I got a permission letter in 2003.  It must have been on paper

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**Subject: gates**

**Date:** June 16, 2003 at 3:29:08 AM EDT

**To:** "Steve Fay" <sfay@fs.fed.us>

Hi Steve.  I got the permission letter.  Thank you for your help.

There are three sites that are behind locked gates.  Can you issue us
a key for the summer?  The three sites are T20 (Sawyer River) (this
one also has a combination lock), M6 (Sabbaday Falls) (no combination
lock, but two FS locks), and M4 (Iron Mountain Road).  At the first
two of these sites, we will be sampling quantitative soil pits, which
means that a lot of equipment needs to be hauled in and a lot of
samples need to be hauled out.  It would save us a huge amount of
effort to have a key.

We borrowed a key from Chris Costello (in only one of the three
cases!  I'm not good at this) but she was reluctant to part with
their only spare for the whole day, and in the case of Sabbaday
Falls, we might approach it from HBEF rather than BEF.

Are you the person to arrange a key, or arrange combination locks and
combinations?

This week the crew is working on Steve Hamburgs former ag sites, but
next week they'll be back at Bartlett.  Let me know what I should do.

Thanks again,

Ruth