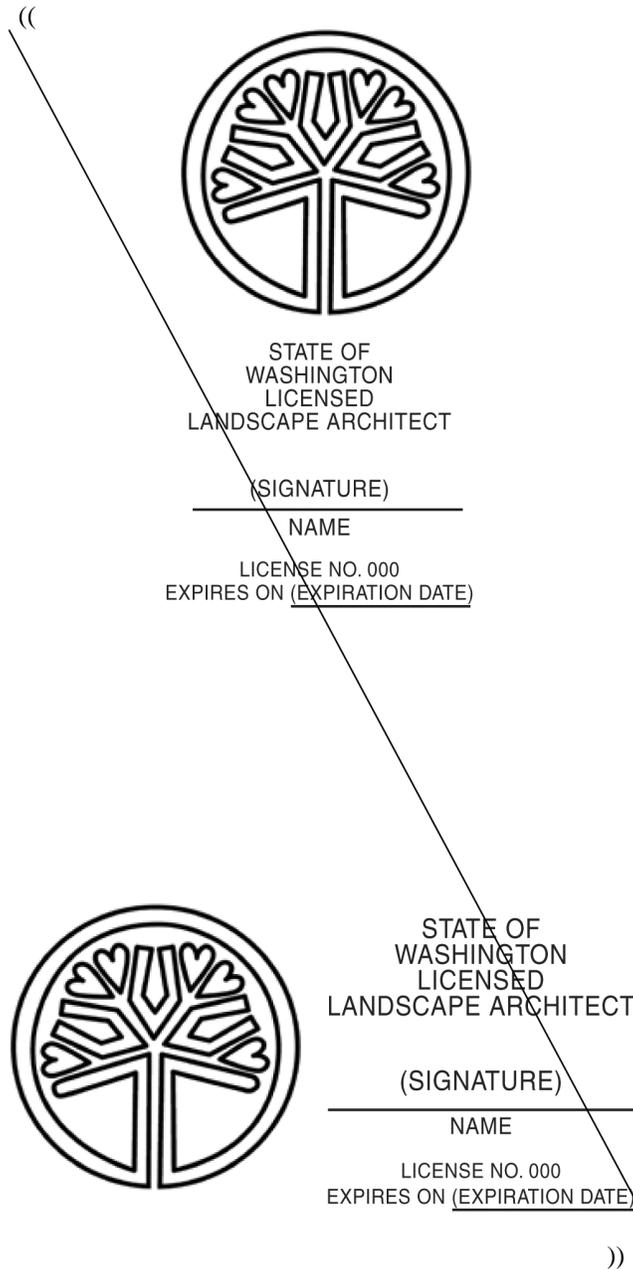


AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-12-116, filed 6/2/10, effective 7/3/10)

**WAC 308-13-055 Do I need a stamp or seal?** If you were issued your initial license on or after ((July 1, 2010)) January 1, 2017, you must have a seal/stamp of the design authorized by the board, bearing your name, license number and the legend "Licensed landscape architect, state of Washington." The size of the seal/stamp may be ((~~used in a horizontal or vertical format~~)) adjusted provided it remains readable. Other deviations are not allowed. Examples of the board-authorized seal/stamp appear below.

If you were licensed before ((July 1, 2010)) January 1, 2017, you may continue to use your existing registration stamp.





(1) Your seal/stamp must include your signature and your license expiration date.

(2) You must seal/stamp the following:

(a) All technical submissions required for building permits, regulatory approvals and/or construction drawings that are filed with authorities having jurisdiction;

(b) Drawings prepared by you on each sheet;

(c) Specifications and other technical submissions need only be sealed/stamped on the cover, title page, and all pages of the table of contents.

(3) Your seal/stamp shall not be affixed to any drawings not prepared by you or your regularly employed subordinates, or not reviewed by you. If you seal/stamp drawings or specifications that you have reviewed, you shall be responsible to the same extent as if those drawings or specifications were prepared by you.

Without exception, these sealing/stamping requirements for landscape architects shall apply to all work prepared or supervised by the landscape architect.

~~((+3+))~~ (4) The terms "signature" or "signed" as used in chapter 18.96 RCW and this chapter, shall mean the following:

(a) A handwritten identification or a digital representation of your handwritten identification that represents the act of putting your name on a document to attest to its validity. The handwritten or digital identification must be:

(i) Original and written by hand, or a scanned image of an original, handwritten identification;

(ii) Permanently affixed to the document(s) being certified;

(iii) Applied to the document by the identified licensee; and

(iv) Placed adjacent to the seal/stamp of the licensee(~~(+)~~).

(b) A digital identification that is an electronic authentication process attached to or logically associated with an electronic document. The digital identification may include a scanned or digitized signature. The digital identification must be:

- (i) Unique to the licensee using it;
- (ii) Capable of independent verification;
- (iii) Under the exclusive control of the licensee using it;
- (iv) Linked to a document in such a manner that the digital identification is invalidated if any data in the document is changed.