



AGRICULTURAL USE EXEMPT STRUCTURE APPLICATION

Application Type	Fee
Original	\$50

Applicant Information

Name _____
 Phone _____ Fax _____
 Address _____
 Email Address _____

Owner Information *(If different from applicant)*

Name _____
 Phone _____ Fax _____
 Address _____

Property Information

Address/Location _____
 Parcel Number 70 - - - - _____
 Current Zoning _____ Master-Planned Zoning _____
 Description of Agricultural Use of this Property *(attach additional pages as needed)*: _____

Structure Information

Size of Structure *(feet)* Width _____ Length _____ Height _____
 Square Footage *(total)* _____
 Type of Structure _____
 Setback Distances *(feet)* Front Lot Line _____ Rear Lot Line _____
 Side 1 Lot Line _____ Side 2 Lot Line _____

Proposed Use of Structure *(e.g., storage of feeds, hay, food products, farm or agricultural equipment, etc. please list all that apply)* _____

I hereby certify that the structure being erected under this zoning permit is a structure used for a full-time agricultural or farming operation. It in no way will be used for storage of anything not directly used within the farming or agricultural operation. This structure is exempt under Public Act 230 of 1970 and does not require a building permit or any building inspections. There will be no retail business conducted from this structure at any time. I hereby attest that the information on this application form is, to the best of my knowledge, true and accurate.

Signature of Applicant

Date



AGRICULTURAL USE EXEMPT STRUCTURE AFFIDAVIT

NOTICE OF INTENT – CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF AGRICULTURAL BUILDING

By signing this Affidavit, I _____, state and affirm the following statements.

1. I am of lawful age and under no disability which precludes my ability to understand and execute this Affidavit.
2. I am the owner of the following-described lands (the “Property”):

Property Parcel Number: _____

Address of Property: _____

Legal Description of Property: _____

3. Type and Size of the Proposed Building (*or Building Expansion*): _____

4. List the specific Farm and Agricultural Uses for the Proposed Building: _____

5. List the Items, Equipment, and Vehicles to be stored in the Building (*both those for Farm/Agricultural Use and for Nonfarm/Agricultural Use*) and other Farming or Agricultural Uses of the Building: _____

6. Describe the Agricultural or Farm Uses occurring outdoors on the Parcel where the Building is/will be located: _____

7. On _____, 20_____, I have been issued Zoning Permit No. P _____ by Grand Haven Charter Township for the construction of a building on the Property which will be used for agricultural purposes only as provided in the Grand Haven Charter Township Zoning Ordinance and in State of Michigan law. It is therefore understood and represented to be true by the owner that:

- A. The accessory building is for the storage of agricultural equipment and products which are incidental to the agricultural use of the land on which structure is proposed to be erected.

- B. No portion of the accessory building is to be used for retail trade.

- C. No portion of the accessory building is to be used for the storage of personal property that is not related to the agricultural use of the land on which it is located. No personal machinery, equipment, travel trailers, recreational vehicles or automobiles will be stored within the building and any such storage shall be at the owners' own risk because the Township has not authorized or inspected the accessory building for the same. The owner will not allow anyone other than immediate family members, agricultural employees, and authorized agents, if any, access to the accessory building.

8. I understand this building will be exempt from the State of Michigan Building Code because of its status as a building used for agricultural purposes only. I further understand that exempt status will be lost if this building is used, in whole or in part, for any other purpose except agricultural purposes. In that event, the building will be required to comply with the State of Michigan Building Code.

9. I agree that Grand Haven Charter Township, at reasonable intervals and at reasonable times, may periodically inspect the building to determine if it is still being used for agricultural purposes only.

10. I understand that this Affidavit will be filed by Grand Haven Charter Township with the Ottawa County Register of Deeds, and will continue to apply to the Property, regardless of who owns the Property.

Date _____, 20_____

Signature

Printed Name

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

) ss

COUNTY OF OTTAWA)

Subscribed and sworn before me, a notary public, this _____, day of _____,
of 20_____, appeared _____.

Notary Public
Ottawa County, Michigan
Acting in Ottawa County, Michigan
My commission expires: _____

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