

# APPLICATION FOR ELECTRICAL PERMIT

Benton Harbor Michigan  
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 Make checks payable to "City of Benton Harbor"

Authority: 1972 PA 239 Complete Mandatory to obtain permit Penalty: Permit can not be issued	LARA is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids, services and other reasonable accommodations are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.
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<b>I. Project or Facility Information</b>		HAS A BUILDING PERMIT BEEN OBTAINED FOR THIS PROJECT?
NAME OF OWNER/AGENT/SCHOOL/STATE DEPT.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not required	
STREET ADDRESS AND JOB LOCATION (Street Number and Name)	NAME OF CITY, VILLAGE OR TOWNSHIP IN WHICH JOB IS LOCATED	COUNTY
<input type="checkbox"/> City <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Township   OF:		

<b>II. Applicant/Facility Contact Information</b>			
INDICATE WHO THE APPLICANT IS	NAME OF HOMEOWNER/CONTRACTOR	STATE LICENSE NUMBER	EXPIRATION DATE
<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Homeowner			
ADDRESS (Street Number and Name)		STATE REGISTRATION NUMBER	EXPIRATION DATE
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	
TELEPHONE NUMBER (include Area Code)		FEDERAL EMPLOYER ID NUMBER (or reason for exemption)	
WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE CARRIER (or reason for exemption)		UIA NUMBER (or reason for exemption)	

<b>III. Type of Job</b>				
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Family	<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Service Only	<input type="checkbox"/> Premanufactured Home Setup (State Approved)	<input type="checkbox"/> State Owned
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Alteration	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Inspection	<input type="checkbox"/> Manufactured Home Setup (HUD Mobile Home)	<input type="checkbox"/> School

<b>IV. Plan Review Information</b>
Plans must be submitted with an Application for Plan Examination and the appropriate deposit before a permit can be issued, except as listed below.
Plans are not required for the following:
1. When the electrical system rating does not exceed 400 amps and the building is not over 3,500 square feet in area. 2. Work completed by a governmental subdivision or state agency costing less than \$15,000.00. If work being performed is described above, check box below "Plans Not Required."
What is the rating of the service or feeder in amperes? _____
What is the building size in square footage? _____
Plans are required for all other building types and shall be prepared by or under the direct supervision of an architect or engineer licensed pursuant to 1980 PA 299 and shall bear that architect's or engineer's seal and signature.
BGC Plan Review Project No. _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Plans Not Required

<b>Applicant Signature</b>	
Section 23a of the state construction code act of 1972, 1972 PA 230, MCL 126.1523A, prohibits a person from conspiring to circumvent the licensing requirements of this state relating to persons who are to perform work on a residential building or a residential structure. Violators of section 23a are subjected to civil fines.	
SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR OR HOMEOWNER (Homeowner signature indicates compliance with Section VI, Homeowner Affidavit)	DATE

<b>Homeowner Affidavit</b>
I hereby certify the electrical work described on this permit application shall be installed by myself in my own home in which I am living or about to occupy. If work shall be installed in accordance with the Michigan Electrical Code and shall not be enclosed, covered up, or put into operation until it has been inspected and approved by the State Electrical Inspector. I will cooperate with the State Electrical Inspector and assume the responsibility to arrange for necessary inspections.

Complete Application on Back Side

VII. Fee Schedule - enter the number of items being installed, multiply by the unit price for total fee.

Item #17, Mobile Home Unit Site:  
 When installing a site service in a park, the permit application must include the application fee, service, the number of park sites and a final inspection. When setting a HUD mobile home in a park, a permit must include the application fee, service, feeder and a final inspection. These shall be done by a licensed electrical contractor. When setting a HUD mobile home or a premanufactured home on private property, a permit must include the application fee, service, feeder and a final inspection.

