



December 19, 2007

Ms. Karena Houser  
W.S.D.O.T. Policy Development & Regional Coordination  
PO Box 47390  
Olympia, WA 98504-7370

Re: City/Town Access Standards Status form

Dear Ms. Houser:

Enclosed is the City/Town Access Standards Status form for the City of Centralia. We were not aware of requirement to adopt the new access regulations until October this year. We have been in the process of updating our development guidelines and we hope to have the new version adopted by the end of June 2008. The updated version will be modified to comply with the access standards outlined in WAC 468-51 and 468-52. If you have any questions, please contact me at (360) 330-7512 or at my email address [jstemkoski@cityofcentralia.com](mailto:jstemkoski@cityofcentralia.com).

Sincerely,



Jan Stemkoski, P.E.  
City Engineer

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**Instructions:** If your jurisdiction has adopted the required access permitting standards described in the enclosed letter, please complete Section A. If not, please complete Section B. Please submit the completed form with original signatures no later than November 30, 2007 to: Karena Houser, WSDOT Policy Development & Regional Coordination, PO Box 47370, Olympia, WA, 98504-7370. Thank you!

**SECTION A**

**CONFIRMING ADOPTION OF REQUIRED ACCESS PERMITTING STANDARDS:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ confirm by my signature below that  
Name of City Representative  
\_\_\_\_\_ has adopted standards for access permitting on  
City or Town  
streets designated as state highways in Ordinance \_\_\_\_\_ adopted \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and  
Number Month and Day Year  
that these standards meet or exceed the access standards adopted by the Washington State Transportation in  
Chapters 468-51 and 52 of the Washington Administrative Code (<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac>).

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Signature of City Representative Date  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title of City Representative

**SECTION B**

**DETAILING PROGRESS TOWARD ADOPTING REQUIRED STANDARDS:**

Please briefly describe (1) why your jurisdiction has not yet adopted the required access permitting standards for managed access state highways within city boundaries, (2) where your jurisdiction is in the process of adopting the required standards, and (3) what date you anticipate the required standards will be adopted.

WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF UPDATING OUR ENTIRE DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINE MANUAL. WE WILL INCLUDE THE REQUIRED STANDARDS OF WAC 468-51 AND 468-52 IN THOSE STANDARDS. OUR GOAL IS TO HAVE THE NEW MANUAL COMPLETED AND ADOPTED BY THE END OF JUNE 2008.