

## SURVEY OF CONSTRUCTION

### Questionnaire for the Building Permit Official

#### TO BE COMPLETED BY CENSUS FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

BPO Name	Respondent Name	PSU	
Address of BPO	Respondent Title	BPOID	
	Respondent Phone Number	RO	

#### TO BE COMPLETED BY RESPONDENT

**BPO\_BTIME**

What is the preferred time to call or visit this office?

**METHOD**

Is a computer printout available for use when listing new residential permits?

Yes

No

**PERIOD**

Does your monthly C-404 Report (Report of Building or Zoning Permits Issued) cover a regular calendar month, or some other period such as the last Wednesday of one month to the last Tuesday of the following month?

Regular calendar month

Other --- Please explain

**COVERAGE**

Does your office issue building or zoning permits for all areas within the geographic boundaries of your jurisdiction?

Yes

No --- Please explain

**COVBeyond**

Does your office issue building or zoning permits for any areas beyond the geographic boundaries of your jurisdiction?

Yes --- Please describe the area

No --- Skip to **BPO\_OTH**

**BEYOND\_INCPRMS**

Do you include building or zoning permits for these additional areas in your monthly C-404 report?

Yes --- Please explain how to identify these areas

No

**BPO\_OTH**

Does any other office issue building or zoning permits within the limits of your jurisdiction?

Yes

No --- Skip to **CLASS**

**BPO\_INFO**

What is the address, telephone number, and contact information for the other office?

Name

Address

Phone

**CLASS**

Use the categories below to indicate how your office classifies the following permits:

	Residential	Commercial	Other	Not Issued
Single-family houses.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Two-unit buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Three-unit buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Four-unit buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5+ unit buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Apartment buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mixed-use buildings.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senior housing.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**PLEASE CONTINUE ON REVERSE SIDE**

**CLASS\_COMM**

Does your office ever classify new residential building permits as commercial?

- Yes  
 No

**SEP\_PERM**

Does your office issue separate permits for:

- Foundations.....  Yes  No  
 Superstructures.....  Yes  No  
 Interior finishing.....  Yes  No  
 Attached single-family units.....  Yes  No  
 Individual units in a multifamily building.....  Yes  No

**EXPIRE**

Does a building permit have an expiration date after a certain amount of time has passed?

- Yes  
 No --- Skip to **LOCATESF**

**EXTEND**

When a permit expires, can it be extended or is a new building permit required?

- Extended  
 New permit required --- Skip to **LOCATESF**

**EXTEND\_LIST**

Do you include these extended building permits in your monthly C-404 report?

- Yes  
 No --- Skip to **LOCATESF**

**NOTES:****EXTEND\_IDENTIFY**

How can these 'extended building permits' be identified?

**LOCATESF**

Where are the residential building permits in this office located?

**LOCATECM**

Where are the commercial building permits in this office located?

**AVAILABLE**

Are all building permits for a month available for review on the first day of the following month?

- Yes  
 No --- When will they be available?

  

**INTERNET**

Does your office provide any building permit data on the internet?

- Yes --- What is the Internet address?

- No

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION. PLEASE RETAIN THIS FORM FOR USE BY YOUR CENSUS BUREAU REPRESENTATIVE.**