

Nueces County Water Control & Improvement District No. 4
Application and Agreement for Water and/or Sewer Service

Service Date _____ Account _____

Phone Number _____

Applicant (Print Name) _____

Street Address of Property _____

Billing Address _____

Legal Description of Property _____

Billing City, State & Zip Code _____

Use of Service _____

Email Address _____

Driver's License _____

TIE-IN REQUIREMENTS:

PLANS REQUIRED ON ALL NEW CONSTRUCTION

Inspections - All sewer tie-ins require an on-site inspection by District personnel. Failure to call for the required inspection could result in a fine and/or loss of service. **Traps for Sanitary Sewer** - All restaurants, carwashes, lounges, and fish cleaning facilities, laundromats and other grease and/or silt producing businesses must install a District Approved Trap on the sewer line serving said facility.

PLUMBING RESTRICTIONS PROHIBITED BY STATE REGULATIONS:

No cross-connection between the public drinking water supply and a private water system is permitted. These potential threats to the public drinking water supply shall be eliminated at the service connection by the installation of an air-gap or a reduced pressure-zone backflow prevention device. No pipe, pipe fitting or solder which does not meet International Plumbing Codes may be used for the installation or repair of plumbing at any connection which provides water for human use.

The customer shall allow his property to be inspected for possible cross-connections and other undesirable plumbing practices. These inspections shall be conducted by a District representative periodically during the District's normal business hours. The District will notify the customer in writing of any undesirable plumbing practice, which has been identified during the inspection and the customer shall immediately correct the situation. The customer shall, at his expense, properly install, test and maintain any backflow prevention device as required by the District. Copies of all testing and maintenance records shall be provided to the District.

ENFORCEMENT:

If the customer fails to comply with the terms of this Agreement and the policies of the District, the District shall, at its option, either terminate service or correct the non-compliance using District personnel and supplies. All expenses associated with the non-compliance and enforcement shall be billed to the customer.

FEE INFORMATION:

Capital Impact Fees - If the District determines that this application is for initial water and/or sewer service or a change of existing service that will cause an increase in demand, a Capital Impact Fee, based upon this increase will be charged. The formula for the computation of this fee is available from the District's office. (**Notice:** Any construction on the property that would change or increase the use of service specified herein, will require a new application.) **Tap Fees** - The customary tap fee will be charged for each tap made by the District. Any taps made by a contractor will be installed according to District specifications. On lots with pre-installed service extensions, the tap fees will be adjusted accordingly. **Monthly Billing Charges** - The water billing will become effective with the installation of the meter. The sewer billing will become effective upon inspection of the sewer tie-in. Private sewer will begin billing on installation of the water meter. **Miscellaneous Charges** - A service charge will be billed to the customer's account for returned checks and service calls.

DISINFECTION:

On April 29, 2014 the Nueces County WCID#4 will be changing the disinfectant that we use from chlorine to chloramines. This change is intended to benefit our customers by reducing the levels of disinfection byproducts (DBPs) in the system, while still providing protection from waterborne disease. However, the change to chloramines can cause problems to persons dependent on dialysis machines. A condition known as hemolytic anemia can occur if the disinfectant is not completely removed from the water that is used for the dialysate. Consequently, the pretreatment scheme used for the dialysis units must include some means, such as a charcoal filter, for removing the chloramine prior to this date. Medical facilities should also determine if additional precautions are required for other medical equipment. In addition, chloraminated water may be toxic to fish. If you have a fish tank, please make sure that the chemicals or filters that you are using are designed for use in water that has been treated with chloramines. You may also need to change the type of filter that you use for fish tanks.

Print Name

Signature

District Representative

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