

PERMIT ISSUE

City of Portland, Maine - Building or Use Permit Application

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Permit No: 01-0432	Issue Date: MAY - 27	CBL: 014 A004001
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Location of Construction: 80 Quebec St	Owner Name: Davis Tracy &	Owner Address: 80 Quebec St	Phone: CITY OF PORTLAND 26
Business Name: n/a	Contractor Name: n/a	Contractor Address: n/a Portland	Phone:
Lessee/Buyer's Name n/a	Phone: n/a	Permit Type: Change of Use - Dwellings	Zone: R-6

Past Use: Single Family Home	Proposed Use: Single Family / Home occupation; using former bedroom & kitchen as waiting room & therapist's office.	Permit Fee:	Cost of Work: \$0.00	CEO District: 1
Proposed Project Description: Home Occupation		FIRE DEPT: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	INSPECTION: Use Group: R-3 Type: SM PERMIT ISSUED WITH REQUIREMENTS	
		Signature:	Signature:	
PEDESTRIAN ACTIVITIES DISTRICT (P.A.D.)				
Action: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved w/Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Denied				
Signature: _____ Date: _____				

Permit Taken By: gg	Date Applied For: 04/25/2001	Zoning Approval		
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1. This permit application does not preclude the Applicant(s) from meeting applicable State and Federal Rules. 2. Building permits do not include plumbing, septic or electrical work. 3. Building permits are void if work is not started within six (6) months of the date of issuance. False information may invalidate a building permit and stop all work..	Special Zone or Reviews <input type="checkbox"/> Shoreland <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland <input type="checkbox"/> Flood Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Subdivision <input type="checkbox"/> Site Plan Maj <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> MM <input type="checkbox"/> Date: <i>ok with conditions</i> <i>5/1/01</i>	Zoning Appeal <input type="checkbox"/> Variance <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Use <input type="checkbox"/> Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied Date:	Historic Preservation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not in District or Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> Does Not Require Review <input type="checkbox"/> Requires Review <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved w/Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Denied Date: <i>[Signature]</i>
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PERMIT ISSUED WITH REQUIREMENTS

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I am the owner of record of the named property, or that the proposed work is authorized by the owner of record and that I have been authorized by the owner to make this application as his authorized agent and I agree to conform to all applicable laws of this jurisdiction. In addition, if a permit for work described in the application is issued, I certify that the code official's authorized representative shall have the authority to enter all areas covered by such permit at any reasonable hour to enforce the provision of the code(s) applicable to such permit.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	ADDRESS	DATE	PHONE
RESPONSIBLE PERSON IN CHARGE OF WORK, TITLE		DATE	PHONE

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All Purpose Building Permit Application

If you or the property owner owes real estate or personal property taxes or user charges on any property within the City, payment arrangements must be made before permits of any kind are accepted.

Location/Address of Construction ^{Proposed Home Occupation} : 80 Quebec St 010409		
Total Square Footage of Proposed ^{Existing} Structure: 2232	Square Footage of Lot: 2175	
Tax Assessor's Chart, Block & Lot Number Chart# 14 Block# A Lot# 11	Owner: Steven H. Gilbert Tracy Davis	Telephone#: Any = Barbara Vestal 772-7426
Lessee/Buyer's Name (If Applicable) NA	Owner's/Purchaser/Lessee Address: 58 Lafayette St, Portland	Cost Of Work: \$ Fee: \$ 30
Current use: Single family home If the location is currently vacant, what was prior use: Approximately how long has it been vacant: Proposed use: single family home with home-occupation Project description: Re-use former bedroom & kitchen as utility room and therapist's office		
Contractor's Name, Address & Telephone: NONE		
Applicants Name, Address & Telephone: Steven H. Gilbert + Tracy Davis		
Who should we contact when the permit is ready: Barbara Vestal to call Telephone: 772-7426		
If you would like the permit mailed, what mailing address should we use: 107 Congress St. Portland, Me 04101 4/25 Gupto		
Rec'd By:		

