

BUILDING A RESIDENTIAL DECK



For SI: 1 inch = 25.4, 1 foot = 304.8 mm.

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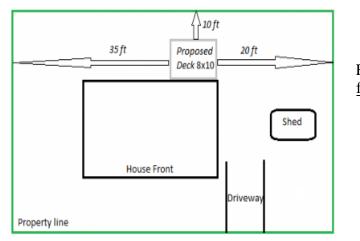
## **Building Permit**

Fill out a <u>Residential Building Permit Application</u> available in our office or Town website: <u>https://</u> www.waynesvillenc.gov/departments/developmentservices/applications-and-forms

Make sure to fill out Affidavit as to Status of Licensure and Affidavit of Workers Compensation Coverage. If applicable, fill out Lien Agent Information form as well. These forms are provided with your application. Sign these forms only in the presence of a notary provided free of charge in our office.

## What to Include with Application?

**1.** Include a <u>site plan</u> with your application indicating the location of a proposed deck to the house and setbacks (distance in feet) of the deck from the front, back, and side property lines. The plan can be drawn by an applicant himself and does not have to be professionally engineered. Example:



- **2.** Include a <u>scaled drawing</u> of the project (deck itself) indicating the following information:
  - a) Building material
  - b) Covered or uncovered deck
  - c) Attached or free standing
  - d) Footing size and framing details (girder, connection details, joists, posts, beams).
  - e) General height of a deck

For more information, see the <u>Quick Reference</u> from NC State Building Code on the flip page.

## Inspections

After the permit is issued, you can call us to schedule an inspection. Required inspections are:

- 1. Footings-prior to pouring concrete
- 2. Framing- prior to decking
- 3. Final inspection.

If you are building a commercial deck, please contact our office directly.

## Quick Reference: Deck Construction Source: NC State Building Residential Code 2018

