

**MIDDLE PECOS
Groundwater Conservation District**

*P. O. Box 1644, Fort Stockton, Texas 79735
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**APPLICATION FOR A
DRILLING PERMIT**

General Instructions: The District requires a Drilling Permit for drilling a new groundwater well. A Drilling Permit is also required in the following instances: (1) perforating an existing well, (2) replacement of an existing well, or (3) increasing the size of a well pump therein so that the well is capable of producing more than 25,000 gallons per day, unless the well is an exempt well under District Rule 11.3.

Applicant(s) Information: Provide the information requested below. If the Applicant is more than one individual with different residences, attach a separate sheet with a description of their respective interests in the well(s), listing their names and addresses, and designating a contact person. If the Applicant is a corporation, partnership, limited partnership, or other business entity, state its name and address below and attach written documentation that the Authorized Representative, whose name is provided below, is authorized to represent the Applicant. If the Applicant is other than the owner of the property, attach documentation establishing the applicable authority to construct and operate a well(s) subject to this application.

Applicant: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Fax: _____

Contact/Authorized Representative: _____

Relationship to Applicant _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Fax: _____

PROPOSED LOCATION OF WELL:

General Description: Provide a general description of the location of the well (for example, 1 ½ miles northeast of the US 67/Old Alpine Hwy intersection): _____

Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____ Elevation: _____ Feet Above Mean Sea Level

Legal Description: Survey Name: _____ Survey No.: _____ Abstract No.: _____

Proposed range of well depth: _____

Aquifer(s): This application is for a Drilling Permit from the following aquifer(s): _____

Attach a map adequate to locate the well and provide: _____ feet from the _____ property line and
(N, S, E, W, etc.)
_____ feet from the _____ property line.
(N, S, E, W, etc.)

PROPOSED USE OF WELL:

State the nature and purpose of groundwater used (check more than one box if applicable):

Domestic _____ Livestock _____ Irrigation _____ Public Supply _____
Industrial _____ Other (specify) _____

State the amount of water used annually for each purpose:

Domestic _____ Livestock _____ Irrigation _____ Public Supply _____
Industrial _____ Other (specify) _____

Estimated rate of withdrawal: _____ gallons per minute

Describe proposed pump and pump capacity: _____

Drilling Permit Term: This Drilling Permit is effective for 120 (one hundred twenty) calendar days after the date the District issues the permit. If the well(s) is/are not drilled or if the exiting well(s) is/are not properly completed to meet all statutory and regulatory requirements for the intended purpose of use within the 120 day period, the Drilling Permit expires. The General Manager may extend the Drilling Permit term beyond 120 days, if requested and good cause is shown.

Production Permit: Prior to and no later than 21 (twenty-one) calendar days after completion of a new water well, or reworking or re-equipping an existing water well, a completed Production Permit Application must be filed with the District.

Attachments: Provide the following documentation: (1) a map or other document from the Pecos County Tax Appraisal District indicating the ownership and location of the subject property; (2) a document indicating the location of each proposed well or each existing well to be modified, the subject property, and adjacent owners' physical and mailing addresses; and (3) a location map of all existing wells within a half (1/2) mile radius of the proposed well or Well System or the existing well or wells to be modified.

Notice Requirement: Provide 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 from any well requested to be drilled under this application.

Declaration: I agree that reasonable diligence will be used to protect groundwater quality. I agree to abide by the District's rules, permit terms and plans promulgated pursuant to the District's Rules, the District Management Plan, and orders of the District's Board of Directors. I agree to comply with the District's well capping and plugging guidelines and report any well closure to the District. Furthermore, I agree not to produce groundwater from this well without a valid Production Permit.

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF PECOS

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared _____, who is authorized to submit the foregoing and attached Application and referenced attachments, and who after being by me duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says that s/he has read the statements and information in the foregoing and above-described application and that every statement contained therein is within her/his own personal knowledge and belief and is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature of Notary

Printed Name of Notary

Date of Expiration

For District Use Only:

Approval or denial of this application is subject to the rules of the District

Date Application Received: _____

APPLICATION APPROVED:

Mapped: _____

___ YES ___ NO

Field Inspection: _____

District Well No. _____

Signature

Title

Date

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VERIFICATION OF OWNERSHIP ADDENDUM

This addendum must be completed and attached to all applications for drilling and production permits. This addendum confirms and clarifies ownership of the rights associated with the drilling of a well and the production of groundwater necessary to be authorized to hold a permit. The applicant or designated representative whose name and information appear on the application itself must be the person who completes this addendum. Please check the applicable boxes and provide the information requested below to the District's office.

Part 1. Applicant is the owner or partial owner:

- I, the applicant, own all of the rights associated with the production of groundwater, including the groundwater rights, the surface estate, the well infrastructure, and the well borehole.
- I, the applicant, own one or more, but not all, of the rights associated with the production of groundwater. I own the rights to the following (check all that apply):
 - the groundwater
 - the surface estate
 - the well infrastructure
 - the well borehole

If you checked any boxes in Part 1, please attach documentation evidencing your ownership of the rights associated with the production of the groundwater. If you were unable to check any of the boxes in Part 1, please proceed to Part 2.

Part 2. Applicant is the authorized representative of the owner or partial owner:

- I, the applicant, am an authorized representative of the owner, and the owner owns all the rights associated with the production of groundwater, including the groundwater rights, the surface estate, the well infrastructure, and the well borehole.
- I, the applicant, am an authorized representative of the owner, who owns one or more, but not all, of the rights associated with the production of groundwater. The person or entity I represent owns the following (check all that apply):
 - the groundwater
 - the surface estate
 - the well infrastructure
 - the well borehole.

If you checked any boxes in Part 2, please attach to this addendum documentation evidencing such authorized representation as well as documentation evidencing ownership to the rights associated with the production of the groundwater.

Name: _____ Signature: _____