



PS General Worksheet Rev. 12-2023



# Performance Standard Permit WORKSHEET St. Louis County, Minnesota

**About:** Land Use Permits are required for most building construction activities. They are also required for a variety of other uses. For more information, check out our website at: [www.stlouiscountymn.gov/land-use](http://www.stlouiscountymn.gov/land-use) A performance standard permit is authorization given for the continuation, improvement or replacement of a nonconforming structure, per state statute, without requiring a variance.

## WHAT ARE YOU APPLYING FOR Check all that apply to the project. PLEASE MAKE CHECKS TO: ST. LOUIS COUNTY AUDITOR

### #1 New Buildings Less than/equal to 1,200 square feet-\$175 Greater than 1,200 square feet-\$345

☐ Dwelling-Home, Mobile Home, Hunting Shack, or Cabin. (Includes attached deck, if applicable.)

☐ Replacement of Existing Dwelling-Home, Mobile Home, Hunting Shack, or Cabin.  
Will the old dwelling be removed from the property? ☐ Yes ☐ No

*If yes, an affidavit must be filled out stating when the old dwelling will be removed.*

*If this dwelling is a mobile home, there is a special mobile home affidavit to be filled out.*

☐ Accessory Dwelling-Guest cottage or bunkhouse. Must follow administrative standards.

☐ Accessory Structure- Garage, Pole Building, shed, sauna, screenhouse or gazebo that either meets lake or river setback or not located in a shoreland area.

☐ Water-oriented Accessory Structure-Boathouse, Sauna, Screenhouse/gazebo on a lake or river located at reduced shoreline setback. Must follow administrative standards.

☐ Commercial Structure  
☐ Other Principal Structure

### #2 Other Construction/Change in Use-\$90

☐ Addition(s) to Dwelling  
Is the dwelling location on a lake or river? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes above, does the structure meet the required shoreline setback? ☐ Yes ☐ No If No, structure does not meet the shoreline setback, a performance standard permit or variance may be required. See box #4 or #7.

☐ Addition(s) to Accessory Structure  
☐ New Deck Only or Deck Replacement  
☐ Combination Addition(s) & Deck on the same structure  
☐ Moving a Structure

☐ Sign  
☐ Structure Alteration or Component Replacement  
☐ Change in Use (i.e. converting an old cabin to storage)

What will the new use of the structure be?  
Explain the current and proposed use.  
Current: \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Other-\$65

☐ Permit extension beyond 2 years

### #3 Subdivisions/Parcel Reviews Additional Worksheets Required

☐ Plat-Minor Subdivision-\$685  
☐ Conventional or Conservation Plat-Less than or equal to 3 lots-\$685  
☐ Conventional or Conservation Plat-Greater than 3 Lots-\$1,375  
☐ Lot Line Adjustment-\$90  
☐ Parcel Review-\$90  
☐ Performance Standard Subdivision-\$410

### #4 Performance Standard-\$410

#### Additional Worksheets Required

☐ Borrow/Gravel Pit  
☐ Home Business  
☐ Land Alteration  
☐ Nonconforming Structure Replacement  
☐ Addition to a structure that does not meet shoreline setback  
☐ Other

### #5 Site Evaluation

☐ Site Visit/Evaluation-\$175

### #6 Wetland Reviews

#### Additional Worksheets Required

☐ No Loss/Exemption/Replacement Plan-\$175  
☐ Wetland Delineation Review-\$410  
☐ Wetland Banking Plan Review-\$1,340

### #7 Public Hearings

#### Additional Worksheets Required

☐ Administrative Appeal-\$1,350  
☐ Environmental Assessment-\$1,200  
☐ Conditional Use Permit-\$685  
☐ Conditional Use Permit Rehearing-\$220  
☐ Interim Use Permit-\$685  
☐ Interim Use Permit Rehearing-\$220  
☐ General Purpose Borrow Pit-\$685  
☐ Variance-\$685  
☐ Variance Rehearing-\$220  
☐ Multiple Hearing (Variance/conditional use)-\$1,020  
☐ Rezoning-\$685

## SIZE OF EXISTING STRUCTURE(S)

*Structure Type (Same as box #1 or 2 above)	*Foundation Type (Basement, Slab, Pier, etc)	*Maximum Length (Exterior Footprint Only)	*Maximum Width (Exterior Footprint Only)	*Maximum Sq. ft (Exterior footprint only)	*Maximum Height (Ground Level to Roof Peak)
		Feet	Feet	Sq. ft.	Feet
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## SIZE OF PROPOSED STRUCTURE(S)

*Structure Type (Same as box #1 or 2 above)	*Foundation Type (Basement, Slab, Pier, etc)	*Maximum Length (Exterior Footprint Only)	*Maximum Width (Exterior Footprint Only)	*Maximum Sq. ft (Exterior footprint only)	*Maximum Height (Ground Level to Roof Peak)
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\*Indicates required field. Incomplete applications will be returned.



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## WORKSHEET St. Louis County, Minnesota

**About:** A category of uses that includes, but is not limited to: private airports, or other private transportation related uses for personal use.

