

Village of Bethalto
Building and Zoning



101 S Prairie St.
Bethalto II, 62010
618-377-7697

Electrical Permit Application

This Permit Must Be Posted In a Conspicuous Location on the Job Site

Address -

Service Type -

Over Head

Underground

Project Description - Alteration

Replacement

Re-wiring

All Inspections must be scheduled at least 24hrs in advance

No covering of work is permitted until final inspection is completed

Final inspection should be scheduled for at least 72 hours before closing

To schedule inspections please call Tim Henson at 618-920-3515 or Bethalto Building and Zoning at 618-377-7697. Twenty-four-hour notice is required for scheduling inspections as Tim Henson, the electrical inspector, is only available after 3:30pm.

Project Information / Location

Date

Name:

Phone

Address:

Power Co: Ameren

Contractor Information

Name:

Phone:

Address:

PERMIT AND INSPECTION INFORMATION

The Village of Bethalto requires inspections to be conducted during construction projects. The permit holder and or contractor is responsible for calling and scheduling inspections.

Zoning Administrator and or the Electrical Inspector for the Village may require additional inspections depending on the project size and scope of work being conducted. This permit must be posted in a conspicuous location at the residence visible from the street.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- * All work shall be done in accordance with the adopted version of the Village of Bethalto Electrical Code
- * All work shall be done in a neat and workman like manner
- * All electrical services shall be grounded by means of a copper ground rod minimum 8ft by 5/8th
- * No water pipe grounds are permitted to be used as a ground.
- *Grounding bridge is required
- * All electrical services must use galvanized rigid steel conduit
- *Duplexes' Condo's multi-unit complexes and apartment complexes shall have independent outside disconnects
- *All underground services, shall be rigid galvanized steel on the load side of the meter base
- *Service entrance may be PVC as long as it meets Ameren IP/Southwest Electric Company Specifications
- *All electrical circuits are to be a minimum of #12 ga. copper, and grounds are required
- * #14 ga. is prohibited
- *Aluminum wire is not allowed

RESIDENTIAL NEW AND SERVICE UPGRADES

- *Where subject to physical damage, Romex wiring shall be protected
- * Smoke Detectors
- *Smoke detectors shall be 120 volts with battery backup, all detectors must be interlocked

*Smoke detectors must be installed in the following locations: one in each bedroom, one in the common area on each level

*Carbon Monoxide detectors must be installed in the following locations: one on each level within 15ft of bedrooms and at least 15 ft. away from gas appliances

*Electrical circuit requirements, the following must have its own circuit

Microwave (single outlet) Dishwasher (single outlet w/appliance cord)

Refrigerator (single outlet) Garbage Disposal (single outlet)

Sump Pump (single outlet) Ejector Pump (single outlet)

Furnace Bathroom must have one clean GFCI circuit

Wash machine (single outlet)

RESIDENTIAL NEW AND SERVICE UPGRADES continued

*Two electrical circuits per circuit in the kitchen area

*Residential dwellings shall have the following exterior outlets, all exterior outlets must be GFCI protected

*One outlet in the front of the dwelling and in the rear of the residence

*One outlet within 25 ft of the air conditioner condensing unit

*One outlet inside deck or balcony

*All bedrooms must be Arc Fault Circuit Interrupters installed

* All kitchens, bathrooms, garages, whirlpool / Jacuzzi tubs, crawl spaces and outside receptacles shall have

*GFCI protection.

*Exempt are dedicated sump pump outlets

*All drops in basement must be encased in conduit

*Storage equipment, attics, crawl spaces shall have at least one lighting outlet

*All bedrooms must have ceiling fan rated boxes installed and any other location where a ceiling fan could be installed.

*Electric panels shall not be installed in the hallways, bathrooms, bedrooms, closets, and kitchens

*Receptacle spacing no more than 6ft horizontally between receptacle's

*Staples shall not exceed 4 ½ feet and 12 inches of every outlet box

*Stoves and dryer outlets must utilize 4 wire devices. NO EXCEPTIONS
