

WEXFORD COUNTY BUILDING DEPARTMENT

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Residential Accessory Building Requirements

[Pole Buildings, Detached garages, Utility Buildings over 200 square feet and/or closer than 6 feet from existing buildings] **Sealed/stamped engineered/architect plans required if over 12' sidewall height**

1. **Approved Zoning Permit:** Compliance with zoning requirements of townships, city, or village:
 - Cedar Creek- Wendy Johnson 231-824-6543
 - Clam Lake- Cindy Warda 231-775-5401 Ext 6, Office Mon & Tues 9-1
 - Haring- Mike Green 231-920-2029, Office Fridays 9-1
 - Colfax and Henderson- No Zoning
 - Wexford, Hanover, Greenwood, Liberty, Springville, Antioch, Slagle, Boon, Selma, South Branch, Cherry Grove- (Wexford Joint Planning Commission) Bob Hall, 231-775-1138 Ext 6, Office: Cherry Grove Township Hall
Weds 8-5, Thurs & Fri 8-12
 - Village of Mesick- 231-885-1646 City of Manton- 231-824-3572
 - City of Cadillac- 231-775-0181 Ext 102 Village of Buckley- 231-269-3555
2. **Driveway Permit (OR permit waiver):** obtained from the Wexford County Road Commission; 85 W. M-115 Hwy, Boon MI 49618; Phone #: 231-775-9731 (MDOT- 231-775-3487)
3. **Completed Building Permit Application:** Obtained from this office (must be signed by the property owner, even if contractor is the applicant) *[This office does not issue building permits for the City of Cadillac, City of Manton and Cedar Creek Township]*
4. **One (1) set of plans**, to include:
 - a. Floor Plan with window and door sizes & placement
 - b. Show all elevations *[front, sides and rear elevations]*
 - c. Foundation plan with walkout details, if applicable
 - d. Cross section detail
 - e. Truss specifications (Min. 60 lb. Ground Snow Load in Wexford County)
5. Copy of signature **identification**
 - a. If licensed builder, provide copy of builder's license
 - b. For homeowner, fill out and sign the Homeowners Affidavit form
7. Located in **wetland and /or floodplain** or need determination: Sue Conradson, MDEQ 231-876-4443 or email at conradsons2@michigan.gov
8. Please contact the **DNR** if building on a river or water connecting to a river 989-732-3541
9. **Soil Erosion Permit:** obtained from this office *[Necessary ONLY IF you are building within 500' of water, lakes, rivers or streams, etc. or excavating over one (1) acre in land area]*

Fee: Please refer to building and soil erosion (SESC) fee schedules

Please Note: Electrical, Mechanical & Plumbing permits must be individually obtained