



RESORT MUNICIPALITY OF WHISTLER

Interface Construction Restriction Exemption Form – Tree Service Companies

WATER CONSERVATION STAGES

STAGE 1 & 2: Approved construction exemptions are permitted to be used.

STAGE 3: Approved construction exemptions are NOT PERMITTED to be used

In accordance with Bylaw 2201, 2019 all Interface Construction Exemption applications will be subject to a non-refundable site inspection fee of \$150. Application Process:

- 1) Complete the application form and remit payment to Municipal Hall using one of the following methods;
 - Interac E-Transfer from a Canadian bank account to finance@whistler.ca stating the application address and “Construction Exemption” in the message area. *(Your bank must be able to send automatic deposits that do not require a password).
 - Cheque Payment by mail to 4325 Blackcomb Way, Whistler, BC, V8E 0X5, or via the drop box outside the main entrance of Municipal Hall.
 - Credit Card by email to finance@whistler.ca to arrange phone payment. A 2.2% credit card fee applies.
- 2) Submit to Whistler Fire Rescue Service via the Municipal Hall drop box, or by email to fire@whistler.ca
- 3) WFRS will contact you to schedule an inspection of your work site.
 If approved, this form will be signed & dated by the Issuing Officer upon inspection. Please ensure a copy of the signed form is posted at your site.

Property Address: Various property sites within Whistler.

Contractor:	Phone:
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Email:	Site Contact:
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Site Details and Description of High Risk Construction activities (e.g. blasting, excavating, drilling, grinding, hot works, mechanical brushing or land clearing, using fire or spark producing tools, including cutting tools);

I hereby agree to any Mitigating Measures to be determined by the WFRS and outlined below. I understand that I may be liable for the costs associated with wildfire suppression in the event of a fire. **EXEMPTION PERMITS ARE NOT APPROVED UNTIL SIGNED BY AN ISSUING OFFICER.**

Applicant Name:	Signature:
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Please submit completed form to fire@whistler.ca. Your site will be subject to inspection. If your request is approved, this form will be signed & dated by the Issuing Officer and returned to you.
PLEASE POST THE APPROVED FORM, SIGNED & DATED BY THE ISSUING OFFICER, ON SITE.

***** OFFICE USE ONLY *****

MITIGATING MEASURES

Site Wet-down Requirements: Each day, before starting the work, midway through the work and when the work is completed, wet down the forested area that is within 10 meters of the work being done for 1 hour each time, or until the ground is saturated to a depth of 2 inches and all exposed roots are well saturated.

Fire Watch: Minimum 2 hour fire watch required after construction ceases each day.

Other Site Specific Requirements including Fuel Reduction, Ladder Fuels, Surface Fuels, Crown Spacing: Chainsaws not to be placed down on combustible surfaces. Chippers must be placed so that the chipper does not create a hazard to surrounding combustibles.

Firefighting Equipment Required:

Water Delivery System	Shovel/Pulaski
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Fire Extinguisher	Other
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Issuing Officer:	Date:
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