

TOWN OF CANAAN

APPLICATION FOR JUNKYARD LICENSE & CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL FOR THE LOCATION

For Year July 1, ____ - to June 30, ____

New License ____ Renewal of License ____

Applicant's Name _____ Telephone Number _____

Mailing Address _____

Street Address of Proposed Junkyard _____
(If different than above) _____

Tax Map Number _____ Lot Number _____

1. If the applicant is a business, is the applicant a Sole Proprietor ____ a partnership ____ or a corporation ____?
2. If this is a partnership or corporation, please list the names and addresses of all partners or officers of the corporation. (If not a partnership or corporation, enter N/A and proceed to Question 3.)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
 - d. _____
 - e. _____

3. Does the applicant, or any individual listed in Question 2, have any record of convictions for any type of larceny or receiving of stolen goods? (RSA 236:117)

Yes ____ No ____

4. Please describe the activity expected at this junkyard or automotive recycling yard, including: items to be stored/traded/sold; quantities or volumes, or numbers of vehicles on site; anticipated timeframes; and types of vehicles and numbers of trips, in and out, to service the facility. (RSA 236:112)
(Attach extra sheets, as needed)

5. Please provide a description of the land to be included within the junk yard or automotive recycling yard, by reference to so-called permanent boundary markers. (RSA 236:115)
(While not required, a map may be helpful)

6. Is the proposed junkyard or automotive recycling yard located more than 660 feet from the right of way lines of any Class I, II, III or Class III-a highway and more than 300 feet from the right-of-way lines of any Class IV, Class V or Class VI highway. (RSA 236:118)

Yes _____ No _____

7. Is the junk yard or automotive recycling yard completely surrounded by a solidly constructed fence, at least 6 feet in height, which substantially screens the area; with a suitable gate, which will be kept locked, except when the applicant or his agent is within?

OR, does topography, natural growth of timber or a natural barrier accomplish the same purposes as would the fencing above? (RSA 236:123)

Yes _____ No _____

Please describe, in detail, any considerations you believe the governing body should take into account, if you are requesting the security or screening requirements be reduced.

8. Was this facility established, in this location, after 1965? (RSA 236:125)

Yes _____ No _____

9. Will this facility be operated in compliance with all health and sanitary laws, ordinances, and regulations of the Town of Canaan and the State of New Hampshire, including RSAs 236:111-129 (relating to junkyards) ?

Yes _____ No _____

10. Are you familiar with the best management practices (BMPs) established by the Department of Environmental Services (DES) for the automobile salvage industry and to the best of your knowledge and belief, based in part on your own inspection and review of (facility operations / plans and specifications for the proposed facility) do you hereby certify that the facility (is / will be) operated in compliance with the BMPs established by DES?

Yes _____ No _____

If the answer to any question above is "No," attach a full description of all aspects of the facility which are non-compliant, and provide a plan and schedule for achieving compliance. Prepare to present the same information at a hearing, to be scheduled by town officials pursuant to RSA 236:111-129.

By signing this application, I hereby certify that the answers, information and statements provided by me are true and accurate. If any information provided for the purpose of obtaining this license is found to be false, it may be cause for the license to be revoked.

Signed under penalty of unsworn falsification:

Signature of Applicant

Date _____

ATTACHMENTS

- | | |
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| A. Map of property (preferably to scale) | Yes _____ No _____
(optional) |
| B. Proof of legal ownership or right to use the property | Yes _____ No _____ |
| C. Completed "Self-Audit Checklist" worksheet | Yes _____ No _____ |
| D. Annual License Fee of _____ | Yes _____ No _____ |

_____ Date of Public Hearing

_____ This application for renewal does not require a hearing; all provisions of the relevant subdivision have been complied with during the license period, the junkyard has not become a public nuisance under common law or RSA236:119, and the applicant has not been convicted of any type of larceny or of receiving stolen goods. (In making this application the applicant has provided certification of compliance with best management practices established by the Department of Environmental Services.) (RSA236:121,II)

In reviewing this APPLICATION FOR JUNKYARD LICENSE & CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL FOR THE LOCATION, the following was considered:

- _____ That proper notice has been provided to the applicant and public, and published in a newspaper (7 days before the hearing) as required by statute. (RSA 236:116)
- _____ The applicant's ability to comply with fencing requirements and other regulations. (RSA 236:117)
- _____ The applicant's criminal record, if any. (RSA 236:117)
- _____ Proof of ownership or right to use the property. (RSA 236:118)
- _____ The nature and development of surrounding property. (RSA 236:118)
- _____ If the proposed location can be reasonably prevented from affecting the public health, safety or morals. (RSA 236:118)
- _____ If the proposed location is at least 660 feet from the right of way lines of any Class I, II, III or Class III-a highway and more than 300 feet from the right-of-way lines of any Class IV, Class V or Class VI highway. (RSA 236:118)
- _____ If the facility is a "Nuisance," in violation of RSA 236:119.
- _____ If the facility can reasonably be prevented from having an unfavorable effect on the clean, wholesome and attractive environment, declared to be of vital importance to the continued stability and development of the tourist and recreational industry of the state and general welfare of its citizens. (RSA 236:120)
- _____ If the facility is a "Nuisance," in violation of RSA 236:119.
- _____ If the facility is properly fenced, secured and screened. (RSA 236:123)

The Canaan Board of Selectmen approved this application:

_____ Date _____
Chair, Canaan Board of Selectmen / Duly Authorized

This JUNKYARD LICENSE & CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL FOR THE LOCATION remains in effect only until the following July 1. Approval is personal to the applicant and is not assignable. (RSA 236:121)