



BACKYARD CHICKEN ANNUAL PERMIT APPLICATION
CITY OF SOMERSWORTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE
(Expires September 1st of each year)

Date Received: _____

Fee Paid: _____

Case Number: _____

1) Location of property: _____

2) Assessor's Map: _____ Lot: _____ Zoning District: _____

3) Property owner: _____

Address (Street/City/State/Zip): _____

Telephone: _____

4) Name of applicant (if different than owner): _____

Address (Street/City/State/Zip): _____

Telephone (Home and Mobile): _____

5) Please provide a sketch of the subject property, which includes the following:

- a) Location and dimensions of property;
- b) Location and dimensions of all structures on the property; and,
- c) Locations and dimensions of the proposed coop and fenced enclosure and their distance from all property lines (coop needs to be a minimum of 3 square feet per chicken and fenced enclosure needs to be a minimum of 20 square feet per chicken. Coop and enclosure need to be fully behind the principal structure on the property and a minimum of 20 feet from all property lines).

6) How many chickens will be kept on the property? _____

7) Will any roosters be kept? (Circle one) Yes No

8) Will the chickens be kept in a coop or fenced enclosure at all times? (Circle one) Yes No

9) Do you live in a home that is part of a Homeowner's or Condominium Association or similar association? (Circle one) Yes No

9a) If yes, does the Association allow the keeping of chickens? (Circle one) Yes No

I/We hereby apply for a permit to keep chickens at the subject property and by doing so state that, to the best of my/our knowledge, the information provided on this application is accurate and complete. By signing below, I/we acknowledge that I/we will comply with all of the Ordinances of the City of Somersworth. I further acknowledge that I/we understand that I/we need to renew this permit annually as long as I/we keep chickens at the subject property.

Signatures:

Applicant/Agent: _____ Date: _____

Property Owner (required): _____ Date: _____

FILING PROCEDURES AND FEES

Application shall be filed with the City Clerk. A \$10.00 fee for review of the application must be submitted with the application.

OFFICE USE ONLY

- APPROVED
- APPROVED WITH THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS: _____

 DENIED

City Clerk's Signature: _____ Date: _____