# How To Apply for a Marriage License

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Both in state and out of state residents may apply at any City or Town Clerk's Office to be married in the State of New Hampshire.
- Blood tests are not required.

### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

 To apply for the license, both parties must appear at the same time in the office or the application cannot be completed.

#### **FEES INVOLVED**

 The filing fee of \$50.00, payable to the Town of Kensington, is to be paid at the time of application. Payment will be by check or cash; no credit or debit card payment can be accepted.

#### LICENSING TIME FRAME

• The license is valid for ninety (90) days from the date you apply. There is no longer a waiting period and the license can be used the same day.

# **IDENTIFICATION**

 A government issued photo identification is required of both parties at the time of application.

# ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED

If either party was married previously, the following must be presented, as applicable:

DIVORCE: A certified copy of the final divorce decree with a raised seal.

DEATH: A certified copy of the death certificate with a raised seal.

ANNULMENT: A certified copy of the annulment certificate with a raised seal.