



ONALASKA WATER & GAS SUPPLY CORP.

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WATER SERVICE APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT

(PLEASE PRINT)

DATE _____

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

CO-APPLICANT'S NAME _____

CURRENT BILLING ADDRESS _____

FUTURE BILLING ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER: HOME () _____ WORK () _____

PROOF OF OWNERSHIP PROVIDED BY _____

DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER OF APPLICANT _____

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY - PLEASE INCLUDE NAME OF SUBDIVISION WITH BLOCK AND LOT NUMBER

PREVIOUS OWNER'S NAME AND ADDRESS

NOTE: FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT ONLY. A MAP OF SERVICE LOCATION MUST BE ATTACHED.

Information requested by federal government to monitor compliance with discrimination laws. You are not required to furnish the information, but are encouraged to do so. However, if you choose not to furnish it, we are required to note the race /national origin of individual applicants on the basis of visual observation or surname.

RACE OR NATIONAL ORIGIN

White Black American Indian Hispanic Asian Alaskan Native Other

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AGREEMENT made this day _____ of _____, 20_____, between ONALASKA WATER & GAS SUPPLY CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Texas (hereinafter called the corporation) **and** _____ (hereinafter called the applicant and/or member)

Witnessed:

The Corporation shall sell and deliver water service to the Applicant and the Applicant shall purchase, receive, and / or reserve services from the Corporation in accordance with the bylaws and tariffs of the Corporation as amended from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Corporation. Upon compliance with said policies, including payment of a Membership fee, the applicant qualifies for Membership as a new applicant or continued Membership as a transferee and may be called a Member.

The member shall pay the Corporation for service as determined by the Corporation's tariff and upon terms and conditions stated therein, a copy has been provided as an information packet, for which Member acknowledges receipt hereof by execution of this agreement. A copy of this agreement shall be executed before service maybe provided to the Applicant.

The Corporation shall have the authority to discontinue service and cancel the membership of any member not complying with any policy or not paying any utility fees of charges as required by the Corporation's published rates, fees, and conditions of service. At any time service is discontinued, terminated, or suspended, the Corporation shall not re-establish service unless it has a current, signed copy of this agreement.

All water shall be metered by meters to be furnished and installed by the Corporation. The meter is for the sole use of the Member and customer and is to provide service to only one (1) dwelling or one (1) business. Extension of pipe(s) to transfer utility service from one property to another, to share, resale, or submeter water to another persons, dwellings, businesses, or property, etc., is prohibited.

The Corporation shall have the right to locate a water service meter and the pipe necessary to connect the meter on the Member's property at a point to be chosen by the Corporation, and shall have access to its property and equipment located upon Member's premises at all reasonable and necessary times for any purpose connected with or in the furtherance of its business operations, and upon discontinuance of service the Corporation has the right to remove any or all of its equipment from the Member's property. The Member shall install at their own expense any necessary service lines from the Corporation's facilities and equipment to the point of use, including any customer service isolation valves, backflow prevention devices, clean outs, and other equipment as may be specified by the Corporation.

By execution hereof, the Applicant shall hold the Corporation harmless from any and all claims for damages caused by service interruptions due to waterline breaks by utility or like contractors, tampering by other Members/users of the Corporation, normal failures of the system, or other events beyond the control of the Corporation.

The Member shall grant to the Corporation, now or in the future, any easements of right-of-way for the purpose of installing, maintaining and operating such pipelines, meters, valves, and any other equipment which may be deemed necessary by the Corporation to extend or improve service for existing or for future Members, on such forms as are required by the Corporation.

By execution hereof, the Applicant shall guarantee payment of all other rates, fees, and other charges due on any account for which said Applicant owns a Membership Certificate. Said guarantee, shall pledge any and all Membership Fees against any balance due to the Corporation.

Liquidation of said Membership Fees shall give rise to discontinuance of service under terms and conditions of the Corporation's tariff.

By execution hereof, the Applicant agrees that non-compliance with the terms of this agreement, by said Applicant shall constitute denial or discontinuance of service until such time as the violation is corrected to the satisfaction of the Corporation.

Any misrepresentation of the facts by the Applicant on any page of this agreement shall result in discontinuance of service pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Corporation's tariff.

Applicant / Member

Witness

Date Approved

Onalaska Water Supply Corporation
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SERVICE AGREEMENT SECTION TWO

1. **PURPOSE.** Onalaska Water Supply Corporation is responsible for protecting the drinking water supply from contamination or pollution, which could result from improper private water distribution system construction or configuration. The purpose of this agreement is to notify each customer of the restrictions, which are in place to provide protection. This utility enforces these restrictions to ensure the public health and welfare. Each customer must sign this agreement before Onalaska Water Supply Corporation will begin service. In addition, when service to an existing connection has been suspended or terminated, the water system will not re-establish service unless it has a signed copy of this agreement.

2. **RESTRICTIONS.** The following unacceptable practices are prohibited by State regulations.
 - A. No direct connection between the public drinking water supply and, a potential source of contamination is permitted. Potential sources of contaminations shall be isolated from the public water system by an air-gap or an appropriate backflow prevention device.
 - B. No cross-connection between the public drinking water supply and a private water system is permitted. These potential threats to the public drinking water supply shall be eliminated at the service connection by the installation of a air-gap or a reduced pressure-zone back flow prevention device.
 - C. No connection, which allows water to be returned to the public drinking supply, is permitted.
 - D. No pipe or pipe fitting which contains more than **8.0% lead** may be used for the installation or repair of plumbing at any connection which provides water for human use.
 - E. No solder or flux which contains more than **0.2% lead** can be used for the installation or repair of plumbing at any connection which provides water for human use.

3. **SERVICE AGREEMENT.** The following are the terms of the service agreement between Onalaska Water Supply Corporation and Applicant.
 - A. Onalaska Water Supply Corporation will maintain a copy of this agreement as long as the Applicant or the premises is connected to the water system.
 - B. The customer shall allow his property to be inspected for possible cross connections and other potential contamination hazards. These inspections shall be conducted by

the Water System or its designated agent prior to initiating new water service; when there is reason to believe that cross-connections or other potential contamination hazards exist; or after any major changes to the private water distribution facilities. The inspections shall be conducted during the Water System's normal business hours.

C. The Water System shall notify the Member in writing of any cross-connection or any other potential contamination hazard, which has been identified during the initial inspection or the periodic reinspection.

D. The Member shall immediately remove or adequately isolate any potential contamination hazards on his premises.

E. The Member shall, at his expense, properly install, test, and maintain any backflow device required by Onalaska Water Supply Corporation. Copies of all testing and maintenance records shall be provided to Onalaska Water Supply Corporation.

4. ENFORCEMENT. If the Member fails to comply with the terms of the service agreement, Onalaska Water Supply Corporation shall, at its option, either terminate service or properly install, test, and maintain an appropriate backflow prevention device at the service connection. Any expenses associated with the enforcement of this agreement shall be billed to the Member.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Plumber

Date

Plumber Name and License Number (Please Print)

Property Location

Account Number



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SERVICE AGREEMENT SECTION THREE

Onalaska Water Supply Corporation has signed an agreement with the Polk County Fresh Water Supply District No #2, which states:

- A. Onalaska Water Supply will turn off and lock a customers water meter when supplied with a letter from PCFWSD#2 stating that a customer is negligent with a sewer bill.

- B. Onalaska Water Supply will issue a letter to the customer stating the facts of the issue and give the customer ten (10) days to correct the matter or request a meeting with the Board of Directors of Onalaska Water Supply to argue the case.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Customer Name (Please Print)

Office Clerk Signature