



ENGINEERING PERMITS SUMMARY

City of Danville – Department of Public Works – Engineering Division
427 Patton Street - Danville, VA 24541
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Land Disturbance (Danville City Code § 13-11)

Land Disturbance Permit (anything except new single family home construction). This permit is required for land disturbances of areas 5,000 square feet or greater. The permit fee is \$78.00 for the first acre plus \$52.00 for each additional acre. The minimum permit fee is \$78.00. An approved Erosion and Sediment Control Plan, Responsible Land Disturber, permit fee, and Land Disturbance Permit Surety are required prior to the permit being issued.

Land Disturbance Permit (for single-family home construction). The permit fee is \$52.00. The permit fee, a Land Disturbance Permit surety and a signed Agreement In-Lieu-of Plan are required prior to the permit being issued.

Land Disturbance 1 Acre or Greater (Danville City Code § 13-43)

Virginia Stormwater Management (VSMP) Permit Land disturbances 1 acre or greater, or part of a “common plan” as defined by the Department of Environmental Quality are required to obtain the Virginia Stormwater Management Program (VSMP) General Permit for Construction Activities. This permit has many requirements and fees vary depending on the project size.

Curb Cuts (Danville City Code § 35-10)

Curb Cut Permit. This permit is required to modify or cut any existing curb, curb and gutter, including installation, removal, alteration or repair any driveway entrance on a curbed street. The permit fee is \$16.00 per curb cut or entrance.

Storm Drain (Danville City Code § 9-159)

Storm Drain Permit. This permit is required if anyone proposes to install, alter, repair, or replace any stormwater drainage system or facility whether on public property, easement or right-of-way, or on private property. The permit fee varies depending on the work being done. A drawing showing the proposed work along with calculations may be required for review.

Work within a Street Right-of-Way (Danville City Code § 35-9)

Excavation Permit. This permit is required if any work is proposed to cut, dig into or excavate within the right-of-way of any street, sidewalk, or alley in the City of Danville for the purpose of installing utilities, making connections, repairs, or for any other purpose whatsoever including the use of temporary structures. The permit fee varies depending on the work being done. A permit application along with a drawing of the proposed work must be submitted for review and approval prior to the issuance of the permit. A surety and proof of insurance are also required.