



Town of Rome Guest Camping Permit Application

Fee: \$20.00

Permit # _____

Property Owner: _____

Phone Number: _____

Home Address: _____

Campsite Address: _____

Guest Camper Duration: From _____ To _____

Number of Guests: _____

- **IMPORTANT NOTE TO THE LAND OWNER:** If there is a guest camping unit placed on the property without a valid Guest Camping Permit, the land owner is subject to the issuance of a citation.

I have read the restrictions on the back of this form and agree to abide by them.

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Issued by: _____ Date _____

Excerpt from current Town Code:

§ 360-60 B. Camping.

(1)

Camping limit: one camping unit in a subdivision; two camping units outside a subdivision.

(2)

Season: Camping is allowed from April 14 through November 30.

(3)

Permit required. An annual permit issued by the Zoning Administrator is required for seasonal camping on any lot on which a single-family residence does not exist.

(4)

Guest camping. A second camping unit to be occupied by guests of a lot owner shall be permitted on the zoning lot in a subdivision between April 15 and October 15 of each calendar year for no more than three nonsequential periods of a maximum of 10 days each in duration. At least 15 days must elapse between each such period. A guest camping permit issued by the Town of Rome is required.

(5)

Water/septic requirements. Commencing on January 1, 2012, camping may not occur on a lot on which a single-family residence does not exist unless said lot satisfies both of the following requirements:

(a)

Is either connected to water service offered by the Rome Water Utility or is served by a private, code-compliant well providing potable water; and

(b)

Is connected to a municipal sanitary sewer system or is directly served by a private on-site waste treatment system as defined in § 145.01(12), Wis. Stats., or is attached to a transfer container that is installed pursuant to the regulations set forth in Section 3-2.08 of the Adams County Private On-site Waste Treatment Systems Ordinance.

(6)

Off-season camping permit. Camping is permitted from December 1 through April 14 only upon issuance of an off-season camping permit by the Zoning Administrator. Such camping is limited to no more than two occurrences for a cumulative total of no more than 21 days during any off-season period. A separate permit is required for each occurrence and will only be issued upon proof that the camping unit will be connected to either a municipal sanitary sewer system or has direct access to a private on-site waste treatment system approved by the State of Wisconsin and Adams County.

(7)

All permits required herein must be displayed in a weather-resistant receptacle that is securely attached, below the address sign, to the Town-issued address identification post.

(8)

Notwithstanding Subsection **B(5)(b)** herein, portable toilets and vault privies are prohibited in this district. Composting, chemical and incinerating toilets are permitted only if completely within the camping unit.