



# STATE FALCONRY PERMIT APPLICATION RAPTOR FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION REPORT

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<input type="checkbox"/> Initial Inspection	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	ID # (If Applicable) _____
Name: _____			
Address/Location of Facilities: _____			
City, State, Zip: _____			
Telephone Number: ( ) _____		Cell Phone Number: ( ) _____	
Email: _____		Today's Date: _____	

**NOTE:** An applicant's facilities will be inspected and certified by the Department or a designated representative possessing knowledge of falconry facilities before a falconry license is issued. A facilities inspection is required for all new falconry applicants, falconers from another state who have moved to Oregon and Oregon falconers with newly constructed facilities. All facilities and equipment shall be maintained at or above the level approved and are subject to inspection by the Department or Oregon State Police. Inspection of facilities may take place without warrant or notice, but, unless prompted by emergency or other extenuating circumstances, shall be limited to regular and usual business hours, including weekends.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR INSPECTOR:**

**Complete Part 1, Section "A" and "B", and all of Part 2, if raptor is housed outdoors in a separate, free-standing, dedicated structure. A weathering area is NOT required, but may be attached to mews, or exist as a separate structure.**

**Complete Part 1, Section "C", and all of Part 2, if raptor is being housed inside a personal residence, or similar building. A weathering area is NOT required, but may be present as an outdoor structure.**

Certifying ODFW Officer:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Facilities Passed Inspection

Facilities Failed Inspection

**Complete below if Facilities Failed Inspection:**

**PROVISIONAL APPROVAL:** Except as indicated below, facilities and equipment meet Federal/State standards. Applicant agrees to correct all deficiencies within 30 days.

**DEFICIENCIES:** List Requirements/Suggestions:

Applicant:

I agree to correct deficiencies, if any, within 30 days and to maintain facilities/equipment at or above Federal/State standards.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART 1: FACILITIES

### A. OUTDOOR MEWS: **Separate, Free-Standing Dedicated Structure for Raptors**

*You must keep all raptors you hold under your falconry permit in humane and healthful conditions. General: Perch, opening for sunlight, must be large enough to allow raptor to fly untethered or, if tethered to fully extend its wings or bate (attempt to fly while tethered), access to clean water. Please note that falconers are required to maintain husbandry to these minimum standards. Falconers are encouraged to exceed these standards whenever appropriate or desirable.*

**NOTE: Not required if raptors are housed inside personal residence – skip to section “C”.**

		YES	NO
1)	Space to allow easy access for the care, feeding, and other maintenance of raptor held.		
2)	Space to allow raptor(s) to fully extend wings.		
3)	All partitions and inner walls constructed of solid, smooth materials.		
4)	At least one window provided.		
5)	Each window with vertical bars/rods on inside narrower than width of raptor's head.		
6)	At least one secure door that can be effectively closed.		
7)	One perch of an acceptable design for each raptor.		

### B. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR OUTDOOR MEWS

*The facilities must provide adequate shelter and protection to the raptor(s) from:*

		YES	NO
1)	Excessive heat/sun/precipitation.		
2)	High winds and winter storms.		
3)	Avian, ground predators and domestic animals.		
4)	Protection from undue disturbance.		

### C. HOUSING RAPTOR(S) INSIDE OF PERSONAL RESIDENCE OR SIMILAR BUILDING.

*All humane and healthful standards apply to inside facility. You may keep a falconry raptor(s) inside your place of residence if you provide a suitable perch or perches. If you house your raptor(s) inside your home, you do not need to modify windows or other openings of the structure. Raptors kept in your home must be tethered when they are not being moved into or out of the location in which they are kept.*

		YES	NO
1)	Provide suitable perch or perches.		
2)	Must be tethered when raptor(s) are not being moved into or out of the location in which they are kept.		

## PART 2 : EQUIPMENT

### A. RAPTOR EQUIPMENT

		YES	NO
1)	One pair of Alymeri (style) jesses for each raptor. <i>(An Alymeri jesses consists of an anklet, grommet and a removable strap for attaching the anklet and grommet to the swivel.)</i>		
2)	One swivel of an acceptable design for each raptor.		
3)	One leash of quality leather or synthetic material for each raptor.		

### B. REQUIRED ANCILLARY EQUIPMENT

		YES	NO
1)	One bath container for each bird-- 2 to 6 inches deep-- and wider than length of the raptor.		
2)	One outdoor perch of an acceptable design for each raptor.		
3)	A reliable weighing scale or balance graduated in increments of not more than ½ ounce (15 grams for large raptors, and not more than 1-3 grams for small raptors (for example, kestrels and merlins.)		