## North Carolina Department of Transportation Standard Encroachment Plan Checklist

## Intent

This checklist is not all inclusive of the requirement for other agencies. The Applicant shall comply with all applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations, and shall obtain all necessary local, state, and federal environmental permits associated with this installation. This checklist aids in promoting consistency in submittals and reviews and in expediting the process by understanding the requirements and providing sufficient information.

The highlighted items on the checklist are provided for Utility Encroachments only. Please complete the full checklist for Utility Encroachments and disregard the highlighted items for Non-Utility Encroachments.

## General

Submit only properly formatted, complete drawings with sufficient, applicable information with encroachment requests. If proper plans are not submitted, encroachment requests may be returned to the Applicant and encroachment review will not begin until proper plans are resubmitted. Large encroachments which span multiple Districts shall be separated by County and by Encroachment Agreement Type.

## Professional Engineer Seals and Other Information

Certain utility encroachment requests require plans to be sealed by a licensed North Carolina Professional Engineer. Guidance on what requests have this requirement can be found in the NCDOT Utilities Accommodations Manual (<u>download latest version here</u>). For more information on Utility Encroachment Plan requirements, click <u>here</u>

Certain non-utility encroachment requests require plans to be sealed by a licensed North Carolina Professional Engineer. Specific instances include when a retaining wall is associated with sidewalk installation as well as a Gateway Sign standard practice that requires an encroachment agreement and may require PE Seal for a traffic safety analysis.

Cover Letter		
	Contact Person / Engineering Firm	
	Phone Number with Area Code	
	Email Address	
	Applicant Project Name / Information / Number	
	County	
	Proposed Schedule	
	Erosion Control Plan approved by NC DEQ (if 1 acre or more is disturbed) OR Letter of Intent to install proper erosion control measures (if less than 1 acre is disturbed)	
Plan Format		
	Plans should be legible	
	Plans should show the entire project limits	
	Plan sheet size to engineering scale of 11"x17" or 8.5"x11" is preferred. Submit full size plan sheets only if	
	requested	
	Submit only applicable plan and detail sheets. Remove plan sheets and details for work outside of NCDOT right of way, including work on city and non-NCDOT maintained roadways from the submittal	

Location / Vicinity Map: Include a vicinity map in the submittal to provide a quick and easy		
reference to the location of the proposed work. Include the following aspects in the vicinity map:		
<ul> <li>North arrow</li> <li>Label roads</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Label proposed work area</li> </ul>		
County name		
Contact information: This information should consist of names, telephone numbers, and email addresses of key people involved in encroachment plan development and encroachment construction and should, whenever possible, include a 24-hour contact to address issues during construction		
Utility owner project number (optional)		
Engineering firm information		
General Notes		
If applicable, general notes should reflect NCDOT requirements.		
Legend / Symbology		
All features shown within the plan set should have a corresponding symbol. The legend should include all applicable symbols and line styles.		
Detail Sheets		
Include NCDOT standard details, if applicable. If no standard details are applicable, provide site- specific details.		
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General Plan View			
□ North arrow			
State routes labeled			
<ul> <li>Scale / Dimension. All plans should either be to engineering scale or properly and accurately dimensioned:         <ul> <li>Scale should be shown</li> <li>Scale should be no greater than 1" = 100'</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Facility details:         <ul> <li>Length, size, material, type of encroachment</li> <li>Installation method</li> <li>Utility structures with dimensions, if applicable</li> <li>Bore diameter</li> <li>Bore pit locations, including dimensions of bore pit and offsets from all roadway features</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Existing Roadway Details with proposed facility offsets (provide dimensions):</li> <li>Edge of pavement and/or back of curb, with roadway width</li> <li>Right of way line and/or control of access line, with right of way width</li> <li>Guardrail</li> <li>Storm drainage features (e.g. drainage pipes and structures), with culvert diameters</li> <li>Ditch line and/or toe of fill</li> <li>Structure</li> </ul>			
Existing Utilities. Show and dimension all existing utility features near to or impacted by the proposed encroachment			
General Profile View			
A profile view is required when crossing a roadway or near NCDOT structure or other asset (bridge, culvert, pipe, or other DOT owned facility).			
Installation method			
Prominent features			
Right of way limits			
<ul> <li>The entire crossing section through the right of way</li> <li>Minimum vertical dimensions</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Bore pit locations</li> <li>Elevations, sizes and materials for potential utility conflicts</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Grade and/or cover on proposed utilities</li> <li>Scale of profile view</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Scale of profile view</li> <li>Rim and invert elevations for proposed utility structures</li> </ul>			
Submittal Acknowledgement			
□ I have reviewed all policies and guidelines and this submittal package is in compliance			