STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

**RHODE ISLAND HISTORICAL PRESERVATION & HERITAGE COMMISSION**

**Application for permission to conduct archaeological field investigations, pursuant to the Antiquities Act of Rhode Island, G.L. 42-45 and the Rhode Island Procedures for Registration and Protection of Historic Properties. Key policies regarding this application are outlined in Section 10 of the “Performance Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology in Rhode Island.”**

**1. Applicant’s Name and Address**

 A. Principal investigator(s):

B. Field supervisor(s):

**2. Previous experience:**

**3. Beginning date of project:**

**4. Duration of the project:**

**5. Location of project:**

**6. Ownership:**

**7. Scope of project:**

**8. Research design:**

**9. Project budget:**

**10. Specify repository:**

**11. Projected completion of final report and date when a draft review copy will be submitted to RIHPHC:**

I, ­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [archaeologist], certify that the information contained in this application is correct, and that I will comply with applicable federal and state legislation, regulations and standards, and any special conditions appended to this application (see below). I understand that any change to the specifications of this permit, the research design, or project scope of work, without the approval of the RIHPHC, may result in the revocation of this permit and the cessation of archaeological investigations. I also understand that should I fail to satisfy the conditions of this permit (items 7,8,9,10,11) the RIHPHC may decide not to issue me, or my employer, permits for future projects until the deficiencies under this permit are resolved.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [landowner or project proponent], agree to comply with applicable federal and state legislation and special conditions attached to this permit. I also agree to maintain adequate security at the project area, and, if determined necessary by the RIHPHC, will take steps, as required by the RIHPHC, to prevent trespassers or other unauthorized individuals from causing harm to the archaeological site or sites under investigation.

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Permit effective date Signature of applicant

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Signature of approval Signature of property owner or

Rhode Island Historical Preservation project proponent

& Heritage Commission

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, RIHPHC staff archaeologist

RIHPHC Permit #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**See below for any attached Special Conditions** **that may apply to this permit:**

 **1. Native American special condition yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_**

 **2. Other special condition yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_**

**The RIHP&HC reserves the right to amend the terms and conditions of this permit based on new information received in the course of the project.**

**Form updated May, 2021**