

Notice to Individuals Applying for an Exemption from the Forest Conservation Requirements

The review time for an application for an exemption from the forest conservation requirements is currently about 30 days from the date that a *complete* application is received and logged in by the M-NCPPC Environmental Planning Section, Countywide Planning Division.

A complete application includes, at a minimum: completed and signed NRI/FSD application form, \$180 fee, simplified NRI/FSD plan showing existing conditions on the subject property (including forest, environmental buffer, and large trees, as applicable), and plan showing proposed project (with grading and limits of disturbance) and forest- or tree-protection measures, if appropriate.

If an application is incomplete or requires additional information in order for staff to adequately evaluate the proposed project, up to 30 more days of review time, from the time of receipt of the additional information, may be needed to review the application