



**TOWN OF AGAWAM**  
**Department of Public Works**

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Erosion and Sediment Control

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Single Family or Duplex Home Construction

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Per Agawam Town Code, Chapter 175 Article V 175-36 C (1) Use of Public Sewers: Sanitary and Storm Drain, prohibited discharges to the storm drain system which include sediment laden construction runoff. (Effective May 17, 2006)

Thus, as part of the approval for your Agawam Department of Public Works Service Availability and Permit Applicability or White Form, you must provide erosion and sediment control for your building site.

**this means you must:**

- **Keep disturbed soils on your site. Perform measures as needed to keep soils on-site during construction. Some examples are shown below:**

Install construction entrance at your driveway with 3" deep mat of 1.5" angular drainage stone. This will keep soils from construction vehicle tracking on-site.

Install silt fence and/or staked haybales in all locations where soils can leave your site, especially at low points near property line or behind curb at street.

Re-vegetate the site as soon as possible, even temporarily for sites disturbed for an extended period (several months) This includes all soil stockpiles.

Minimize the disturbed area of soil at any one time.

- **Keep disturbed soils out of the public drainage system. If soils do leave your site, you must at a minimum:**

- Sweep streets as needed to remove soils.

Clean down stream catch basin sumps, if soils leave your site.

Remove any soils which reach a detention pond or outlet to a swale or wetland. Contact / notify Conservation Commission about any work in wetland.

- Inspect any silt fence, haybales, and local catch basins after each rain event and make repairs and clean up soils as needed.
- You will be responsible to clean-up and remove any soils which have left your site.
- Failure to comply may result in fines, a stop work order for your site, or other penalties.

**Owner Acknowledgement**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, have read the information above and agree to  
Owner of Authorized Agent

comply, make inspections, and clean up any eroded soils from my site.

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

**Return signed form to DPW  
Retain copy for your records**