

Teller County Dept of Transportation

DRIVEWAYS/DRIVEWAY ACCESS REQUIREMENTS

Homeowners and residents are responsible for maintaining their own driveways, culverts and parking areas. We regret that during snow removal operations driveways may become obstructed with a berm of snow.

In accordance with Colorado State Statute 43-5-301, the Teller County Department of Transportation (TCDOT) does not allow anyone to plow snow or put gravel from driveways into or across the County right-of-way. It is illegal for private individuals to perform any kind of work on any County roadway.

DRIVEWAY ACCESS REQUIREMENTS

Prior to the issuance of a building permit, TCDOT requires that a driveway access permit be obtained. This applies to all areas of Teller County.

The following information is required on your driveway access permit:

- 1) Name, address & telephone number of applicant (owner).
- 2) Name, license & telephone number of licensed excavator.
- 3) Type of access (new or existing).
- 4) Type of construction (new or existing) (residential or commercial).
- 5) Number of vehicles which will access property.
- 6) Restricted or unrestricted access (gat or fence).
- 7) Legal description of property.
- 8) Physical address of property.
- 9) Subdivision (if applicable).
- 10) Parcel ID number.
- 11) Directions to the property.
- 12) Proposed date of work.
- 13) Printed name and signature of person making application.
- 14) Drawing of your site.

The location of the proposed driveway must be identified by flags along the County right-of-way.

At least five (5) working days will be needed to allow for driveway location inspection and permit processing.

ONLY a licensed excavator can pick up the permit, once issued.

A permit is effective for two (2) months. If your driveway will not be completed and ready for a final inspection by that time, applicant and/or excavator will need to call TCDOT for an extension. If your driveway permit has expired you will need to re-apply.