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File No:	Date of Receipt:
Town Fee (\$):	Regional Fee (\$):
NPCA Fee (\$):	Other Fee (\$):

(Office Use Only)

Application for Minor Variance, Fence Variance, Sign Variance or Legal Non-Conforming Use Permission

Under the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 c. P.13, as amended*

A pre-consultation meeting with Community & Development Services Staff is required prior to applying for Minor Variance, Fence Variance, Sign Variance, or Legal Non-Conforming Use Permission.

Please complete all applicable sections of this application. All measurements are to be provided in metric units. The information requested on this application is required to review the proposal. An incomplete application will be returned to the Registered Owner/Authorized Agent. If you have questions regarding the information requested on this application, please contact the Community & Development Services Department.

All information requested on this form is collected under the authority of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended, and the provisions of the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.56. The requested information on this application and all accompanying plans, reports, and information is required in order to process this application and will form part of the public record which may be published on the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake website or by other means. The name and business address of the Registered Owner and/or Authorized Agent is public information. Questions about the collection of information can be made to the Town Clerk.

1. Type of Application

☒ Minor Variance ☐ Fence Variance ☐ Sign Variance ☐ Legal Non-Conforming Use Permission

2. Details of the Subject Lands

Municipal Address 1451 Line 6 Rd		Assessment Roll Number 2627020021076000000	
Legal Description PT LOT 10			
Date the subject lands were acquired 2012	Lot Area (metric) 8113.32 m2	Lot Frontage (metric) 76.16	Lot Depth (metric) 106.53
Description of easements, rights-of-way, or restrictive covenants applicable to the subject lands (if applicable):			

3. Registered Owner (as shown on the deed and title of the property)

Name Matthew Scott	Company Name	Municipality Niagara on The Lake
Mailing Address 1451 Line 6 rd		Unit Number Postal Code L0S1J0
Province Ontario	Email matt@scottconstruction.ca	Telephone 905-932-8401

4. Authorized Agent (if one has been authorized)

Name	Company Name	Municipality
Mailing Address		Unit Number Postal Code
Province	Email	Telephone

Contact for all future correspondence (select one): ☐ Registered Owner ☐ Authorized Agent

5. Official Plan and Zoning Information

Existing Niagara Regional Official Plan designation(s) of the subject lands:

Specialty Crop Area

Existing Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake Official Plan designation(s) of the subject lands:

Agricultural

Existing Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake Zoning of the subject lands:

Rural (A) Zone

6. Details of the Proposal

Identify the nature and extent of relief from the Zoning By-law, Fence By-law, or Sign By-law:

We have proposed a building which height at mid span is 5.3m high which is over the allowable 4.5m...Additional height is needed on both the main floor for larger personal vehicles and the second floor for storage

Explain why the proposed use cannot comply with the provisions of the Zoning By-law, Fence By-law, or Sign By-law:

We need the additional height on the main floor for larger overhead door for Tractors, Boats and RV's that are or will be personally owned and stored on the property. Also the second floor needs to be large enough for general storage with 8'-0" ceilings and the roof design is critical for the look and function of the building (a gambrel roof will not work with the

7. Existing Buildings, Structures, and Uses

Identify the existing use(s) of the subject lands and the length of time the existing use(s) have continued:

Existing Dwelling unit since 1974

Type of building or structure	House			
Construction date	1974			
Existing use(s)	dwelling unit			
Time the existing use(s) have continued	50 years			
Front yard setback (m)	11.08m			
Rear yard setback (m)	84.94m			
Side yard setback (m)	7.84m			
Side yard setback (m)	47.03m			
Height (m)	7.9m			
Gross floor area (sq m)	235m ²			
Lot coverage (sq m)	2.9%			

8. Proposed Buildings, Structures, and Uses (if applicable)

Identify the proposed use(s) of the subject lands:

Existing Dwelling Unit with new detached Storage Building (Barn)

Type of building or structure	Storage Building			
Construction date	2025			
Proposed use(s)	Storage			
Front yard setback (m)	54.86m			
Rear yard setback (m)	39.07m			
Side yard setback (m)	53.25m			
Side yard setback (m)	4.55m			
Height (m)	7.42m			
Gross floor area (sq m)	223.14m ²			
Lot coverage (sq m)	5.65%			

9. Access (select all that apply)

Identify how the subject lands will be accessed:

- ☒ Public road maintained all year
 ☐ Niagara River Parkway
 ☐ Provincial highway
☐ Public road maintained seasonally
 ☐ Private easement/Right-of-way
 ☐ Waterway

If the subject lands will be accessed by a waterway only, identify the parking and docking facilities to be used and the approximate distance of these facilities from the subject lands to the nearest public road:

10. Servicing (select all that apply)

Identify how the subject lands will be serviced:

Water

- ☒ Publicly owned and operated piped water system
☐ Privately owned and operated individual well
☐ Privately owned and operated communal well
☐ Lake or other water body
☐ Other: _____

Sewage Disposal

- ☐ Publicly owned and operated sanitary sewage system
☒ Privately owned and operated individual septic system
☐ Privately owned and operated communal septic system
☐ Privy
☐ Other: _____

Storm Drainage

- ☐ Sewers
☒ Ditches/swales
☐ Other: _____

11. Sign Details (for Sign Variance only)

Identify the type of work being proposed:

- ☐ Erect new sign
 ☐ Alter existing sign
 ☐ Repair existing sign
 ☐ Relocate existing sign
 ☐ Add electrical component to existing sign

Identify the material or finish of the proposed sign:

Length of proposed sign (m)		Minimum height above grade (m)	
Height of proposed sign (m)		Maximum height of proposed sign (m)	
Depth of proposed sign (m)		Projection of proposed sign, if applicable (m)	

