

## ***Town of Fairfield Engineering Department***

### ***Driveway Apron Requirements***

December 13, 2013

The Engineering Department issues permits for driveway aprons only\*. This is the portion of the driveway that is within the public right of way.

- If replacing an existing concrete apron, the new apron must be concrete as well.
- If installing stone, block or any other material in the apron it must be set a minimum of 18” from the edge of roadway, with asphalt or concrete between the edge of roadway and stone, block, etc.
- There must be a lip of 1½” at the gutter of the driveway.
- Driveway apron can not exceed 24 feet in width
- If relocating an existing driveway, approval from the Engineering Department must be obtained. This is necessary to ensure proper site distances are met and that there will be no removal of trees, walls, ect from the public right of way.

There is no fee for a driveway apron permit. There is a **\$15.00** fee for a street opening permit which is required for any and all work performed within the public right of way.

\*For new construction of driveways or additions (200 square feet or more) to existing driveways a Storm Water Detention Permit may be required. Please see the Storm Water Detention Requirements for additional information.

All permits, specification drawings and additional information can be obtained at the Engineering Department Office.

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