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Permit # \_\_\_\_\_

**FENCE PERMIT APPLICATION**



**CITY OF AMERY, WISCONSIN**

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**APPLICATION FEE \$50.00**

1. Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Applicant's Address: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Applicant's Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Owner of Site: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Owner Address: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Contractor's Address: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Address of subject site: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Description of the fencing project site by lot, block and recorded subdivision or by meets and bounds. Include the proposed materials to be used and the dimensions of the area to be fenced.  
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13. Existing and proposed operation or use of the structure or site: \_\_\_\_\_  
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14. Zoning District: \_\_\_\_\_
15. Is this property located in a Flood Plain or Zone? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
16. Attach a copy of the site plan and specifications of proposed fenced area.

## Sec. 13-1-142 Fences

- (a) **Fences Defined.** For purposed of this Section, a “fence” is herein defined as a barrier consisting of wood, stone, cement, masonry, metal, or vegetation, such as hedges or shrubbery, intended to prevent ingress or egress. No fence shall be constructed of unsightly or dangerous materials which would constitute a nuisance.
- (b) **Location of Fence.** A fence is allowed to be on the property line of an adjacent owner’s property.
- (c) **Height of Fence for Residential Zoned Property.** Except as provided in Section 13-1-90 and Subsection (e) below, fences may be erected, placed, maintained, or grown on residentially-zoned property to a height of six (6) feet above the ground level, except that a fence which is located in a required front yard shall not exceed a height of three (3) feet. Where residentially-zoned is adjacent to non-residentially zoned property, the height limit of a fence shall be increased to eight (8) feet.
- (d) **Height of Fence for Industrial Zoned Property.** Any property located in an industrial district shall have fencing consisting of effective solid vegetation along all lot lines adjoining any residential district unless waived by the Plan Commission. Said fencing shall not be less than eight (8) feet in height.
- (e) **Vision Clearance.** On a corner lot in any district, no fencing shall be erected, placed, maintained, or grown at a height exceeding three (3) feet above the curb level or its equivalent within twenty (20) feet of a corner of such lot that is at the street intersection.
- (f) **Prohibited Fences.** No fence shall be constructed in a manner that is dangerous or creates a dangerous situation or which uses barbed wire. However, barbed wire may be used in industrially zoned areas if the devices securing the barbed wire to the fence are ten (10) feet above the ground or height and project toward the fenced property and away from any public area. Although fences which conduct electricity or are designed to electrically shock are generally prohibited, such fences using smooth wire are allowed for the limited purpose of deer control.
- (g) **Fences to be Repaired.** All fences shall be maintained and kept safe and in a state of good repair, and the finished side or decorative side of a fence shall face adjoining property.

## Sec. 13-1-53 Zoning Permit.

No new structure, new use of land, water or air or change in the use of land, water or air shall hereafter be located, erected, moved, reconstructed, extended, enlarged, converted, or structurally altered without a zoning permit. The Zoning Permit may be issued as part of issuance of a building permit; **there shall be a charge for only one (1) permit under such circumstances.**

A FENCE PERMIT shall be granted or denied in writing by the Building Inspector within thirty (30) days of application and the applicant shall post such permit in a conspicuous place at the site.

The permit shall expire within six (6) months unless substantial work has commenced, or within eighteen (18) months after the issuance of the permit if the structure for which a permit is issued is not substantially completed, in which case of expiration, the applicant shall reapply for a ZONING PERMIT before commencing work on the structure.

Any permit issued in conflict with the provisions of this chapter shall be null and void.

File three (3) copies of this application for a ZONING PERMIT with the Zoning Administrator.

Completed Application Can Be Returned To The Amery City Hall With Fee at 118 Center St, Amery, WI 54001. If you have any questions regarding this zoning application please contact Kim Moore, Zoning Administrator.

I (We), the undersigned, do hereby make application to the Zoning Administrator for a ZONING PERMIT as requested above:

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Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Your application for a ZONING PERMIT is **approved**.

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Kim Moore, Zoning Administrator

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Date

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Your application for a ZONING PERMIT is **denied**. The reason for denying your application for a ZONING PERMIT is:

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Kim Moore, Zoning Administrator

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

You may appeal this decision to the Zoning Board of Appeals in accordance with "Article O" of the Zoning Code of the ordinances of the City of Amery. Forms for appeal are available through the Zoning Administrator.