Patio Guide

December 2020

REQUIREMENTS

- ☐ If constructing a **concrete** patio, the following are required:
 - o a minimum of 3000 psi air entrant concrete
 - o 6"x 6" 10/10 woven wire or fiber mesh
 - o Expansion joint where the concrete slab abuts the building
 - o Flashing between the concrete and wood or down face of the foundation
 - o #4 rebar drilled into the primary structure 3' on center placed at the base of the ground
 - o A minimum of 2" between the concrete and door sill
- ☐ If constructing a <u>paver</u> patio, joint polymeric sand must be applied and paver edge restraints installed.
- □ Patios that are 8" or more above grade require steps with risers no taller than 7¾" and treads a minimum of 10" deep.
- ☐ Guardrails, stairs and handrails are required when patios are at least 30" above grade.
- □ Patios must be a minimum of 5 feet from any property line except in the SR-4 Zoning District where patios may be setback 3 feet. Patios cannot be located within easements. (Refer to your Plat of Survey for easement locations.)
- ☐ Construction standards:

Project	Minimum Base (compacted gravel)	Minimum Material Thickness	
Concrete	6"	4" concrete	
Brick Paver	6" or manufacture's specifications (plus 1" of sand)	4" paver	

☐ The total impervious surface on each single-family/duplex lot will be calculated as part of the patio permit application review. The maximum impervious surface (driveways, walks, buildings, patio, etc.) shall not exceed:

Lot Size	Max. Impervious Surface		
20,000 sq.ft. or larger	30%		
10,800 sq.ft. – 19,999 sq.ft.	35%		
Less than 10,800 sq.ft.	40%		
Duplex lot	45%		

- Excess fill or spoils from excavating patios must be removed from the property. If the fill/spoils are being used on-site, a separate "Fill Permit" is required.
- A patio with a solid roof will require a foundation to the 42" frost line and will be considered an addition to the building. This addition must meet the required building setbacks for the zoning lot.

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WHAT YOU NEED TO APPLY

- ☐ A completed signed permit **application**
- ☐ A copy of the signed **contract** describing the cost of the project and the patio specifications
- ☐ Plat of Survey (to scale) showing the proposed patio with dimensions
- ☐ **Permit fee** (see chart below)

Estimated Cost of the Project	Permit Fee		
Less than \$500.00	\$40.00		
\$500.00 but less than \$1,000.00	45.00		
\$1,000.00 but less than \$2,500.00	50.00		
\$2,500.00 but less than \$5,000.00	60.00		
\$5,000.00 but less than \$10,000.00	90.00		
\$10,000.00 or more	12.00 per thousand		

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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- ☐ If a <u>contractor</u> is performing the work, they <u>must be registered with the Village of Bartlett</u> as a licensed contractor.
- ☐ The homeowner or contractor must call JULIE at 811 or 1-800-892-0123 before you dig.
- ☐ A pre-pour inspection is required upon completion of the base.
- ☐ A <u>final inspection</u> is required upon completion of work to close out the permit.
- ☐ Contact the Building Division at 630-540-5920 at least 48 hours in advance to schedule an inspection.