



**TOWN OF FAIRFIELD
SHELLFISH COMMISSION
725 OLD POST ROAD
FAIRFIELD, CT 06824
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**TOWN OF FAIRFIELD
RECREATIONAL SHELLFISH PERMIT APPLICATION**

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY		
LICENSE # _____ -2019		
ADULT: _____	SENIOR: _____	NR: _____
DATE OF ISSUANCE		
Issued By:		

APPLICANT INFORMATION [PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY]		
Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Email:	Phone #:	
Height:	Weight:	Date of Birth:
Driver's License #:		[PLEASE ATTACH LEGIBLE PHOTO COPY]

DISCLAIMER – WAIVER OF LIABILITY:

The Town of Fairfield makes no representations of warranties with respect to the conditions within its jurisdictional waters or along its coastal areas. The Fairfield Shellfish Commission and the Town of Fairfield are not responsible for injuries or damages suffered by shellfishers while within Fairfield's jurisdictional waters or along its coastal areas. By applying for and accepting this Permit, the holder recognizes that conditions within the waters and along the coastal areas contain many hazards including but not limited to deep holes, uneven ground and unexpected drop-offs. By shellfishing within Fairfield's jurisdictional waters and along its coastal areas the holder of a Recreational Shellfish Permit agrees to assume all risks and liabilities inherent in this activity, including, but not limited to, those flowing from natural as well as man-made hazards. By accepting this Permit, the holder acknowledges the existence of such hazards and dangers and agrees that the Town of Fairfield and the Fairfield Shellfish Commission are not responsible for any dangers or injuries that may be incurred while shellfishing within Fairfield's jurisdictional waters or anywhere along its coastal waters.

SIGNATURE LINE

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:	DATE:
PRINTED NAME:	

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE LEGIBLE AND COMPLETE OR THE PERMIT MAY BE DENIED OR DELAYED

Please forward the completed application, permit fee and appropriate identification to:

**Town of Fairfield – Shellfish Commission
C/O Conservation Department
725 Old Post Road
Fairfield, CT 06824**

Permits will be returned to you within 1 to 2 weeks upon receipt of a complete application.

PLEASE NOTE:

- The Town of Fairfield’s Open Recreational Shellfishing Area at Sasco Beach is only accessible by boat or from the parking area at Sasco Beach. There is no public access available from the Country Club of Fairfield property. This AREA IS PRIVATE PROPERTY. The Sasco Beach Parking area is available between Memorial Day and Labor Day only with the proper beach parking permit, which may be obtained from the Town of Fairfield’s Recreation Department.

Remember to call the Conservation Department Shellfish Status Hotline at 203-256-3074.

The restocking of the recreational beds will likely take place in the Spring and Fall as needed, which may require at least a two week closure to allow the clams to depurate (cleanse) and dig in.

PERMIT FEES:

\$20.00-----Town of Fairfield Resident (16 and Older)
Proof of Town Residency must be provided.

\$10.00-----Resident Senior (60 and Older)

\$40.00-----Non-Resident

- Children under 16 do not need a permit but must be accompanied by a licensed adult.
- The fee for the replacement of a lost permit is equal to the amount of the original permit.
- Payment through the mail must be in the form of check or money order that is made out to the Town of Fairfield – Shellfish Commission. (NO CASH)

REQUIRED ATTACHMENT:

- 1.) A legible copy of valid driver’s license or state issued photo id must be included with this application. Auto registrations and old clamming permits DO NOT constitute proof of residency.
- 2.) Check or Money Order made out to the Town of Fairfield – Shellfish Commission

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