

Which of the following definitions best describe your proposed business:

Type of Home Based Business	Definition	Applicable Y\N
Home Office	A dedicated area located in a dwelling which has a phone	
	and\or fax for a registered business entity but where there are	
	no business clients, employees and distribution products.	
Minor Home Based	Development consisting of the use within an approved	
	residential building by a resident of that dwelling for one or	
	more businesses. Such businesses shall not require more than	
	one visitor/appointment at the same time throughout the day	
	within the dwelling. The business must be secondary to the	
	residential use of the building and no aspects of the business	
	operations shall be detectable from outside the property	
	other than an approved sign. The dwelling shall not be used as	
	a workplace for non-resident employees of the business. This	
	use class does not include indoor merchandise sales.	
Major Home-Based Business	Development consisting of the use within an approved	
	residential or accessory building by a resident of that dwelling	
	for one or more businesses. Such businesses may generate	
	more than one business associated visit per day. The business	
	use must be secondary to the residential use of the building	
	and shall not change the residential character of the dwelling	
	or accessory building other than exception of an approved	
	sign. The dwelling may be used as a workplace by a non-	
	resident. This use class does not include indoor merchandise	
	sales.	

A **PERMITTED USE** is the use of land or a building provided for in the Land Use Bylaw for which a development permit shall be issued with or without conditions upon an application having been made, which conforms to the Land Use Bylaw.

- Development permits for permitted uses are generally issued within 3 business days once the application is complete.
- The fee for this development permit is \$85

A **DISCRETIONARY USE** are those uses of land, building or structures for which permits may be issued only at the discretion of the Municipal Planning Commission (MPC).

- Development permits for discretionary uses must be brought to a Municipal Planning Commission meeting for a decision and then that decision is given to affected properties within 60m who have 21 days appeal the decision of the MPC. This process takes a minimum of 4 weeks.
- The fee for the development permit is \$85 plus an additional \$85 notification fee for a total of \$170.