

January 24, 2022

Patricia Schuchman  
Town Manager  
Building/Code Enforcement  
Town of Fenwick Island  
800 Coastal Highway  
Fenwick Island, DE, 19944

This letter is to request an extension of permit # 5247 for a single grace period of 120 days.

This permit for work is located at 1711 Bunting Ave, Fenwick Island, Delaware.

In the past 20 months we have all faced a multitude of challenges as we navigate through uncharted territory dealing with the risks and effects of COVID-19.

As a contractor, I have been designated "essential" and/or "allowable business service" in Delaware and Maryland, which fortunately has allowed me to continue to make an income and provide for my family. However, I have and continue to deal with a host of specific COVID-19 related challenges such as supplier delivery issues, sub-contractor absenteeism due to illness or close contact and lost time or inefficiencies due to the need to practice social distancing on the jobsite. These are only a few issues that have affected supply and labor costs as well as scheduling conflicts and consequences.

Ultimately, the effects of COVID-19 on the supply chain and workforce have greatly impacted the construction schedule for this project. I'd appreciate your consideration to waive the permit fees associated with opening a new building permit.

Thanks in advance for your time and consideration on this sensitive matter.



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