	Fee	# Items	Total		Fee	# Items	Total
1. Application Fee (non-refundable)	\$75.00	1	\$75.00	K.V.A., H. P., Wind Turbines, ***EVSE and ****PV Modules			
Service				19. Units up to 20 K.V.A. or H.P./Per PV Module	\$6.00		
2. Through 200 Amp.	\$10.00			20. Units 21 to 50 K.V.A. or H.P./Per PV Module	\$10.00		
3. Over 200 Amp. thru 600 Amp.	\$15.00			21. Units > 50 K.V.A. or H.P./Per PV Module	\$12.00		
4. Over 600 Amp. thru 800 Amp.	\$20.00			Fire Alarm Systems (not smoke detectors)			
5. Over 800 Amp. thru 1200 Amp.	\$25.00			22. Up to 10 devices	\$50.00		
6. Over 1200 Amp. (GFI only)	\$50.00			23. 11 to 20 devices	\$100.00		
7. Circuits	\$5.00			24. Over 20 devices	\$5.00 ea.		
8. Lighting Fixtures/Outlets - per 25	\$6.00			Data / Telecommunication Outlets			
9. Dishwasher	\$5.00			31. 1 - 10 devices	\$5.00 ea.		
10. Furnace - Unit Heater	\$5.00			32. 20 - 300 devices	\$100.00		
11. Electrical - Heating Units (baseboard)	\$4.00			33. Over 300 devices	\$300.00		
12. Power Outlets (ranges, dryers, etc.)	\$7.00			Energy Management Temp. Control			
Signs				25. Energy Retrofit - Temp. Control	\$45.00		
13. Unit	\$10.00			34. Devices - Energy Management	\$5.00		
14. Letter (each)	\$15.00			26. Conduit only or grounding only	\$45.00		
15. Neon - each 25 feet	\$20.00			Inspections			
16. Feeders-Bus Ducts, etc. - per 50'	\$6.00			27. Special Insp. (pertaining to sale of building, does not include an electrical service inspection)	\$75.00		
17. Mobile Home Park Site*	\$6.00			28. Additional Inspection	\$75.00		
18. Recreational Vehicle Park Site	\$4.00			29. Final Inspection	\$75.00	1	\$75.00
				30. Certification Fee**	\$30.00		

\* See VII. Fee Schedule Item #17 above  
 \*\* Required for all school and state-owned construction projects  
 \*\*\* EVSE - Electrical Vehicle Supply Equipment  
 \*\*\*\* PV Modules - Photovoltaic  
 NOTE: Under special circumstances the bureau will assess an hourly fee for inspection services at a rate of \$75.00 per hour.

Total Fee (Must include the \$75 non-refundable application and \$75 final inspection fees.)

VIII. Instructions for Completing Application

General: Electrical work shall not be started until the application for permit has been filed with the Bureau of Construction Codes. All installations shall be in conformance with the Michigan Electrical Code. No work shall be concealed until it has been inspected. The telephone number for the inspector will be provided on the permit form. When ready for an inspection, call the inspector providing as much advance notice as possible. The inspector will need the job location and permit number.

Expiration of Permit: A permit remains valid as long as work is progressing and inspections are requested and conducted. A permit shall become invalid if the authorized work is not commenced within six months after issuance of the permit or if the authorized work is suspended or abandoned for a period of six months after the time of commencing the work. A PERMIT WILL BE CLOSED WHEN NO INSPECTIONS ARE REQUESTED AND CONDUCTED WITHIN 180 DAYS OF THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OR THE DATE OF A PREVIOUS INSPECTION. CLOSED PERMITS CANNOT BE REFUNDED. THE CHARGE TO RE-OPEN A CLOSED PERMIT IS \$75.00.

Where to Submit Application: The Bureau of Construction Codes is responsible for code enforcement in units of government throughout the state which have no local program and for all state owned buildings as well as public and charter school construction where a local delegation of authority does not exist. Permit applications for state issued permits should be sent to the address on the front of this application. If you are not sure whether a state permit or a local permit is appropriate, contact our office or your local building inspector. Questions regarding state issued permits may be directed to the Office of Management Services, Permit Section at 617-241-9313. Code questions may be directed to the Electrical Division at 517-241-9320.

VALIDATION AREA