

RILEY COUNTY RURAL WATER DISTRICT #1

2616 Eureka Terrace
Manhattan, KS 66503-8490

Date: _____

APPLICATION FOR WATER SERVICE AND WATER USERS' AGREEMENT

The undersigned, _____ and _____ being the owner(s) or intended owner(s) of land described below, located within the above Rural Water District, hereby submits a \$125.00 feasibility study fee and makes application to said District for water service, and agrees to the following conditions:

1. The feasibility study fee hereby submitted is non-refundable. Current cost is \$125.00.

If water service is approved, applicant agrees to the following:

2. Purchase or cause to be purchased, one benefit unit per meter needed at the unit price of **\$4000.00** plus any applicable taxes, less feasibility study fee, for a balance due of **\$3875.00**. **The entire cost of the benefit unit must be paid in full; within 1 year from date feasibility study fee is received. Failure to pay balance due for the benefit unit within 1 year from date feasibility study fee is received shall constitute a cancellation of this application for water service.** The entire cost of the benefit unit must be paid in full before water service can be connected.

3. Pay a \$50.00 final bill deposit.

4. Pay for all costs to extend pipeline from the District's existing facilities to the location of service.

5. It is solely the responsibility of the benefit unit owner to provide for installation and connection of any and all water lines. Any construction costs incurred are the owner's responsibility and are in no way associated with Riley County Rural Water District #1. The installer must follow district specifications and all connections must be inspected and approved by a representative of the Water District.

6. **Pay the \$30.00 monthly charge billed at the beginning of every month to every water customer from the time the Benefit Unit is paid in full** and pay for additional water used at the rate set out in the rate schedule adopted by the Board of Directors. Any changes made in the monthly charge and rate schedule by the Board of Directors of the District shall become a part of this agreement as though fully set out herein. The Benefit Unit owner is responsible for all water that goes thru the meter and the monthly minimum.

7. The undersigned agrees not to make any physical connection or arrangement in their piping system whereby there may be a flow of any unknown or harmful substance into the District's water supply system. The undersigned agrees to not make any physical connection between any private water system and the water system of the District. Representatives of the District may at any reasonable time come on the premises where the water is being used for purposes necessary to perform the duties of the District. Violation of this provision shall be grounds for disconnection of service.

WATER PRESSURE NOTICE

Riley Co. Rural Water #1 sets the water pressure at approximately 60 psi.

This may be higher or lower than your current water pressure.

The homeowner is responsible to ensure the service line and other plumbing in the house is in adequate condition to handle the increase/decrease in water pressure.

Riley Co. Rural Water #1 and/or Larson Construction, Inc. will not be responsible for any damages to the service line or any other plumbing on the property caused by installation of the new water lines and/or pressure changes.

Water softener – It is the homeowner's choice to continue using a water softener, however, due to the excellent quality of RCRW1 water (purchased from the City of Manhattan) most of our current water customers have discontinued use of their water softener.

- 8. The undersigned agrees to pay for any damage done to the meter lid or pit, or new electronic device.
- 9. Water users will remit full payment no later than the 20th day of the month, as set forth in the water rate schedule. Notice of late accounts will be mailed on the third business day after the 20th. Accounts will be considered delinquent on the tenth business day after the 20th. Full payment must be received by the tenth business day after the 20th to avoid having water shut off. Before water is turned back on, the full balance, plus a reconnection charge, must be paid in full. Bills not paid on or before the 20th of the month shall be subject to a 6% late charge.
- 10. The water service supplied by the District shall be for the sole use of the undersigned; the undersigned agrees that they will not extend or permit the extension of pipes for the purpose of transferring water from one property to another, nor will they share, resell, or sub meter water to any other consumer. Each meter service shall supply water to only one residence or business establishment located on land within the District.
- 11. If after water service is made available, the same is discontinued or disconnected for any purpose, pursuant to the By-Laws and the Rules and Regulations of the District, reconnection shall be upon the conditions set out in the By-Laws and the Rules and Regulations of the District.
- 12. The laws of the state of Kansas, the By-Laws of the District, and the Rules and Regulations of the District, as presently existing and as may be amended from time to time, are made a part of this agreement as though fully set out herein.
- 13. The tract to which the benefit unit is to be assigned is specifically described as follows:

Address: _____

City and zip code: _____

- 14. If this property is now or becomes in the future a rental property, the Benefit Unit owner is responsible for all water that goes thru the meter and the monthly minimum. If the renter does not pay their water bill, the Benefit Unit owner is responsible for all charges.

I have read and agree to all conditions set forth in this agreement.

Signature _____ Signature _____

Print _____ Print _____

Contact # _____

Email Address _____