

**How to calculate the “estimated value of work”  
Line 11 of the Building Permit Application**

Site Work:

- Excavation
- Septic Installation
- Back fill & rough grade
- Finish grade, loam & seed
- Plantings
- Sidewalks & Driveways

Concrete & Masonry:

- Footings & foundation
- Concrete slabs
- Masonry fireplaces & chimneys

Frame:

- Walls, interior & exterior
- Floors
- Ceilings
- Roofs, including shingles, etc

Exterior:

- Siding & trim

Interior:

- Doors
- Moldings & trim
- Stairs & railings
- Floor Coverings
- Paint & Stain
- Kitchen – cabinets, counters, appliances

Plumbing & Gas:

- All piping
- All fixtures

Electrical:

- All line voltage wiring
- All fixtures
- All low voltage wiring
- All communication wiring

Misc: Include such things as:

- Tree cutting & stump removal  
(removal of excavated materials: boulders, trash, excess earth, etc.)
- Special site work, drainage, retention, detention areas, wetland replacement
- Hay bales, silt fence, fences, etal.

All the above figures must include labor and materials.

For homeowners doing their own work to calculate the labor it should be at a rate of \$20.00 per hour.

Submit a completed worksheet with all building permit applications.