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PLOT PLAN INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- The shape and dimension of the lot, all existing buildings (if any), the proposed structure and the distance from the actual property lines. Structures include decks porches; a bow windows cantilever sections and roof overhangs, as well as, sheds, pools, garages and any other accessory structures.
- Scale and North arrow; Zoning District & Setbacks
- First Floor sill elevation (based on mean sea level datum);
- Location and dimensions of parking areas and driveways;
- Location and size of both existing utilities in the street and the proposed utilities serving the building;
- Location of areas on the site that will be used to dispose of surface water.
- Existing and proposed grade contours

A COMPLETE SET OF CONSTRUCTION DRAWINGS INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- Cross Sections w/Framing details (including porches, decks w/ railings, and accessory structures)
 - Floor Plans & Elevations
 - Window and door schedules
 - Foundation plans with required drainage and damp proofing
- Electrical and plumbing layout. Mechanical drawings for any specialized equipment such as furnaces, chimneys, gas equipment, HVAC equipment (air handling) or other types of work that may require special review must be included.

SEPARATE PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR INTERNAL & EXTERNAL PLUMBING, HVAC AND ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS

- All construction must be conducted in compliance with the 1999 B.O.C.A. Building Code as amended by Section 6-Art II.
- All plumbing must be conducted in compliance with the State of Maine Plumbing Code.
- All Electrical Installation must comply with the 1999 National Electrical Code as amended by Section 6-Art III.
- HVAC (Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning) installation must comply with the 1993 BOCA Mechanical Code.

Minor/Minor Site Review Fee for New Single Family homes: \$300.00/Building Permit Fee: \$30.00 for the 1st \$1000.cost plus \$6.00 per \$1,000.00 construction cost thereafter.

ONE SET OF SUBMISSIONS INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION AND SITE PLAN DRAWINGS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON PAPER NO LARGER THAN 11" x 17" BEFORE ANY BUILDING PERMIT WILL BE ISSUED

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Signature of applicant:

Bonnie V. Vostel for

Date: 4/25/01

Steven Gilbert & Tracy Davis

BUILDING PERMIT REPORT

DATE: 30 APRIL 2001 ADDRESS: 800 Quebec ST. CBL: 014-9-004
REASON FOR PERMIT: Home Occupation (Therapist's office)
BUILDING OWNER: Tracy Davis
PERMIT APPLICANT: _____ / CONTRACTOR SAO
USE GROUP: A-3 CONSTRUCTION TYPE: 53 CONSTRUCTION COST: _____ PERMIT FEES: 300

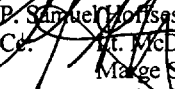
The City's Adopted Building Code (The BOCA National Building Code/1999 with City Amendments)
The City's Adopted Mechanical Code (The BOCA National Mechanical Code/1993)

