible to call Diggers Hot Line (800-242-8511) prior to the commencement of excavation to permit proper marking of the area.
- 10) The pushing of snow and other materials onto any Village road or County Highway is prohibited by Wisconsin Statutes 86.01, 86.07, 346.94 and/or 941.03.

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11) The applicant agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the Village of Biron, its officers, agents and employees against any loss or damage for any personal injury or property damage sustained by reason of the exercise of this permit.

Applicant's Name _____ Phone # _____

Applicant's Address _____

Owner's Name _____ Phone # _____

Owner's Address _____

Description of Project _____

Approximate Start Date _____ End Date _____

Work to be done by _____

If Contractor, Name _____

License # _____ Phone # _____

Applicant Signature _____

Owner* Signature _____

*Signature if applicant is not the owner

The above signed and designated applicant requests permission to construct the driveway on Village road right-of-way and in consideration of being granted permission, binds and obligates himself to construct the driveway in accordance with the description contained herein and sketches, if any, attached hereto, and to abide by the general requirements and location, design and construction requirements set forth on this form.

Village of Biron Authorized Official

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Fee:	\$25.00
Cash or Check #	_____
Date Paid	_____

8.9 DRIVEWAYS

8.9.1 PERMIT REQUIRED. No person shall construct or enlarge any driveway onto a Village street without first obtaining a driveway permit from the Village Clerk. The applicant for a driveway permit shall file the application with the Clerk and furnish a drawing designating his property lines, the location and width of the proposed driveway and the location of any driveway and street intersection within 150 feet of the proposed driveway.

8.9.2 SPECIFICATIONS FOR DRIVEWAY CONSTRUCTION.

(a) Width.

1) *Width Generally.* No driveway shall exceed 26 feet in width on any property except as stated in paragraph 2 of this subsection or as otherwise approved by the Village Board of Trustees.

2) *Flaring to Street Edge.* A driveway may, within 6 feet of the street edge or to an existing sidewalk (whichever distance is shorter), flare outward up to 3 feet on either side for a maximum total width of 32 feet.

(b) Interference with Intersections Prohibited. At street intersections, a driveway shall not provide direct ingress or egress to or from the street intersection area and shall not occupy areas of the roadway deemed necessary by the Village Board for effective traffic control or for highway signs or signals. All applications providing for location of a driveway within 50 feet of an intersection in residential districts and 150 feet in commercial and industrial districts shall be submitted to the Village Board. The Board shall approve or disapprove the granting of the permit upon determining whether or not such driveway would be detrimental to traffic control and safety.

(c) Interference with Street Prohibited. No driveway apron shall extend out into the street farther than the face of the curb or roadway surface.

(d) Other Driveways. No driveway shall be located within 10 feet of another driveway.

(e) Number of Driveways Limited. No more than one driveway shall be constructed for any residential lot or premises without the approval of the Village Board. A “U-shape” driveway shall be considered two driveways and shall require Public Works Committee approval.

(f) Workmanship and Materials. All driveway entrances and approaches which are constructed across sidewalks shall be paved in accordance with the requirements for sidewalk construction in Sec. 8.7.5 of this chapter. When curb or gutter is removed, the new connection shall be of equivalent acceptable material and curb returns shall be provided or restored in a neat workmanlike manner. Driveway surfaces shall connect with the street pavement and sidewalk in a neat workmanlike manner.