### WHAT ARE YOU APPLYING FOR? *Check all that apply to the project.*

- ☐ New business
  - ☐ Expansion of existing business
  - ☐ Replace existing business
  - ☐ Extractive Use-General Purpose Borrow (Gravel) Pit\*
- \*Additional worksheet required. It is not necessary to continue filling out the CUP worksheet form. Please see Extractive Use- General Purpose Borrow (Gravel) Pit Worksheet (attached).*

- ☐ Transportation Use
  - ☐ Other
- If Other, please explain:

### ABOUT THE BUSINESS or USE

#### TYPE OF BUSINESS OR USE

How is the property currently being used?

What type of business/use is being applied for? (List all uses that will take place)

### TRAFFIC, PARKING, AND/OR DOCKAGE

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the proposal generate an increase in traffic? (Boat, snowmobile, truck, bus, car, etc.)

If Yes, estimated increase: ☐ 10 vehicles or less ☐ 11-25 vehicles ☐ Greater than 25 vehicles

☐ Yes ☐ No Does the proposal require parking? (Please include employees, visitors, and other parking)

If Yes, how many parking spaces are available on the property?

### APPROVAL FROM LOCAL ROAD AUTHORITY REQUIRED

- ☐ Yes (Please attach approval letter)
- ☐ No

SIGNAGE AND LIGHTING						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Does your proposal include signage? (Include any off-site signs)				
If Yes, please list number of signs, size, location, and illumination of each sign:						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Will there be lighting (including security lighting) that may be visible from roads, waterways, and adjacent properties?				
If Yes, please explain:						
TYPE OF PROPOSED STRUCTURES <small>Check all that apply to the project.</small>						
<input type="checkbox"/> No New Structures						
<input type="checkbox"/> New Structure(s)	Structure Type	Foundation Type <small>(Basement, Slab, Pier, etc)</small>	Maximum Length <small>(Exterior Footprint Only)</small>	Maximum Width <small>(Exterior Footprint Only)</small>	Maximum Sq. ft <small>(Exterior footprint only)</small>	Maximum Height <small>(Ground Level to Roof Peak)</small>
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	Other					
<input type="checkbox"/> Structure Additions	Structure Type	Foundation Type <small>(Basement, Slab, Pier, etc)</small>	Maximum Length <small>(Exterior Footprint Only)</small>	Maximum Width <small>(Exterior Footprint Only)</small>	Maximum Sq. ft <small>(Exterior footprint only)</small>	Maximum Height <small>(Ground Level to Roof Peak)</small>
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	Other					
OUTDOOR BUSINESS ACTIVITY <small>Check all that apply to the project.</small>						
Will there be any outdoor work or storage areas such as: rock piles, assembly sites, tank storage, equipment parking, etc?						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
If Yes, please explain:						
WASTEWATER TREATMENT						
Will wastewater will be generated?						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
If Yes, what type of system will be used to handle wastewater treatment?						
<input type="checkbox"/> Private Septic System						
<input type="checkbox"/> Municipal						
<input type="checkbox"/> Other, please explain:						

**SOLID WASTE** *Check all types of waste generated and describe how you will collect and store waste generated from the business below:*

<input type="checkbox"/> Household Garbage	<input type="checkbox"/> Animal Waste	<input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous	<input type="checkbox"/> Radioactive
<input type="checkbox"/> Oil and Grease	<input type="checkbox"/> Chemicals	<input type="checkbox"/> Demolition Waste	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Automotive Fluids	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood and Sawdust	

If Other, please explain:

Please describe collection and disposal:

\*Additional information may be required based on the scope of the project.

**STORMWATER MANAGEMENT**

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Will there be more than one (1) acre of altered surface?
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	If Yes, do you have an MPCA NPDES permit? (Please attach permit)

**REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS**

1. Site sketch.
2. Other information as deemed necessary by the Director.

**CONTACT:** Planning and Zoning Department**Technical Assistance**

Toll Free: 1-800-450-9777

Land Use Information

[www.stlouiscountymn.gov/land-use](http://www.stlouiscountymn.gov/land-use)**Duluth**Government Services Center  
320 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite 301  
Duluth, MN 55802  
(218) 725-5000**Virginia**Government Services Center  
201 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue West  
Virginia, MN 55792  
(218) 749-7103**Office Use Only**

Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt Date \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Paid By \_\_\_\_\_

# Site Sketch Form

*The Sketch is to graphically illustrate your proposed project(s)*

## Draw and Label on Sketch (in feet)

- ☐ \***All** Structures on the Property and Dimensions
- ☐ \***All** Driveways, Access Roads, and Wetlands
- ☐ \***All** Proposed Structures and Dimensions

- ☐ \***Distance** of Proposed Structures to Shoreline (Closest Point)
- ☐ \***Distance** of Proposed Structures to Septic System and Tank
- ☐ \***Distance** of Proposed Structures to Property Lines
- ☐ \***Distance** of Proposed Structures to Road Centerline and Right-of Ways

You may submit your own site sketch **IF it has the required information indicated above.**

\***Applicant Name:**

\***Site Address:**

\***PIN:**



\*\*\*Sanitary Authority Use Only\*\*\*

**Sanitary Review:** (To be determined by appropriate sanitary authority.)

Will the proposal, as shown below, negatively impact the SSTS/sanitary line or replacement area? ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Sign off:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_