CONDITION(S) OF APPROVAL

This permit is being issued with the understanding that the following conditions shall be met: *1 *11 *28 *35
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1. This permit does not excuse the applicant from meeting applicable State and Federal rules and laws.
2. Before concrete for foundation is placed, approvals from the Development Review Coordinator and Inspection Services must be obtained. (A 24 hour notice is required prior to inspection) "**ALL LOT LINES SHALL BE CLEARLY MARKED BEFORE CALLING.**"
3. Foundation drain shall be placed around the perimeter of a foundation that consists of gravel or crushed stone containing not more than 10 percent material that passes through a No. 4 sieve. The drain shall extend a minimum of 12 inches beyond the outside edge of the footing. The thickness shall be such that the bottom of the drain is not higher than the bottom of the base under the floor, and that the top of the drain is not less than 6 inches above the top of the footing. The top of the drain shall be covered with an approved filter membrane material. Where a drain tile or perforated pipe is used, the invert of the pipe or tile shall not be higher than the floor elevation. The top of joints or top of perforations shall be protected with an approved filter membrane material. The pipe or tile shall be placed on not less than 2" of gravel or crushed stone, and shall be covered with not less than 6" of the same material. Section 1813.5.2
4. Foundations anchors shall be a minimum of 1/2" in diameter, 7" into the foundation wall, minimum of 12" from corners of foundation and a maximum 6' O.C. between bolts. Section 2305.17
5. Waterproofing and dampproofing shall be done in accordance with Section 1813.0 of the building code.
6. Precaution must be taken to protect concrete and masonry. Concrete Sections 1908.9-19.8.10/ Masonry Sections 2111.3-2111.4.
7. It is strongly recommended that a registered land surveyor check all foundation forms before concrete is placed. This is done to verify that the proper setbacks are maintained.
8. Private garages located beneath habitable rooms in occupancies in Use Group R-1, R-2, R-3 or I-1 shall be separated from adjacent interior spaces by fire partitions and floor/ceiling assembly which are constructed with not less than 1-hour fire resisting rating. Private garages attached side-by-side to rooms in the above occupancies shall be completely separated from the interior spaces and the attic area by means of 1/2 inch gypsum board or the equivalent applied to the garage side. (Chapter 4, Section 407.0 of the BOCA/1999)
9. All chimneys and vents shall be installed and maintained as per Chapter 12 of the City's Mechanical Code. (The BOCA National Mechanical Code/1993). Chapter 12 & NFPA 211
10. Sound transmission control in residential building shall be done in accordance with Chapter 12, Section 1214.0 of the City's Building Code.
11. Guardrails & Handrails: A guardrail system is a system of building components located near the open sides of elevated walking surfaces for the purpose of minimizing the possibility of an accidental fall from the walking surface to the lower level. Minimum height all Use Groups 42". In occupancies in Use Group A, B, H-4, I-1, I-2, M, R, public garages and open parking structures, open guards shall have balusters or be of solid material such that a sphere with a diameter of 4" cannot pass through any opening. Guards shall not have an ornamental pattern that would provide a ladder effect. Handrails shall be a minimum of 34" but not more than 38". Exception: Handrails that form part of a guard shall have a height not less than 36 inches (914 mm) and not more than 42 inches (1067 mm). Handrail grip size shall have a circular cross section with an outside diameter of at least 1 1/4" and not greater than 2". (Sections 1021 & 1022.0). Handrails shall be on both sides of stairway. (Section 1014.7)
12. Headroom in habitable space is a minimum of 7'6". (Section 1204.0)
13. Stair construction in Use Group R-3 & R-4 is a minimum of 10" tread and 7 1/4" maximum rise. All other Use Group minimum 11" tread, 7" maximum rise. (Section 1014.0)
14. The minimum headroom in all parts of a stairway shall not be less than 80 inches. (6'8") 1014.4
15. The Minimum required width of a corridor shall be determined by the most restrictive of the criteria under section 1011.3 but not less than 36".
16. Every sleeping room below the fourth story in buildings of Use Groups R and I-1 shall have at least one operable window or exterior door approved for emergency egress or rescue. The units must be operable from the inside without the use of special knowledge or separate tools. Where windows are provided as means of egress or rescue they shall have a sill height not more than 44 inches (1118mm) above the floor. All egress or rescue windows from sleeping rooms shall have a minimum net clear opening height dimension of 24 inches (610mm). The minimum net clear opening width dimension shall be 20 inches (508mm), and a minimum net clear opening of 5.7 sq. ft. (Section 1010.4)
17. Each apartment shall have access to two (2) separate, remote and approved means of egress. A single exit is acceptable when it exits directly from the apartment to the building exterior with no communications to other apartment units. (Section 1010.1)
18. All vertical openings shall be enclosed with construction having a fire rating of at least one (1) hour, including fire doors with self closure's. (Over 3 stories in height requirements for fire rating is two (2) hours. (Section 710.0)
19. The boiler shall be protected by enclosing with (1) hour fire rated construction including fire doors and ceiling, or by providing automatic extinguishment. (Table 302.1.1)

