



Processing Applications to Drill Non-Exempt Wells

Check List

- Deliver completed Application (requires notarization of signature) to Uvalde County UWCD office, along with your deposit of \$100 (refundable contingent on delivery of driller's well log to District office) and non-refundable registration/administrative fee of \$50.
- When the Application is deemed administratively complete by the District office, you will be given a public notice form to complete and a Publisher's Affidavit to deliver to the Uvalde Leader-News office.
- If, within the requisite 14-day period following the publication of the public notice, the District receives no protests to your application, you will be issued a Non-Exempt Well Construction Authorization by the District approving the drilling of the well.
- Upon the delivery of the driller's Well Report to the District office, your deposit will be refunded to you.
- You will be given a Groundwater Withdrawal Permit application to complete and submit to the District for its consideration.

C. Fill in GPS coordinates: Latitude _____ ° _____ ' _____ " N
 Longitude _____ ° _____ ' _____ " W

- D. Is proposed new well site a minimum distance from the following:
- (I) 50 feet to any water-tight sewage facility? Yes No
 - (ii) 100 feet from closest existing well? Yes No
 - (iii) 50 feet from any water-tight septic system? Yes No
 - (iv) 150 feet from any concentrated source of potential well contamination (e.g., privy, livestock yards, underground storage tank, septic system absorption field)? Yes No
 - (v) 500 feet from any sewage treatment facility, sewer farm, or solid waste disposal site? Yes No
 - (vi) required distance from nearest producing well (See #5 below)? Yes No

5. **Spacing/Production Rules:**

New wells or re-equipped wells shall be spaced at a distance that is equivalent to one (1) foot per gallon per minute of the combined production rate of the proposed well and the nearest existing well, drilled into any formation. (*Spacing Distance = (Production Rate of Proposed Well + Production Rate of Nearest Existing Well) x 1 ft/gpm*) However, in no event shall a spacing distance of more than 1,500 feet be required. The well owner may modify the production rate of either the existing or the proposed new well, or both, to meet these well spacing requirements.

If the proposed well is to be drilled, completed, and equipped so that it will require an exception to the spacing and production rules, attach a list of the names and addresses of all owners of property adjoining the tract on which the well is to be located. Provide the names of owners of the three wells nearest (within 1/2 mile) of the proposed well. Attach a map showing the property lines in the immediate area and note accurately to scale the location of the three nearest wells.

6. **Applicant's Certification:**

- A. *I agree that the proposed well will be drilled only in the formation (no dual completion wells are permitted) and size specified, and within thirty feet (30') of the proposed location specified, and that any changes in these specifications will require an amendment to this Application and may require the publication of a new Public Notice.*
- B. *I will furnish Uvalde County UWCD the driller's Well Report and any mechanical log that might be made, within 60 days of completion of this well, or forfeit my deposit.*
- C. *I understand that this Permit, if approved, will have a term of up to 4 months, after which it shall be void and the deposit forfeited, unless extended by a written extension request submitted to and approved by UCUWCD Board of Directors.*
- D. *In the event that this well is determined to be unfit for beneficial use as defined by Uvalde County UWCD District Rules, the well shall be capped or plugged as specified in Rule 18 or Rule 19 of the District Rules and this Application amended for any new well site.*
- E. *Any information filled in as an estimate at the time this application for Permit was submitted, and any omissions of information unavailable at the time, will be corrected or provided when the driller's well report is filed with the District and the Withdrawal Permit approved by the District, prior to operating the well.*

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

Signature _____

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME on this _____ day of _____, _____, by _____.

 NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas

Complete the appropriate notice below and deliver it to The Uvalde Leader-News office with the Publisher's Affidavit on the following page attached.

PUBLIC NOTICE for Application for Permit to Drill Irrigation Well----

Public Notice		
(Irrigation Well)		
The Uvalde County Underground Water Conservation District has received an application for a permit to drill an irrigation well, and the general manager has determined that it is complete.		
The Application was filed:		
_____ by _____,	_____	_____
Date	Applicant	Address of Applicant
_____, Texas _____	_____	Description of the proposed well: _____ " Borehole Diameter with
City	Zip Code	
a _____ " Casing in the _____,	_____	gallons per minute, irrigating _____ acres,
	Aquifer/formation	
by _____,	_____ miles _____	of Uvalde.
	N, S, NE, e.g.	
Concerned persons affected by the drilling of this well have the right to contest the Application by submitting, within 14 days of today's date, a notice of intent to protest or a request for a hearing on the applications. The District may proceed to approve the Application without further notice if no contest is filed.		

PUBLIC NOTICE for Application for Permit to Public Supply Well, Industrial Well, or Commercial Well----

Public Notice		
The Uvalde County Underground Water Conservation District has received an application for a permit to drill <input type="checkbox"/> a Public Supply Well <input type="checkbox"/> an Industrial Well <input type="checkbox"/> a Commercial Well, and the general manager has determined that it is complete.		
The Application was filed:		
_____ by _____,	_____	_____
Date	Applicant	Address of Applicant
_____, Texas _____	_____	Description of the proposed well: _____ " Borehole Diameter with
City	Zip Code	
a _____ " Casing; Well Capacity of _____	_____	gallons per minute per connection, with _____ connections to be served. Well to be
drilled in the _____;	_____	miles _____ of Uvalde.
	Aquifer/formation	N, S, NE, e.g.
Concerned persons affected by the drilling of this well have the right to contest the Application by submitting, within 14 days of today's date, a notice of intent to protest or a request for a hearing on the applications. The District may proceed to approve the Application without further notice if no contest is filed.		

Well Owner's Name:

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Craig Garnett, known to me, who, being by duly sworn on oath deposes and says that he is the publisher of *The Uvalde Leader-News*, a newspaper of general circulation published in Uvalde County, Texas, at least two days per week, and that the hereto attached notice is a true and correct copy of a notice published in said newspaper on _____, 20__.

Craig Garnett
Publisher, *The Uvalde Leader-News*

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this _____ day of _____, 20__.

Notary Public, State of Texas

*[Please attach
published notice
here]*

For Uvalde County UWCD Office Use Only

Application administratively complete as of _____, 20____.

Uvalde County UWCD

By: _____

Title: _____

Application approved _____, 20____.

Uvalde County UWCD

By: _____

General Manager