Jack Buckley, Director

Name:

Application for Rare Plant Scientific Collection Permit (Non-Profit)

This Permit Application is for the Scientific Collection of Rare Plant Species in Massachusetts, i.e., for species listed as Endangered, Threatened or of Special Concern pursuant to the Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (M.G.L. c 131A) and its regulations (321 CMR 10:00).

Home Address:
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1. If you are doing the proposed study, research or survey in affiliation with a school or conservation organization or program, name the school or conservation organization sponsoring your research: and anyone serving as an advisor or supervisor to your proposed work
2. Name All Endangered, Threatened or Special Concern species for which you are requesting a permit to take specimens or samples in the current calendar year. For each species or taxon, describe and quantify what you wish to collect using the NHESP

www.mass.gov/nhesp



Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Program

www.mass.gov/nhesp for guidance on collecting limits (e.g., 1 ripe seed capsule from less than

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"Guidelines for Rare Plant Collecting in Massachusetts" document available at

population contains more than 100 fruiting individuals).

5% of the individuals present in each population at the time of harvest, provided the

Return the completed application to: Natural Massachusetts Westborough,	NHESP Botanist Heritage & Endangered Species Program Div. of Fisheries & Wildlife 1 Rabbit Hill Rd. MA 01581
Sponsoring Faculty Member (student applicants only)	
Signature of Applicant	Date
To the best of my knowledge, I certif	fy that the information provided is accurate and true
If you have not already done so, plea with this application to the NHESP E	se submit a research proposal (resume' optional) Botanist.
8. Name any sub-permittee(s) you wi	ish to have covered under the permit.
7. Where will voucher specimens, se	eeds or other plant parts be stored or deposited?
6. How will the collections be made?	•
5. When would you like to make the	collections or samples?
4. Where do you wish to collect spec	imens, seeds or other plant samples?
purpose?	•

Plan ahead by allowing at least 1-2 months for review and processing of the application. Plant permits will be issued directly from the Westborough Office.