- 20. All single and multiple station smoke detectors shall be of an approved type and shall be installed in accordance with the provisions of the City's Building Code Chapter 9, Section 920.3.2 (BOCA National Building Code/1999), and NFPA 101 Chapter 18 & 19. (Smoke detectors shall be installed and maintained at the following locations):
 - In the immediate vicinity of bedrooms
 - In all bedrooms
 - In each story within a dwelling unit, including basements
- 21. A portable fire extinguisher shall be located as per NFPA #10. They shall bear the label of an approved agency and be of an approved type. (Section 921.0)
- 22. The Fire Alarm System shall be installed and maintained to NFPA #72 Standard.
- 23. The Sprinkler System shall be installed and maintained to NFPA #13 Standard.
- 24. All exit signs, lights and means of egress lighting shall be done in accordance with Chapter 10 Section & Subsections 1023.0 & 1024.0 of the City's Building Code. (The BOCA National Building Code/1999)
- 25. Section 25 - 135 of the Municipal Code for the City of Portland states, "No person or utility shall be granted a permit to excavate or open any street or sidewalk from the time of November 15 of each year to April 15 of the following year".
- 26. The builder of a facility to which Section 4594-C of the Maine State Human Rights Act Title 5 MRSA refers, shall obtain a certification from a design professional that the plans commencing construction of the facility, the builder shall submit the certification the Division of Inspection Services.
- 27. Ventilation and access shall meet the requirements of Chapter 12 Sections 1210.0 and 1211.0 of the City's Building Code. (Crawl spaces & attics).
- 28. All electrical, plumbing and HVAC permits must be obtained by Master Licensed holders of their trade. No closing in of walls until all electrical (min. 72 hours notice) and plumbing inspections have been done.
- 29. All requirements must be met before a final Certificate of Occupancy is issued.
- 30. All building elements shall meet the fastening schedule as per Table 2305.2 of the City's Building Code (The BOCA National Building Code/1996).
- 31. Ventilation of spaces within a building shall be done in accordance with the City's Mechanical code (The BOCA National Mechanical Code/1993). (Chapter M-16)
- 32. Please read and implement the attached Land Use Zoning report requirements. *See attached*
- 33. Boring, cutting and notching shall be done in accordance with Sections 2305.3, 2305.3.1, 2305.4.4 and 2305.5.1 of the City's Building Code.
- 34. Bridging shall comply with Section 2305.16.
- 35. Glass and glazing shall meet the requirements of Chapter 24 of the building code. (Safety Glazing Section 2406.0)
- 36. All flashing shall comply with Section 1406.3.10.
- 37. All signage shall be done in accordance with Section 3102.0 signs of the City's Building Code, (The BOCA National Building Code/1999).


 P. Samuel Hoffas, Building Inspector
 C. J. McDougall, PFD
 Marge Schmuckal, Zoning Administrator
 Michael Nugent, Inspection Service Manager

PSH 10/1/00

****This permit is herewith issued, on the basis of plans submitted and conditions placed on these plans, any deviations shall require a separate approval.**

*****THIS PERMIT HAS BEEN ISSUED WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT ALL THE CONDITIONS OF THE APPROVAL SHALL BE COMPLETED. THEREFORE, BEFORE THE WORK IS COMPLETED A REVISED PLAN OR STATEMENT FROM THE PERMIT HOLDER SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THIS OFFICE SHOWING OR EXPLAINING THAT THE CONDITIONS HAVE BEEN MET. IF THIS REQUIREMENT IS NOT RECEIVED YOUR CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY SHALL BE WITHHELD. (You Shall Call for Inspections)**

******ALL PLANS THAT REQUIRE A PROFESSIONAL DESIGNER'S SEAL, (AS PER SECTION 114.0 OF THE BUILDING CODE) SHALL ALSO BE PRESENTED TO THIS DIVISION ON AUTO CAD LT. 2000, DXF FORMAT OR EQUIVALENT.**

*******CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FEE \$50.00**

LAND USE - ZONING REPORT

ADDRESS: 80 Quebec St DATE: 5/1/01

REASON FOR PERMIT: change of use → single family with a home occupation for a Therapist's office

