
AFFIDAVIT OF EXEMPTION FOR AGRICULTURAL STRUCTURES

All permit applicants are required to complete this affidavit. This is a sworn legal document.
The applicant's signature shall be witnessed by a Notary.

As applicant for work to be performed at the following location:

_____ Tax Map# _____
(Location of work)

(Description of work)

Pursuant to the provision § 36-99 of the Code of Virginia and Section 102.3.6, 2006 (USBC) Uniform Statewide Building Code of Virginia, and as amended. I swear I am exempt from any requirements for obtaining Building Permits in the County of Amelia located in Commonwealth of Virginia for the following reason: This is an Agricultural Structure, used for agricultural purposes. It complies with all local Zoning Ordinance requirements pertaining to setbacks and /or location of structure on the lot.

From Code of Virginia, Section 36-97:

“Farm building or structure” means a building or structure not used for residential purposes, located on property where farming operations take place, and used primarily for any of the following uses or combination thereof:

1. Storage, handling, production, display, sampling or sale of agricultural, horticultural, floricultural or silvicultural products produced in the farm;
2. Sheltering, raising, handling, processing or sale of agricultural animals or agricultural animal products;
3. Business or office uses relating to the farm operations;
4. Use of farm machinery or equipment or maintenance or storage of vehicles, machinery or equipment on the farm;
5. Storage or use of supplies and materials used on the farm; or
6. Implementation of best management practices associated with farm operations.

_____ **Applicant** _____ **Phone**

_____ **Address**

_____ **City/State/Zip**

Signed and acknowledged by _____
(Applicant signature)

In the city or county of _____ on the _____ day of __,20____, in
the presence of the undersigned witness.

_____ **Notary**

My Commission expires _____, 20____.