



**City of Fredericton
Plumbing Permit
Frequently Asked Questions
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Why obtain a Plumbing Permit?

The Plumbing Permit process provides for healthy and effective management of a building's water and sewage systems, and protects both the building's and the City's water supply against cross-contamination.

How do you apply?

Plumbing Permits can only be issued to plumbing contractors with a valid New Brunswick Plumbing Contractor's license. Licensed plumbing contractors can go to City Hall to apply for plumbing and backflow permits. Or they can apply online. Visit the City website at www.fredericton.ca and look for the plumbing permit web page. Either use the user name / temporary password emailed to you or create your own.

How are plumbing permits approved?

Plumbing Permit applications are reviewed and approved by the Plumbing Inspector.

How does the inspection process work?

Inspections are performed at crucial points of construction to verify that construction conforms to the approved plans, and the National Plumbing Code. Any deficiencies found are noted and rectification and re-inspection is required before construction is permitted to continue.

What is involved in the finalization and closing of a plumbing permit?

All Plumbing Permits issued require a final inspection. Once construction is complete and the final inspection is performed with no outstanding issues, the file on the Permit is closed.

Can I track the status of my plumbing permit and inspection?

When using the online plumbing inspection permit process, plumbers can track individual Plumbing Permit applications, the status of inspections, and the history on past permit applications ... all using their password protected account. See more information below.

Permit Application:

The approval process for each permit application can be tracked online. Requests for additional information, notification of issues found during plan reviews, and similar issues holding up the process are visible to both applicant and City staff.

Inspections:

The results and date of each inspection performed can be viewed online. Although inspection status is updated by the end of each work day, if a customer prefers personal contact for verification of an inspection it is available through email or phone.

History:

Upon logging into their account customers can view a report of all their permit applications created since June 2013, including the corresponding permit and inspection status for each application.

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