

COMPLIANCE GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

RULE: 200.305.2
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PURPOSE: Provide interpretation of Rule 200 subsection 305.2 based on the intent of the regulation.

GUIDANCE: A block permit is intended for municipalities, governmental agencies, and utilities that are responsible for the repeat maintenance of infrastructure (e.g. weed control around a prison, canal road grading, road shoulder grading, etc.). The block permit is also intended for projects that involve multiple small areas scattered through out the County (e.g. fiber optic cable installation and natural gas line extension). The block permit was not intended for issuance to contractors who have been hired by municipalities, governmental agencies, or utilities.

New construction will be required to obtain a separate dust control permit.

The block permit will cover crews that work for the municipalities and/or utilities, including subcontractors. Municipalities and/or utilities shall retain overall authority for dust control on the project. This will prevent overlapping and doubling of permits.