

## PERMIT DEPOSIT FORFEITURE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

(Schedule "D" to By-Law No. 2025-29)

The Deposit Forfeiture Acknowledgement Form is an application to submit a deposit with the Township of Southwold as a guarantee the municipal right of way (roadway, curb, sidewalk, boulevard, etc.), adjacent properties (fences, irrigation, hardscaping, sod, etc.) and compliance with all By-laws and approved grading, as well as any clean-up of the street and adjoining streets.

Once construction is complete, including all required inspections and submission of all required paperwork/files, a property owner/permit holder may make a formal request to the Building Department by email at <a href="mailto:deputycbo@southwold.ca">deputycbo@southwold.ca</a> to request the release of the deposit.

**NOTE:** Building Permit cannot be issued until the Deposit is remitted and the following Deposit Forfeiture Acknowledgement Form is received.(see bottom of form for instructions)

#### 1. PAYEE INFORMATION

FULL NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE NUMBER:
EMAIL ADDRESS:
PERMIT NUMBER:
PROJECT ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE):

# 2. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF DEPOSIT FORFEITURE

Initial beside each statement to acknowledge that you have read and understand the conditions regarding deposit forfeiture as stipulated by the Township of Southwold.

I am aware that the deposit paid in relation to my permit is subject to forfeiture under the following conditions:

\_\_\_\_\_\_ The deposit(s) shall be forfeited in full where the permit file is not closed by way of passing a final inspection within two years of the date of issuance of the building permit, and a request for extension for completion of the permitted work is not requested in writing and granted.

\_\_\_\_\_ The deposit(s) shall be forfeited in full where the building for which the permit was issued has been occupied prior to the issuance of an occupancy permit.

\_\_\_\_\_ The deposit(s) shall be forfeited in full where there is damage to Township property as a result of the construction/completion of my project.

By signing this form, I agree to the following:

- I acknowledge that I am aware of and understand the circumstances under which my deposit may be forfeited.
- I agree to comply with all permit conditions and applicable regulations to avoid forfeiture of my deposit.
- I understand that if my deposit if forfeited, it may be used to cover costs incurred by the Township of Southwold as a result of non-compliance or other permit-related issues.

## 3. SIGNATURE

#### APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE:\_\_\_\_\_

## 1. TOWNSHIP OF SOUTHWOLD OFFICE USE ONLY

RECEIVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS:\_\_\_\_\_

# Instructions for Submitting the Form:

- 1. Complete all sections of the form.
- 2. Sign, initial and date the form where indicated.
- 3. Submit the completed form to the Township of Southwold office via email, mail, or in person as per the instructions provided by the Township.

# **Refund Information:**

Deposits will be refunded and mailed to the Payee indicated in Section 1 of this completed form. A cheque will be mailed to the mailing address indicated on this form. Cheques may not be picked up.