

NEW BRITAIN TOWNSHIP

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DOES MY PROJECT NEED A PERMIT?

Proposed Work in New Britain Township Requiring a Permit

Zoning Permits (Plot/Site Plan review required. Zoning Permit required prior to building/construction – Fees paid at time of application)	
 □ Decks/Patios (below 30" above grade elevation) □ Detached Garages (Under 250 sq. ft) □ Green Houses (Under 250 sq. ft.) □ Agricultural Buildings – Any Size (used to store farm animals, equipment, produce) □ Driveway/Curb Cut/Sidewalk - Road Opening Permit Applies 	 □ Sheds (Under 250 sq. ft.) □ Car Ports □ All other Accessory Structures □ Change of Zoning Use □ Non-Conformity Registration □ Other
Building Permit (only) required: - Permit Fees paid when permit is issued	
 □ Roofs – only structural/plywood □ Interior work/Alterations/Remodeling for Residential □ Alteration/Remodeling for Existing Commercial Tenant □ Mechanical/HVAC (ex.: air conditioning, heaters) □ Repairs (i.e. water/sewer lateral, roof repairs) 	□ Basements□ Electric□ Plumbing□ Demolition
Zoning and Building Permit required: Building Permit applications for the items below will not accepted for review until a zoning permit is approved and all applicable approvals are received (Bucks County Conservation District, driveway permit/Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, public water authority or well permit, sewer authority/Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection/Bucks County Board of Health).	
 □ Additions □ Detached Garages (Over 250 sq. ft) □ Decks (above 30" grade elevation) □ Pools (above and inground) (Requires Compliance Escrow) □ Accessory Structures over 250 sq. ft. (includes sheds) □ Commercial Accessory Structures □ Fit Out/Renovation for New Commercial Tenant 	 □ Sheds (Over 250 sq.ft.) □ Green Houses (Over 250 sq. ft.) □ Signs □ Temporary Trailers □ Mobile Homes □ Other
 □ New Construction (single family homes/commercial buildings) - All new construction requires a building permit filing for \$2000.00 non-residential) at time of application and Pro Escrow. 	•

*NOTE: For questions, please contact the Building or Zoning Departments at nbt@nbtpa.us 215-822-1391.

**This form is not a complete list of projects requiring permits. Before starting work on your project, you should email nbt@nbtpa.us to confirm if your project requires a Township permit.