



Town Of Chatham
Historic Business District Commission

261 George Ryder Road
CHATHAM, MA 02633



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Application for Exemption

The following is a summary of materials that should be included in applications for Exemptions:

- Photographs of the existing building showing location of changes and adjacent areas, and including views from all public streets or ways.
- Color swatches for paint colors.
- HBDC may require, at its discretion, samples, models, specifications, or other representative materials.

General Application Requirements

- **Three copies** of all application materials must be submitted. Drawings must be 8 ½" x 11" or 11" x 17", and photographs and of all other required information must be attached to each copy of the application. All drawings and plans must be signed by the applicant or his/her authorized agent, and all attachments must be signed or initialed by the applicant.
- Drawings must be accurate in scale, including all exterior features, show finish grade at the foundation wall and ground level, and indicate all colors, materials and unusual details. Photographs must show current conditions and include several different views of affected elevations or areas.
- All applications should state the age of the building or structure, if available, and include available documentation supporting that date. Applicants are encouraged to include the Massachusetts Historical Commission Form B if such exists.
- The applicant must be the owner of the property or designated person to represent the owner. Unless a Power of Attorney or Agent Authorization Form is provided to the Commission.

* Completion of an Application for Exemption for interior work only is not required.

** Landscaping is exempt provided the landscaping is not resulting from work that requires a Certificate of Appropriateness, including hardscaping, additions, demolition, removal or relocation of a building or structure, or new construction of a building or structure.



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Date: _____

Application No: _____

Type of Work Proposed: ___ Flags ___ Interiors* ___ Landscaping** ___ Maintenance
___ Parking Areas ___ Play Equipment ___ Street Numbers
___ Temporary Structures ___ Work not Visible

Project Details:

Project Address: _____

Description of Work: _____

Age of Structure: _____

Owner/Applicant/Contractor Information:

Project Name or Owner of Property: _____

Owners Address: _____ Phone: _____

Applicant or Agent: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Contractor: _____ Phone: _____

Signature of Applicant or Agent