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# **Declaration Form for Development Permit Exemption**

# SINGLE LEVEL OPEN DECKS - 24 INCHES OR LESS IN HEIGHT, OR LEVEL WITH A MAIN FLOOR ENTRANCE

### **General information**

Applicant name:	Applicant email address:
Company name (if applicable):	Project address:
Project:	Date:

## **Declaration**

I hereby declare that:

- 1. The construction drawing package for this building permit application under the Winnipeg Building By-law No. 4555/87 ("the Building By-Law") aligns with all prior:
  - a. supporting application approvals, including but not limited to: variance approval, plan approval, waterways and/or flood fringe approvals, servicing agreements, water and waste and/or public works civil approvals, etc., where applicable.
- 2. Any construction will be in accordance with approved plans and permits which, I am responsible to obtain.
- 3. Any construction will be in accordance with applicable zoning regulations under the Winnipeg Zoning By-law No.200/2006 as follows:

SINGLE LEVEL OPEN DECKS IN R1 AND R2 ZONING, 24 INCHES OR LESS IN HEIGHT, OR LEVEL WITH A DOOR ENTRANCE PROVIDED THEY COMPLY WITH PRIVATE APPROACH GUIDELINES AND SETBACKS

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	The single level open deck in R1 and R2 zoning, 24 inches or less in height, is located to the rear and/or side yards of the principal dwelling (Decks/landings in the front yard require a Development Permit).	INITIAL HERE
	The open side or rear deck which is higher than 24 inches in height and level with a door entrance, complies with the dimensional standards of the principal building (see Table).  Owners of lots adjacent to a river or a creek will contact the City of Winnipeg Waterways Section (PPD-WaterwaysApplications@winnipeg.ca) to determine if a waterway permit is required.  Owners of lots adjacent to a Storm Water Retention Basin must provide and maintain 75 feet measured from a rear or side lot line to any deck higher than 24 inches in height (or request a reduction of the yard requirements from the Water and Waste Department).	INITIAL HERE
	The open landing is less than 36 square feet, under 4 ft in height, and no closer than 2 feet to a side lot line if height exceeds 2 feet.	INITIAL HERE
	I have referred to the subject property title for any City of Winnipeg caveats that may affect any development standards and/or uses on the property. The deck/landing complies with the caveats' regulations where applicable.	INITIAL HERE
	The City of Winnipeg reserves the right to request a current Building Location Certificate prepared by a Manitoba Land Surveyor to confirm the accuracy of proposed or completed development/construction (as per Zoning By-Law 200/2006 Section 8.6).	INITIAL HERE



☐ I have obtained a variance to allow my development as proposed despite not meeting the zoning by-law. The number of my approved variance is \_\_\_\_\_\_

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Zoning District and Designation	Minimum Lot Area (Sq. Ft.) [Notes a, e] amended 95/2014	Minimum Lot Width (Ft.) (Note e) amended 95/2014	Minimum Front Yard (Ft.)	Minimum Rear Yard (Ft.)	Minimum Side Yard (Ft.) [Note b]	Minimum Reverse Corner Street Side Yard (Ft.)	Maximum Height of Bldg. (Ft.)	Maximum Lot Coverage (%)
Principal Resi	dential Structure							
R1-Estate	20,000	25	30	25	10	20	35	30
R1-Large	5,500	25	20	25	4	10	35	40
R1-Medium	3,500	25	15 [note c & d]	25	4	4	35	45
R1-Small	2,500	25	15 [note c & d]	25	3 each, or 2 & 4	4	35	45
R2	5,000 (2,500 per dwelling unit for two-family; 800 per dwelling unit for multi-family)	25	20	25	4	10	35	NA

#### NOTES:

- a. Where the lot is serviced by a private sewage disposal system with a septic field, the minimum lot area is that required by the Sewer By-law (7070/97) or that shown in dimensional standards table, whichever is greater. In other cases where residential uses are not served by municipal water and/or sewer, the minimum lot area is 11,000 sq. ft.
- b. Where the width of the lot is less than 40 feet, the side yards may be reduced to 10% of the width of the lot but must not be less than 3 feet for principal residential structures

amended 95/2014

- c. Portions of the front façade that do not include garages or carports must have a minimum front yard of 15 feet; where a driveway leads from the street to a garage or carport located on the front facade of the house, such driveway must be a minimum of 18 feet in length, unless the provisions of subsection 140(2), Auto Courts, apply. Driveway length is measured between the garage door or the edge of the carport closest to the street and the front property line.
- d. If the house has rear access to a public lane and does not have a driveway providing access from the public street to a garage or carport, the minimum front yard is 10 feet, unless the provisions of subsection 140(3), Loop Lanes, apply.
- e. Section 138, Special Boundary Conditions, applies to the minimum lot area and lot width for the subdivision of new lots in all R1 and R2 zoning districts

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#### I hereby understand that:

- A building permit will only be issued if the drawings and plans contained in the construction drawing package are approved by the Director of the Planning, Property and Development Department and/or designated employee.
- 2. It is the responsibility of the permit applicant to confirm all applications and approvals align. If the construction drawing package for building permit application does not align with all prior supporting application approvals and the applicable zoning regulations:
  - a. the building permit, if issued, will be considered null and void by the designated employee, as identified in the Building By-Law and applicable statues; and
  - b. I will be required to seek revised approvals to align all applications.

For greater clarity, this is to confirm that the applicant will not unilaterally change their plans between when other approvals have been issued and when a building permit is applied for and/or issued. The building code and other approvals contained in any issued building permit(s) must align, and not be inconsistent with, the zoning and site approval aspects in relation to the project in question.

For even greater clarity, in signing this declaration the applicant is not acknowledging that it is bound to be liable for administrative errors or omissions on the part of the City, or otherwise for which the City bears responsibility within the scope of its duties and obligations in the development and/or permitting processes.

- A building permit shall be obtained prior to commencing construction as per the Building By-law. This
  declaration form does not imply approval of a permit nor allow for construction to commence prior to
  obtaining a building permit.
- 4. If a building permit is issued for a portion of the construction contemplated by the subject building permit application, as a part of a staged permitting process for the construction, that does not guarantee that all



required building permits for the construction will be issued. In this case, it is the responsibility of the permit applicant to ensure that only construction for which a building permit has been issued will commence, and that no portion of the construction for which a building permit has not been issued shall commence until such time that the required building permits for that construction have been issued.

- 5. If construction has commenced prior to permit issuance:
  - a. I will be required to bring the construction into compliance, as required by the Building By-Law and Manitoba Building Code, at my sole cost and expense and will not hold the City liable or responsible for those costs;
  - b. If I fail to bring the construction into compliance, the City is entitled to take enforcement action, in accordance with the applicable bylaws, including but not limited to the Building By-Law, The Zoning By-law and legislation. Enforcement action may include but is not be limited to demolition of the unpermitted construction, at my sole cost; and
- 6. If construction has commenced pursuant to an issued building permit that is subsequently deemed to be null and void pursuant to section 2 hereof, I will be required to seek revised approvals to ensure the alignment of all applications and issued development and building permits before continuing construction
- 7. Where the applicant who has applied for a building permit:
  - a. is an individual acting as an employee, agent, contractor, subcontractor, or otherwise in place of a builder and/or company, liability for any failure to comply with these terms and conditions shall not attach to that individual in their personal capacity.
  - b. is an individual acting in their own personal capacity as builder, then liability for any failure to comply with these terms and conditions shall attach to that individual.

Applicant Signature	Owner Signature				
Applicant Name (printed)	Owner Name (printed)				
(if applicable) company on behalf of	(if applicable) company on behalf of				

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