

ORDINANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Submission of an incomplete application or omission of required information as outlined will result in a delay in processing this permit. The effective application receipt date will be the date on which all required information is received.
- B. The permit can be denied if it is found that issuance of the permit is not in the public interest, the application information is false, proposed work is not in compliance with the ordinance, there are abandoned wells on the property and there is no application for destruction, proposed construction prohibits zoned use of adjoining property, or the construction will be detrimental to surrounding property.
- C. An application becomes a permit when approved and signed by Environmental Health Services personnel.
- D. A permit issued is valid for one(1) year from the date of issuance. All work must be completed within that time. A new permit or permit renewal must be obtained to continue work after the initial permit expires. Permits are non-transferable.
- E. Well work performed without a permit can result in a penalty fee, regulatory action and/or legal action.
- F. Well driller must maintain a copy of the drilling permit at the drilling site during all phases of work.
- G. Well construction, destruction or modification under a permit is subject to conditions or instructions by Environmental Health Services to carry out the ordinance objectives.
- H. Except as otherwise specified, all construction, modification and destruction of wells must be in accordance with the Department of Water Resources Bulletin 74-81 and all of its subsequent supplements or revisions.
- I. The well driller must phone Environmental Health Services a minimum of two(2) hours prior to sealing the annular space. At the scheduled inspection, the Environmental Health representative will wait 15 minutes for commencement of the seal installation. If the driller fails to present within that time or if the driller is not ready to place the seal, a reinspection fee will be charged before rescheduling the reinspection. The well driller may postpone the seal inspection without a reinspection charge if the driller notifies the Environmental Health at least one(1) hour before the scheduled time. Only one postponement without reinspection charge will be allowed for each inspection request.
- J. The state DWR Form 188 must be submitted to Environmental Health Services within 90 days of completion of work.

PERMIT CONDITIONS

- This permit is non-transferable.
- This permit is valid for one (1) year from date of issue.
- A permit may be renewed only if application is made prior to expiration date.
- Issuance of a permit in no way indicates a guarantee of perfect or indefinite operation of this system.
- The well driller shall notify Environmental Health Services a minimum of 2 hours prior to sealing the well annular space.
- Construction work shall be performed by a licensed C-57 well drilling contractor and in compliance with standards prescribed in the California Department of Water Resources Bulletin 74-81 and all revisions.
- The well shall be located on the property as indicated on the approved plot plan.
- Environmental Health Services may condition this permit in any manner to carry out the purposes of the ordinance.
- Any abandoned wells on the property shall be destroyed in accordance with the standards referenced above.

LIABILITY FOR DAMAGES:

The applicant/permittee shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Placer County, and its agents, officers, and employees, from all claims, liability, damages, costs, lawsuits, and judgments for property damage, for personal injury, for construction costs or claims which may arise out or be alleged to relate to applicant's/permittee's work performed under a permit. The applicant's/permittee's obligations hereunder shall include the defense and indemnification of Placer County from any claim, liability, damages, costs, lawsuits, or judgments as asserted by any third party, expressly including any party under contract with applicant/permittee to perform any of the work under this application/permit.