



# TOWN OF HUDSON

## FIRE DEPARTMENT – INSPECTIONAL SERVICES DIVISION

12 School Street ▪ Hudson, New Hampshire 03051 ▪ Tel: 603-886-6005 ▪ Fax: 603-594-1142

### BLASTING AND EXPLOSIVES PERMIT APPLICATION

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

State of NH License to Use, Transport & Purchase Explosives #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Blasting Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized person in charge of/or supervising the use of explosives: \_\_\_\_\_

State of NH Certificate of Competency #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized to do business in the State of NH: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Insurance Attached: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Effective \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Please attach a copy of the following:

- ☐ State of New Hampshire License to Use, Purchase & Transport Explosives
- ☐ State of New Hampshire Certificate of Competency
- ☐ Certificate of Insurance
- ☐ Landowner Permission Letter

***Permits will be processed once copies are received.***

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Application Date

**Fees:**

**Blasting Permit - \$300.00**

**Explosive (Initial Fee) - \$100.00**

**Fireworks Permit - \$50.00**



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### BLASTING AND EXPLOSIVE LICENSE CHECKLIST

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The following checklist has been created using Chapter 202 of the Hudson Town Code as a guide to assist both the Hudson Fire Department and the blaster in the application process for a blasting permit in the Town of Hudson. The blaster has also been provided with a complete copy of Chapter 202 of the Hudson Town Code that outlines the requirements of the Town of Hudson concerning blasting operations.

It is important to note that the blaster has an obligation to read and comply with all the provisions as set forth by the Town of Hudson concerning blasting operations. The blaster must also note that this article is intended to supplement the existing federal and state laws and regulations concerning blasting and the use of explosives.

**A Hudson Fire Department Representative will review all items noted below with the applicant. Applicant to *initial in the box to the right of each statement to signify that it has been reviewed and confirmed with them.***

1. Does the applicant possess a license from the State of NH to use, purchase and transport explosive materials? Yes_____ No _____ Expiration Date: _____	
2. Does the applicant possess a State of NH certificate of competency to conduct blasting operations? Yes _____ NO _____ Expiration Date: _____	
3. Does the applicant possess a certificate of insurance showing the minimum coverage of \$1,000,000 for bodily injury and \$500,000 for property damage by a carrier authorized by the State of New Hampshire Insurance Commissioner to do business in New Hampshire with the insurance certificate stating that the insurance company is authorized to do business in the State of New Hampshire?  Yes _____ N _____ Expiration Date: _____  <b><i>Note: The permit expiration date shall not be later than the expiration date of the blaster's insurance certificate, blaster's State of New Hampshire license to use, purchase and transport explosive materials or the blasting Supervisors State of New Hampshire certificate of competency to conduct blasting operations.</i></b>	

<p>4. Did the applicant provide written permission from the owner of the land on which the explosives will occur for the Fire Chief to inspect the land during the period of the permit and until 20 days after the expiration of the permit?</p> <p>Yes _____ NO _____ Expiration Date: _____</p>	
<p>5. All applications for blasting operations must be received by the Hudson Fire Chief at least 10 days prior to the estimated start date of the blasting operations.</p>	
<p>6. Is there a need to have a pre-blast survey completed on any property prior to the start date of blasting operations? Yes _____ No _____</p> <p>If yes, note address(s) here: _____</p>	
<p>7. A copy of all licenses to deal in explosive materials and the current blasting permit shall be kept available for inspection at each blasting location.</p>	
<p>8. The holder of the permit to use explosive materials shall make a record of all operations within the Town of Hudson and retain them for a period of 5 years. Such records shall be made available to the Hudson Fire Chief at any time during this period of time upon request.</p>	
<p>9. All persons holding a blasting permit shall make a daily record to include the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Date, time and place of each blast</li> <li>b. The amounts of explosive material fired in each blast</li> <li>c. Results of seismographic test, which shall also be retained for a period of 5 years.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>10. In the event of any theft or loss of explosive materials, the persons issued the blasting permit shall notify the Hudson Fire Chief at 603-886-6021 and the Hudson Police Chief at 603-886-6011 immediately.</b></p>	
<p>11. When blasting operations are performed, precautions shall be exercised to prevent damage and to minimize earth vibrations, air blast and thrown fragments.</p>	

<p>12. Between the hours of 07:00 and 08:00 the blasting company shall notify the Hudson Fire Department Dispatch Center at (603)-886-6021. The purpose of this notification is to inform the Hudson Fire Department of their intent to blast on that specific day.</p> <p>The blaster shall notify the Hudson Fire Department Dispatch Center 30 minutes prior to each blast.</p> <p>The blaster shall provide;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. The name of the company conducting the blasting</li> <li>ii. The address of the blasting</li> <li>iii. The time of the blasting</li> <li>iv. The amount of explosive material to be used</li> </ul>	
<p>13. Persons intending to conduct blasting operations within the Town of Hudson shall notify the Hudson Police Chief in writing 24 hours <b>prior</b> to the start of blasting.</p>	
<p>14. What method of notification (signaling) will be used prior to the start of blasting operations? _____</p>	
<p>15. The persons that have been issued the blasting permit are responsible for any damage that may be incurred due to the blasting operations that are conducted in the Town of Hudson. If the blaster or blasting company does not fully cooperate in resolving any complaint received by the Hudson Fire Department as a result of their operations, the Hudson Fire Chief may direct the suspension or termination of all blasting operations conducted by the blaster in the Town of Hudson.</p>	

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Signature of Blasting/Explosive Applicant

Date

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Signature of Hudson Fire Department Representative

Date

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Signature of Hudson Fire Department Fire Chief

Date

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