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Temporary Use Permit Application
PORTABLE STORAGE CONTAINERS (RESIDENTIAL USE)

Applicant Name Email/Phone

Address Type and Size of Storage Container

Location of Storage Container

It is the intent of the City of Bristol, Virginia to allow temporary portable storage containers for residential use as defined by Section 50-242 of City Code provided that the container meets all the requirements of the Temporary Use Ordinance (City Code Section 50-137c) which are specified below:

1. The container shall not be placed on any lot that does not contain an existing principal building or a principal building under construction; and shall only be permitted as an accessory use to the principal use of the lot on which such container is located;
2. No container shall be placed in the public right-of-way;
3. The container shall not be connected to utilities;
4. The vertical stacking of portable storage containers and the stacking of any other materials or merchandise on top of any storage container shall be prohibited;
5. No more than one (1) storage container may be allowed on one lot, and the location of the container shall meet the required front yard setback area for the zoning district to the greatest extent possible, and the container shall be at least ten (10) feet from side and rear property lines, or in a private driveway.
6. No portable storage container shall be located on or block access to, a required parking space, public sidewalk, circulation aisle, or fire access lane, or cause a visual obstruction to pedestrians or motor vehicles leaving or entering the property.
7. The duration of the portable storage container on a residential lot shall be restricted to sixty (60) days. A Temporary Use Permit may be renewed for one additional thirty (30) day period.

I acknowledge that I have read and agree to the terms and conditions outlined above. I understand that failure to comply with one or more of the terms and conditions may cause this permit to be revoked. I have provided all of the information listed on the following page.

Applicant Signature

Date

City Code Section 50-242: Definition of Portable storage containers means a transportable unit designed and used for the temporary storage of materials or furnishings associated with construction, renovation, or relocation activity on the property where the container is placed. This definition excludes the following: 1) the use of storage containers for a consecutive 10-day period or less for loading and unloading furnishings; 2) commercial refuse containers which are regulated in Section 40-72 of City Code, and 3) temporary office units associated with construction activity on the same site.

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Remarks or Conditions: _____

Planning Division Authorization Signature

Date

Permit Expiration Date: _____

Fee Paid \$ _____