1. The applicant must be a resident of Vermont and the municipality where application is made. Legal residency shall be the same as for voting.

2. The applicant must swear under oath that he/she is:

   - a legal resident of Vermont, and:
     - age 62 or older, or
     - a Veteran of the uniformed services - Provide form DD214 or see indication on driver's license (after 7/1/13).

3. The Green Mountain Passport card provides free day-use benefit to individual, card-carrying Vermonters.

4. Clerks may contact the VT office of Veterans Affairs at 888-666-9844 with any questions or concerns regarding verification of form DD214.

5. Applicant completes the application and submits $2.00 to the town official. Checks are made out to the municipality who retains the application fee for services rendered.

6. Clerk certifies application, completes the Passport card and submits card to the applicant. Applicant signs the card.

7. Clerk maintains records for:

   - Fiscal accounting for municipal records.
   - Replacing lost Green Mountain Passport cards or changing data on Green Mountain Passport cards.
   - Reporting number of Green Mountain Passport cards issued, upon request.

8. The full text of the State statute, Title 31, Chapter 19, can be found at: http://legislature.vermont.gov/statutes/fullchapter/31/019

9. For application forms, Passports cards, flyers or to ask questions, please contact:

   Vermont Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living
   HC 2 South, 280 State Drive, Waterbury, VT 05671-2020
   802-241-0351 DAIL.Vermont.gov

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Green Mountain Passport Program FAQ:

Does the term “veteran” include active duty military personnel?
We refer to the federal definition in 38 USC 101(2): “a person who served in the active military, naval or air service, and who was discharged or released therefrom under conditions other than dishonorable.”

Does this passport card cover other people in a vehicle?
The Green Mountain Passport card benefits only the card holder.

If a town is currently out of cards, are there any immediate options, before some can be mailed?
Some town libraries have Green Mountain Passport cards for loan.

Are reduced price on goods and services still a card benefit?
No, goods and services are no longer an official benefit for card holders. Now the card covers day-use to Vermont state parks and admission to Vermont Historic sites.

Can a Vermonter go to any town and submit an application to get a card?
The statute says a resident of a town may go to that town’s clerk to complete an application and receive the card after submitting the $2 fee.

If a card is lost, can the owner get a replacement?
A replacement card may be supplied at no cost at the town offices where the original application was submitted, as long as the town office still holds the original application. If the original application cannot be located, the town clerk may request the $2 application fee again.

List of fully sponsored State events?
Currently there are no fully state sponsored events that qualify for Green Mountain Passport admission.

The full text of the State statute, Title 31, Chapter 19
VERMONT

GREEN MOUNTAIN PASSPORT APPLICATION FORM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Please provide your name, mailing address, and date of birth in the appropriate spaces below.
2. The applicant certifies eligibility.
3. The Town Clerk certifies applicant's oath and receives payment.
4. The Green Mountain Passport card provides free day-use benefit to individual, card-carrying Vermonters.
5. **Voluntary information**: The applicant may choose to include (at the option of the applicant) other information in appropriate spaces below:
   - Emergency contact person's name, address and phone number.
   - Medical information about a chronic physical condition such as heart disease, diabetes, allergies, sensitivity to drugs or other conditions.

Name: ___________________________ DOB: ______________

Mailing Address:
Emergency Contact Name (optional):
Emergency Contact Phone (optional):
Medical Information (optional):

**Applicant Certification:**

I declare under oath and penalty:
1. That I am 62 years or over, or a Veteran of the uniformed services.
2. That I am a resident of Vermont.
3. That I am a resident of the municipality where this application is submitted.

______________________________
Signature of Applicant

**Clerk's Certification:**

I certify that ___________________________ has declared under oath that the statements of eligibility are true. The appropriate fee and information has been collected.

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Signature of Clerk

Date

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_Vermont State Historic sites_

Bennington Monument, Bennington
President Calvin Coolidge's Community Plymouth Notch
President Chester Arthur Historic Site, Fairfield
Chimney Point, Addison
Hubbardton Battlefield, Hubbardton
Senator Justin Morrill Homestead, Strafford
Mount Independent, Orwell
Old Constitution House, Windsor
Eureka Schoolhouse, Springfield
Underwater Preserves, Lake Champlain Maritime Museum, Vergennes