

# Scheduling for Environmental Permits

			Permit Type:	Nationwide Permits, Regional General Permits	Individual Permits	CAMA Permits	Other Permits and Considerations
			Usually for:	Bridge Replacements Minor Widening	Projects with high environmental impacts	Most projects in 20 coastal counties	Add time frames to appropriate Permit Type on left:
	Event	Task/Activity	Duration	Back-schedule from Let Date	Back-schedule from Let Date	Back-schedule from Let Date	
Permit App Development	<b>ECAP Requests Permit Drawings</b>			<b>11 months</b>	<b>15 months</b>	<b>15 months</b>	<b>US Coast Guard Permit</b> <b>Add 9 months to Bold Values</b> <i>404/401/CAMA Permit is prerequisite for USCG Permit</i>
	EAU Receives Permit drawings	ECAP Reviews, comments, returns.	2 weeks				
	<b>EAU Receives Final Permit drawings</b>	ECAP writes application, sub-divides impacts to determine mitigation, secures Mitigation from DMS, Finalizes and Submits Permit Application	1-2 months*	9 months	13 months	13 months	
	<b>ECAP Submits Permit Application</b>			<b>8 months</b>	<b>11 months</b>	<b>11 months</b>	<b>FERC Permit</b> <b>Add 12 months to Bold Values</b> <i>404/401 Permit is prerequisite for FERC Permit</i>
Agency Review	Agencies Receive Permit Application	Agencies Reviews for Complete Application	<u>30 days</u>				
		Agencies place project on Public Notice	<u>45 days</u>	<i>not required</i>			
	Agencies Make Permit Decision/ Process Permit	Agencies write decision document	<u>45-150 days*</u>	<i>not required</i>	<i>60-120 days*</i>	<i>90-150 days*</i>	
	Agencies write permit		<i>45 days</i>				
	401 Issued by DWR	Corps submits 401 to EPA for Review	<u>30 days</u>				
Permit Processing	<b>ECAP Receives Permits</b>			<b>3 months</b>	<b>4 months</b>	<b>4 months</b>	<b>Early Utility Relocations</b> <b>Add time needed to move utilities before Let Date to Bold Values</b>
	ECAP Processes Permits	Submits for internal NCDOT review to ensure Department can adhere to all permit conditions. Creates Permit Package	1-2 weeks				
		Plans Due Date	Permit Package Distributed / All Permitting Activities Complete / Contracts Adding Permit to Contract Package		2.5 months (10 weeks)	2.5 months (10 weeks)	2.5 months (10 weeks)

**Key:**

**Text in Gray Fill** Only use these milestones in your schedule. Sub-categories are not tracked and is 'schedule metadata' for information purposes only.

Blue Text = Agency Review, Underline = Statutory Time Allotment

\* This is a range. Use minimums for minimal projects, use maximums for complex projects. Consider workload we have on agency representative.