Town of Richmond  
Board of Health & Conservation Commission  
1529 State Road, Richmond, MA 01254  
Phone: 413-698-3355  Fax: 413-698-3272

Beaver Conflict Resolution Application and Permit  
(Permit fee $75. Not transferable and good for only 10 consecutive days.)

Property Owner ___________________________ Date ____________________
Site Address ____________________________________________
Map & Lot # ___________________________ Telephone # ___________________________ Fax # ___________________________
Is the problem entirely on your property? ___ Yes ___ No ___ Don’t Know
If no, all property owners must consent. Please use attached forms.

Other Property Owners ____________________________________________
Trapper or Consultant ___________________________ License # ___________________________
Type of Complaint (check all that apply)
property flooding  septic system flooding  road flooding  tree damage  private well threat
culvert blockage  flooding of cropland  threat to public water supply  other
Signature of Applicant ___________________________ Date ___________________________
Response: __ Site Inspection  ___ Referred to DEP (water supply)  ___ Referred to DFW  ___ ConCom
Comments: ____________________________________________
Date: ___________________________ by: ___________________________ Recommendation: ___________________________

Conservation Commission Emergency Certification  
(Required for breaching dam or installation of flow control devices)
Permission to breach dam ___________________________
Permission to employ water flow devices ___________________________
Approved by the Richmond Conservation Commission ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

10-Day Emergency Beaver Permit
In accordance with and pursuant to provisions of MGL Ch.131 Sec. 40, 80A and 321 CMR 2.08 and 10, the applicant and/or his agent may immediately remedy the threat to human health and safety by:
___ Use of Conibear or Cage Traps  ___ Breaching of Dam(s)*  ___ Install Water Flow Control Device(s)*
*Conditions of Permit: Any disturbance within a wetland, such as breaching a dam or installing a water flow control device, shall only be performed with the permission of the Conservation Commission. Breaching a dam requires a plan to prevent sudden flooding downstream. This permit does not allow applicant or his agent to trespass on private property. See attached Trapping Regulations. A copy of this permit should be carried on the person doing the work. Contractor or Trapper must provide a written report of work done to Board of Health. Other ___________________________
Approved by the Richmond Board of Health: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

10-Day Emergency Beaver Permit Extension
In accordance with and pursuant to provisions contained in MGL Ch.131 Sec.40, 80A and 321 CMR 2.08 & 10, while awaiting a 30- day extension emergency permit from the Division of Fisheries & Wildlife, applicant may continue to alleviate the emergency as noted above for ten consecutive days.
Approved by the Richmond Board of Health: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________
Beaver Consent Form

I, ____________________________________ as owner of the property at
Name (please print)
________________________________________
Street address and Assessor's Map and Lot #
Consent to allow ____________________________________ who is under
contract with ____________________________________ Consultant and/or Certified Trapper's Name
________________________________________ to enter my property for the
Applicant's Name

purpose of installing water level devices and/or trapping and removing
beavers that are causing a threat to public health and safety as determined by
the Great Barrington Health Department. I understand that any water level
control measures or alteration to wetlands or beaver structures will also be
permitted through the Town's Conservation Commission.

Signature ______________________________ Date ______________
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Beaver Consultant Reporting Form

Date

Site Address

Owner

Action Taken

Number of Beavers Removed

Planned Future Activity

Signature of Consultant

Date

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITHIN 5 WORKING DAYS OF END OF PERMIT PERIOD

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BEAVER CONFLICT LIST

(This list may not be complete and does not imply any recommendation by the Board of Health. It is provided upon request for informational purposes only and listings are not in any particular order)
(Last updated on 8-5-13)

LOCAL TRAPPERS:

Eric Ives  (413) 528-9813
George Houghtlin  (413) 229-3689
Sean McMahon  (413) 281-9200

WATER LEVEL DEVICE INSTALLERS:

Beaver Solutions  (413) 585-9145
Mike and Ruth Callahan

Integrated Wildlife  (413) 586-0890
Don Lafountain

Pioneer Wildlife Control  (413) 783-4462