



CITY OF MURPHY

RETAINING WALL PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

1. Complete and submit a permit application.
2. Submit two (2) site plans (a survey plat is required) showing the location of the retaining wall, with respect to the property lines and easements.
3. Submit two (2) sets of construction documents. The construction documents must include: an elevation, masonry and foundation details.
4. The construction and placement of retaining walls shall conform to 2015 IRC, Section R404.4 Retaining Walls.

Section R404.4 Retaining walls. Retaining walls shall be constructed of stone, brick or other masonry materials. Retaining walls exceeding 4 feet in height shall be designed and sealed by a Texas-registered engineer.

5. Permit fee- See Murphy Code of Ordinances, Article A9.000 Building, Construction and Development Related Fees

