



Lone Star Groundwater Conservation District
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**APPLICATION FOR OPERATING PERMIT
 - EXISTING WELL(S) -**

District to Complete

Permit No: _____
 Well Registration: _____
 QB Received: _____

Instructions: Complete form (type or print) and **submit, along with an application fee of \$100 X ID (Minimum of \$400.00) of the casing(s), to the above address.** Additional information or explanations may be attached. An Application for Well Registration must be submitted prior to, or with this application unless applicant is only requesting a change in allocation. All information on the Application for New Well Registration is incorporated by reference into this Application for an Operating Permit.

Date of Application: _____

-This form may be faxed or mailed-

GENERAL

Permit Name: _____ Attention: _____

Only required if different then Well Registration Application.

Mailing address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

WELL DATA

Number of wells to be permitted: _____

Amount of water requested on an annual basis: _____ Gallons

<p>Well _____ (1, 2, etc.)</p> <p>Date well is anticipated to begin producing groundwater: _____</p> <p>Status of each well as of application date: (Mark <u>one</u> with X)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Operating; Year drilled _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Being Drilled</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Completed but not being operated; Year drilled _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting permit to begin drilling</p>	<p>Well _____ (1, 2, etc.)</p> <p>Date well is anticipated to begin producing groundwater: _____</p> <p>Status of each well as of application date: (Mark <u>one</u> with X)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Operating; Year drilled _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Being Drilled</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Completed but not being operated; Year drilled _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting permit to begin drilling</p>
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Reason well(s) is (are) needed: _____

List subdivision(s) or service area well(s) will service: _____

Does applicant know of any water wells in this area not registered with the District? No Yes, if yes, explain _____

Is a public water system available in this area? Yes No Are the well(s) located within city limits? Yes No

Drought Contingency Plan attached or on file with District? Yes No If applicant is required by law to have a drought contingency plan; a copy must be attached to application.

Water Conservation Plan attached or on file with District? Yes No If applicant is required by law to have a water conservation plan; a copy must be attached to application.

HYDROGEOLOGICAL REPORT:

Is the request to modify or increase an existing well or well system that would result in the existing well(s) being equipped to produce more than 700 gallons per minute or greater? No Yes If yes, the application requires a Hydrogeological Report that complies with the District's Hydrogeological Report Guidelines.

Is the request to drill and operate a proposed new well or well system with a proposed aggregate production capacity of 700 gallons per minute or greater? No Yes If yes, the application requires a Hydrogeological Report that complies with the District's Hydrogeological Report Guidelines.

Is the request for an exception to the spacing requirements in District Rule 3.2 or 3.3? No Yes If yes, the application requires a Hydrogeological Report that complies with the District's Hydrogeological Report Guidelines.

Does the well registration require a Hydrogeological Report? No Yes If yes, attach the Hydrogeological Report that complies with the District's Hydrogeological Report Guidelines.

CERTIFICATION:

Applicant agrees that water produced/withdrawn from the proposed well(s) will be put to beneficial use at all times.
 Yes No

Applicant hereby agrees to comply with the District's Rules. Yes No

Applicant hereby agrees to comply with the District's Management Plan. Yes No
Copies of District's Regulatory Plan and District's Management Plan are available upon request.

Applicant has attached a water well closure plan. Yes No

If the water well closure plan is not attached, Applicant hereby agrees to comply with well plugging guidelines and report closure to the District and appropriate state agencies. Yes No

Applicant hereby agrees to equip permitted well(s) with a flow measurement device as required under District Rule's Section 11. Yes No

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CERTIFICATION (cont):

Applicant **and** Owner understand that if submitted application is approved, the owner of the permit will be charged the District's current Fee Rate on an annualized basis. 2023 Fee: \$0.085 per 1,000 gallons of groundwater permitted (Ag: \$1.00 per acre foot on an annualized basis.) Note: In the event the total annual regulatory water use fee payment equals an amount less than \$10.00, the regulatory water use fee payment to be assessed to such a permit shall be the "Minimum Regulatory Water Use Fee" established as \$10.00 by the LSGCD Board of Directors. Yes No

I hereby certify that the information given herewith is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Print Name

Signature of Well Owner or Agent

Date

Please submit signed application along with applicable fees to 655 Conroe Park North Drive, Conroe, Texas 77303.

NOTICE:

Per District Rule 13.3, Permit Hearings must be posted for public notice ten days prior to date of the hearing. At such time the Board of Directors will take action for approval or denial of said permit. Meeting dates of all hearings are posted on the District's Web Site at www.lonestargcd.org or may be obtained by calling the District office at (936) 494-3436.

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Aggregate Well No. _____

Qty of Wells in Aggregation: _____