



Permit Application To Use Mobility Device on PFBC Property

Applicant Information

Complete this form if you have a disability for which you need to use a mobility device* to access PFBC property.

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____ Telephone Number: _____

Check any and all that apply

I have a non-temporary disability placard or plate issued by PennDOT – based on mobility impairment.

PennDOT placard number: _____

PennDOT disability license plate number: _____

Lifetime PA Game Commission Permit to Use Vehicle as a Blind permit number: _____

I have another state-issued proof of disability: _____

*Definition of “mobility device”: A device, other than a wheelchair, powered by a battery, fuel or other engine that is used by persons with a mobility disability for the purpose of locomotion. The term includes golf carts, Segways, and any other mobility device designed to operate in areas without defined pedestrian routes, regardless of whether it is designed primarily for use by persons with a mobility disability.

Type of Mobility Device

I would like to use the following mobility device on PFBC property (check one):

ATV Licensed Motor Vehicle Other type of mobility device: _____

License/Registration Number: _____ State: _____

If Owner is different than Applicant

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____



Specifications of Mobility Device

Width (inches): _____ Length (inches): _____ Weight (pounds): _____

Combustible Engine: yes no If not a Combustible Engine, list type of engine: _____

Max Noise 99 dBA: yes no

Application Certification

I hereby state under penalty of Pennsylvania Crimes Code, 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904(b) (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities), that all information contained in this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

If under 18, parent/guardian must sign: _____ Date: _____

Official Use Only

Permit

Approved: yes no

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____

Once approved, this application becomes a permit authorizing you to use the above identified mobility device on PFBC property in accordance with 58 Pa. Code § 53.11. The permit is also subject to the following conditions. It expires three years from the date of approval. If you wish to renew your permit, you may submit a new application.

Mail Completed Application to:

Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission

Bureau of Law Enforcement

P.O. Box 67000

Harrisburg, PA 17106-7000

You will be notified of action on your permit application within 45 days after you apply.

For questions pertaining to completion of this form, contact 717-705-7861.



Permit Conditions:

The permittee shall carry the permit while operating the mobility device. The permittee also shall carry another form of identification.

Off-road vehicles: the permittee shall display the universal access sticker in a conspicuous location on the device.

Licensed motor vehicles: the permittee shall display the vehicle placard on the dashboard.

The permittee agrees that he/she will be responsible for the operation of the mobility device, the suitability of the site for the operation and for damages caused by operation of the mobility device.

The permittee acknowledges that the PFBC does not represent that PFBC properties, except those specifically marked and designated for access by persons with disabilities, are suitable for such use.

No passengers shall be permitted unless the person with the disability is unable to operate the mobility device and the device is designed and manufactured to carry a passenger.

The mobility device shall be operated in a prudent and safe manner.

The maximum speed shall be 5 mph.

The mobility device shall not be used in streams or wetlands.

Use of the mobility device on PFBC property shall be subject to the PFBC's regulation on the use of power-driven mobility devices by persons with disabilities on PFBC property.

Operators of mobility devices shall abide by PFBC regulations.

Hunters shall abide by the Game and Wildlife Code and regulations.

Operators of licensed vehicles, snowmobiles, and ATVs shall abide by Pennsylvania's Vehicle Code and regulations.

Safety:

Persons who use mobility devices on PFBC property do so at their own risk.

The PFBC does not have the means to inspect, or to represent the safety of, all areas open to mobility devices under PFBC's regulation. The PFBC only represents that those properties specifically marked and designated for access by persons with disabilities are suitable for mobility device use.

Violations:

A person who violates PFBC regulations or a condition of this permit or who disregards instructions or warnings given by a PFBC waterways conservation officer may be ordered to leave PFBC property.