Identify the type and number of signs to be erected:

Type	No.	Type	No.	Type	No.
<input type="checkbox"/> Awning		<input type="checkbox"/> Banner		<input type="checkbox"/> Canopy	
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction		<input type="checkbox"/> Directional		<input type="checkbox"/> Directory	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ground		<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile		<input type="checkbox"/> Neon (No Flashing)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pole		<input type="checkbox"/> Projecting		<input type="checkbox"/> Sandwich	
<input type="checkbox"/> Subdivision		<input type="checkbox"/> Window		<input type="checkbox"/> Wall	

12. Previous Applications

Have the subject lands ever been the subject of an application under the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended* for approval of a plan of subdivision or condominium, a consent, a minor variance, a site plan, an official plan amendment, or a zoning by-law amendment?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Unknown

If yes, provide the information requested below for each previous application:

Application Type	File Number	Status of the Application

13. Concurrent Applications

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14. Checklist of Requirements for a Complete Application (all boxes must be checked)

The following plans, reports and, information must accompany this application in a digital format (pdf):

- ☐ One copy of the Pre-Consultation Agreement;
- ☐ All applicable application fees (payable by cheque, cash, or debit);
- ☐ A sketch of the subject lands;
- ☐ A sketch of the proposed fence/sign, (Fence and Sign Variances only);
- ☐ All required plans, reports and, information identified on the Pre-Consultation Agreement;

This application will be circulated to various agencies for review and comment. Where the scope or nature of the application requires input from a large number of agencies, additional copies of this application and accompanying plans, reports, and information may be required.

15. Checklist of Drawing Requirements (all applicable boxes must be checked)

Plans and drawings accompanying this application must show the following information, in metric units:

- ☐ North arrow;
- ☐ Metric scale;
- ☐ The boundaries and dimensions of the subject lands;
- ☐ The location, size, type, and setbacks of all existing and proposed buildings and structures on the subject lands;
- ☐ Natural and artificial features located within or adjacent to the subject lands, such as buildings, railways, roads/highways, pipelines, watercourses, drainage ditches, top of banks, wetlands, wooded areas, wells, septic tanks, and parking and docking facilities (if access to the subject lands is by waterway only), or any other features that may affect this application in the opinion of the Registered Owner/Authorized Agent;
- ☐ The existing use(s) of adjacent lands (for example, residential, agricultural, or commercial);
- ☐ The location, width and name any road/highway within or abutting the subject lands, and indicating whether it is an unopened road allowance, a public road, a private road, or a right-of-way; and
- ☐ The location and nature of any easement affecting the subject lands (if applicable).

Community & Development Services Staff may request that additional information be provided in the plans and drawings that accompany this application, based on the scope and nature of the proposal.

16. Plans, Reports, and Information Submitted with this Application

Identify all plans, reports, and information submitted with this application:

No.	Title	Date	Author
1	Cover Letter	Jan 02/ 2025	Matthew Scott
2	STRU REV 2/ Permit	Jan 23/2025	Hallex Engineering
3	MV Form signed	Jan 23/2025	Matthew Scott
4	Pre Consultation Agreement	Dec 12/ 2024	Matthew Scott
5	Region Notes	Dec 6 / 2024	Other
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17. Acknowledgement and Agreement of Registered Owner

I, Matthew Scott **AM THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE SUBJECT LANDS AND**
(Name of Registered Owner/Company)

I ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE that all information requested on this form is collected under the authority of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended*, and the provisions of the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.56*. The information is required in order to process this application and forms part of the public record which may be published on the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake website or by other means. The name and business address of the Registered Owner and/or Authorized Agent is public information.

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Matthew Scott Digitally signed by Matthew Scott
Date: 2025.01.22 10:30:07 -05'00'
(Signature of Registered Owner)

Jan 22/ 2025
(Date)

18. Authorization of Registered Owner

If this application is being submitted by an Authorized Agent, the Registered Owner of the subject lands must complete this section. If there is more than one Registered Owner, a separate authorization from each individual or corporation is required. An additional copy of this page must be attached for each Registered Owner.

I, Matthew Scott **AM THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE SUBJECT LANDS**
(Name of Registered Owner/Company)

AND HEREBY AUTHORIZE Scott Construction Niagara Inc
(Name of Authorized Agent/Company)

TO SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION to the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, appear on my behalf at any hearing(s) of this application, and provide any information or material required by the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake relevant to this application.

I UNDERSTAND that all information requested on this form is collected under the authority of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended*, and the provisions of the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.56*. The information is required in order to process this application and forms part of the public record which may be published on the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake website or by other means. The name and business address of the Registered Owner and/or Authorized Agent is public information.

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Date: 2025.01.22 10:31:52 -05'00'
(Signature of Registered Owner)

Jan 22/2025
(Date)

19. Sworn Declaration

I, MATTHEW SCOTT OF THE NOTL
(Name of Registered Owner/Company or Authorized Agent/Company) (Name of City, Town, Township, etc.)

IN THE NIAGARA REGION
(Name of Regional Municipality or Province)

DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE that the information contained in this application and that the information contained in the documents that accompany this application is true and complete.

Declared before me in Town of NOTL in the Niagara Region
(Name of City, Town, Township, etc.) (Name of Regional Municipality or Province)

on this 28 day of January, 2025.
(Month) (Year)

Natalie Elora Thomson, a Commissioner, etc.,
Province of Ontario, for the Corporation of the
Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.
Expires April 25, 2027.


(Signature of Registered Owner/Authorized Agent)


(Signature of Commissioner of Oath)

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