

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED BACK WITH THE BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATION AND FEE.

**DORCHESTER COUNTY
HOME BUSINESS APPLICATION**

Dorchester County Zoning and Land Development Standards Ordinance 04-13 contains the requirements for a Home Business. The requirements are a part of this application and listed below:

Location of Home Business: _____

TMS#: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

- 1) A Home Occupation is any use conducted entirely within the dwelling and carried on by the occupants thereof, which use is clearly incidental and secondary to the use of the dwelling for residential purposes.
- 2) No person not a resident on the premises may be employed to assist in the operation of this home business.
- 3) The exterior of the dwelling may not be altered in any way including no signage, no displays, no equipment and no storage of any type is allowed in the yard or exterior of the dwelling.
- 4) There can be no impact on the neighborhood including no vehicles, no increase in noise, traffic or visual pollution. No customers / clients are permitted physical access to the home business.
- 5) No major mechanical equipment shall be installed or used for domestic or professional purposes.
- 6) The home business cannot exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total heated and cooled floor space of the dwelling.
- 7) A County Business License is required.

I hereby acknowledge by my signature that the foregoing application is understood and the home business I am engaging in meets all of the requirements listed above.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Use Only

Business License No.: _____ Date Issued: _____