

WATER USERS AGREEMENT

Applicant: _____ **Co-Applicant:** _____

Service Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ **Email:** _____

Bill Delivery Method: Mail Email

This agreement between Rural Water District, and the applicant listed above, a member of the District or Company, hereinafter called the Member. The District or Company shall furnish, subject to limitations hereinafter provided for, such quantity of water for domestic and farmstead purposes as the Member may desire in connection with the occupancy of his property listed on this agreement. The Member shall install and maintain at his own expense a service line which shall begin at the Member's side of the meter box near the property line and extend to the dwelling and other portion of his premises. The Member's service line shall connect with the distribution system of the District or Company at the nearest place of desired use by the Member, provided the District or Company has determined in advance that the water system is of sufficient capacity to permit delivery of water at that point. The Member shall pay for such water at such rates, and place as shall be determined by the Directors. The Member shall not connect any additional dwelling or residence to be served through his meter. The Member agrees that he will make no physical connection between any private water system and the Water System of the District or Company. The District or Company may at any reasonable time make inspection to enforce this provision. Violation of this provision shall be grounds for disconnection of service. The District or Company shall purchase and install a meter box and water meter, in each service. The District or Company shall have exclusive right to use such meter box and water meter and to turn it on and off. The District or Company shall have final jurisdiction in any question of location of any service line connection to its distribution system; shall determine the allocation of water to Members in the event of a water shortage; may shut off the water to a Member who allows a connection or extension to be made to his service line for the purpose of supplying water to another user. The failure of a Member to pay water charges duly imposed shall result in the automatic imposition of the following penalties:

- A. Non-payment within fifteen days from the date due will be subject to a penalty of ten (10) percent of the delinquent account.
- B. Non-payment within thirty days from the due date will result in a delinquent charge as determined by the Board of Directors and cut off services from the Member's property.
- C. In the event it becomes necessary for the District or Company to shut off the water from a member's property, all charges owed shall be paid prior to continuation of services.
- D. Non-payment for sixty days after original due date will allow the District or Company to remove the meter and cause forfeiture of initial fees. The Member will allow the District or Company to terminate his service and, in such event, the Member shall not be entitled to receive, nor the District or Company obligated to supply any water under this agreement. If reinstatement is requested after this date, a fee will be charged at the discretion of the Board of Directors.
- E. If theft of service or meter tampering occur, the District will be allowed to remove the service and the Member will forfeit the initial tap fees for service. If reinstatement is requested, the tap fees must be paid.

The following information is required by the Federal Government in order to monitor our compliance with Federal Laws prohibiting discrimination. This information is used only for monitoring and statistical purposes. You are not required to furnish this information, but are encouraged to do so. If you do not furnish ethnicity, race, or sex, under Federal regulations, this Company is required to note the information based on visual observation or surname. *"This is an Equal Opportunity Program"*

Ethnicity: Not Hispanic or Latino Hispanic or Latino **Sex:** Female Male

Race: American Indian or Alaska Asian Black/African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

White Other **I do not wish to provide this information.**

_____ Date _____ Date
Applicants Signature Co-Applicants Signature

Owner Deposit Renter Deposit Service Charge Tap Fee Impact Fee Cash Check Credit Card