

Middle Pecos Groundwater Conservation District

Checklist of Information Required for CONSOLIDATED DRILLING and PRODUCTION Permit Application

Each original application for a water well production permit, a consolidated permit and a permit amendment requires the filing of a separate application. Application forms will be provided by the District and furnished to the applicant upon request. All applications for a permit shall be in writing and sworn to, and shall include the following:

- the name and mailing address of the applicant and the owner of the land on which the well will be located
- if the applicant is other than the owner of the property, documentation establishing the applicable authority to construct and operate a well for the proposed use
- the location of each well and the estimated rate at which water will be withdrawn;
- the date the permit is to expire if no well is drilled or if existing well is not properly completed to meet all statutory and regulatory requirements for the intended purpose of use
- a requirement that the water withdrawn under the permit be put to beneficial use at all times
- the location of the use of the water from the well
- the conditions and restrictions, if any, placed on the rate and amount of withdrawal
- a declaration that the applicant will comply with the District's Rules and all groundwater use permits and plans promulgated pursuant to the District's Rules
- a declaration that the applicant will comply with the District's Management Plan
- a drought contingency plan
- a declaration that the applicant will comply with all District well plugging and capping guidelines and report closure to the commission
- the duration the permit is proposed to be in effect, if greater than one year
- if groundwater is proposed to be transferred out of the District, the applicant shall describe the following issues and provide documents relevant to these issues:

- 1) the availability of water in the District and in the proposed receiving area during the period for which the water supply is requested;
- 2) the projected effect of the proposed transfer on aquifer conditions, depletion, subsidence, or effects on existing permit holders or other groundwater users within the District; and
- 3) how the proposed transfer is consistent with the approved regional water plan and certified District Management Plan.
- a location map of all existing wells within a half (1/2) mile radius of the proposed well or the existing well to be modified;
- a map or other document from the Pecos County Tax Appraisal District indicating the ownership and location of the subject property;
- a document indicating the location of the proposed well or the existing well to be modified, the subject property, and adjacent owners' physical and mailing addresses
- notice of any application to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to obtain or modify a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to provide water or wastewater service with water obtained pursuant to the requested permit;
- a statement of the nature and purpose of the proposed use and the amount of water to be used for each purpose;
- a hydrogeological report shall be attached to applications meeting the following conditions:
 - 1) requests to operate a nonexempt well with an annual maximum permitted use of at least 1,000 acre feet; and
 - 2) requests to amend and increase by at least 250 acre feet the annual maximum permitted use of a Production Permit.
- an applicant subject to a preparation and submission of a hydrogeological report shall agree to conduct a pumping test for each well for which a production permit is being requested, and to submit the results of the pumping test to the District within 30 days of the well coming on-line and beginning to produce groundwater for beneficial use
- if a hydrogeological report is required, the applicant shall address the area of influence of the well for which a permit is being requested, include an assessment of the geology at the site of the well for which a permit is being requested and a description of the aquifer that will supply water to the well, and be complete in a manner that complies with the requirements adopted in Rule 11.9.3