BUILDING OWNER: DAVIS C-B-I: Ø14-A-4

PERMIT APPLICANT: B. Vestal

APPROVED: with conditions: #1, #2, #6, #8, #12

CONDITION(S) OF APPROVAL

1. This permit is being approved on the basis of plans submitted. Any deviations shall require a separate approval before starting that work.
2. During its existence, all aspects of the Home Occupations criteria, Section 14-410, shall be maintained.
3. All the conditions placed on the original, previously approved, permit issued on _____ are still in effect for this amendment, and/or revised permit.
4. The footprint of the existing _____ shall not be increased during maintenance reconstruction.
5. Your present structure is legally nonconforming as to setbacks. If you are to demolish this structure on your own volition, you will only have one (1) year to replace it in the same footprint (no expansions), with the same height, and the same use. Any changes to any of the above shall require that this structure met the current zoning standards.
6. This property shall remain a single family dwelling ^{with a home occupation after the issuance of this permit}. Any change of use shall require a separate permit application for review and approval.
7. Our records indicate that this property has a legal use of _____ units. Any change in this approved use shall require a separate permit application for review and approval.
8. Separate permits shall be required for any new signage, ^{under the home occupation criteria}
9. Separate permits shall be required for future decks, sheds, pool(s), and/or garage.
10. This is not an approval for an additional dwelling unit. You shall not add any additional kitchen equipment including, but not limited to items such as stoves, microwaves, refrigerators, or kitchen sinks, etc. without special approvals.
11. All of the attached Floodplain forms shall be appropriately filled out, signed, and returned prior to the issuance of any certificates of occupancy.
12. Other requirements of condition: Any "grandfathered" or Nonconforming rights to a second unit is extinguished with this change of use permit. Any future change of use(s) to return to a ~~second~~ two unit building shall comply with all current zoning and building codes.

Marge Schmuckal Marge Schmuckal, Zoning Administrator

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A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

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April 25, 2001

Marge Schmuckal
Zoning Administrator
Department of Urban Development
City of Portland
389 Congress Street
Portland, Maine 04101

Re: Application for Home Occupation, 58 Lafayette Street, Portland, Maine

Dear Ms. Schmuckal:

I represent Steven Gilbert and Tracy Davis, the owners of a house at the corner of Quebec and Lafayette Streets, located at 58 Lafayette Street (sometimes also referred to as 80 Quebec Street). On their behalf, I am requesting a permit to allow Steve Gilbert to use their residence for a home occupation. While it has been a two-family dwelling in the past, the owners are currently using the entire structure as their own residence. Mr. Gilbert is a therapist and will use a portion of the second floor of the house as his own office and as a space for meeting with individuals for therapy-related purposes (e.g., counseling, assessments, psychological testing, etc.). This use will be consistent with Section 14-410 (2)(i) "dentists, doctors, therapists, and health care practitioners."

The proposed home occupation will meet the criteria listed under Section 14-410(1) as follows:

1. **Maximum size:** The proposed home occupation will occupy one small room, which will be used as a waiting room, and a second larger room with attached alcove, which will be used as the therapy room/office for the applicant. These two rooms measure approximately 295 square feet. The total floor area of the house is approximately 1,116 square feet on each floor, for a total of 2,232 square feet. The proposed use of 295 square feet for the home occupation is less than 500 square feet and less than 25% the total floor area.
2. **Outside storage:** No goods will be stored, displayed or visible from outside the residence.
3. **Materials storage:** Materials necessary to perform the proposed home occupation are only basic office supplies and areas used for storage are included in the 295 square feet.

Marge Schmuckal
April 25, 2001
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4. **Signs:** The applicant has not determined whether there will be a sign, but if there is a sign, it will be limited to one nonilluminated sign which will not be greater than two square feet, will be affixed to the building, and will not project more than one foot beyond the building.
5. **Exterior Alterations:** No exterior alterations are proposed or necessary.
6. **Parking:** Mr. Gilbert anticipates no more than 7 appointments per day, spaced over the course of normal business hours. The parking demand will be no more than one car at a time. Mr. Gilbert will make the driveway located on his lot available for patient parking during the hours he has appointments scheduled. The driveway can accommodate two smaller cars or one car requiring a full regulation-sized space, with extra room.
7. **External Effects:** It is not anticipated that any objectionable effects will result from the proposed home occupation.
8. **Employees:** No individuals other than Mr. Gilbert will be employed in the home occupation.
9. **Traffic:** The traffic generated by the home occupation is estimated to be, at a maximum, seven vehicles per day. This will not cause any significant increase in traffic over that which would normally be expected in this densely developed Munjoy Hill neighborhood.
10. **Vehicle Storage:** No vehicles with a gross vehicle weight of 6,000 pounds or more are necessary or anticipated in this business.

Attached are copies of the floor plans for the first and second floors. The second floor plan shows the rooms to be used in the home occupation and the approximate dimensions. (Please note that these floor plans have been reduced from the original, so the printed scale of 1/4"=1' is no longer accurate.)

Enclosed is a check for \$25.00 as the permit fee. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



Barbara A. Vestal

BAV/om
Enclosures
cc: Steven Gilbert & Tracy Davis

58 Lafayette
2nd Floor
Scale: 1/4" = 1'

