

# NOTARIZING PLATS

## Notarizing plats (For Oregon Notaries: ORS 194.280):

(8) The imprint of the official **stamp of a notary public is not required** to effectuate a notarization of a subdivision or partition plat required under ORS 92.010 to 92.192 or a condominium plat required under ORS 100.115, or any replat, supplement or amendment thereto, if the following appear below the notary public's signature:

Do not include text shown in ().

_____ NOTARY SIGNATURE	(Notary signature in black archival ink)
_____ NOTARY PUBLIC - OREGON	(Printed name of Notary)
COMMISSION NO. _____	
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES _____	(Expressed in terms of the month, by name not abbreviated, two-digit date and four-digit year)

As a result of nondrying inks and the smudging of notary seals, **we prefer that notaries do not stamp plats**. Documents with stamps that are not clearly reproducible may be rejected. Additionally, documents that have or may smudge, smear, or bleed onto other documents may be rejected.

**All signatures must be in archival black ink. Signatures with ball point pens, colored ink, etc. are not acceptable.**

**Crimped notaries are not acceptable.**

**Out of state notaries must comply with their local laws.**