# WEST WARREN-VIOLA UTILITY DISTRICT
## WATER TAP APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT FOR SERVICE

We, the undersigned, hereby apply for services from the West Warren-Viola Utility District at the property known as

[_____] located at [_____] in [_____] County
(name of property owner/owners)          (property address/road location)

of [_____] (city), TN.

**APPLICANTS AGREE TO:**
1. Pay the applicable tap fee (See Mutual Agreements section 3 of application):
   a.  3/4" tap fee and meter deposit - $ 1600.00   + meter deposit
   b. All other taps - **AT COST**                    **ALL COMMERCIAL TAPS REQUIRE A MINIMUM $500 METER DEPOSIT**
   c. Plus – any contracted road bore – **AT COST**

2. Connect to the water system at the meter installed by the District to serve the above property, and install his own service line from the meter to the place of actual water use.

3. Begin paying bill immediately after water is available.

4. Promptly pay for services in accordance with the water rate schedule as adjusted periodically; but not less than a minimum monthly bill; at such time and place as shall be determined by the District's governing body.

5. Comply with the District's bylaws, rules, regulations, and policies, including the rule that only one dwelling will be served from any one water tap.

6. Ensure that any existing water lines will not be connected to the District's lines, in any manner, when service does become available.

7. Applicant hereby grants to the District an easement to construct, operate, and maintain a  water distribution system on land owned by the applicant or any interest in land the applicant may own or have.

8. Be responsible for the installation of a pressure reducer on the applicant's side of the meter in the event the property to be served is located in a high-pressure area of the District's system.

9. Be responsible for the installation of a cut off valve on the applicant's side of the meter, immediately behind the meter, in the event the property being served needs to have the water turned off for any reason other than termination by the District.

10. **TAMPERING WITH DISTRICT PROPERTY IS A VIOLATION OF THE DISTRICT'S RULES AND REGULATION AND IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE UNDER TENNESSEE LAW.  THE METER IS DISTRICT PROPERTY AND MAY BE TURNED ON, LOCKED AND UNLOCKED BY DISTRICT PERSONNEL ONLY.**

**DISTRICT AGREES TO:**

1. Seek adequate financing to enable the District to provide a safe, sanitary, and efficient water distribution system to all applicants.

2. Furnish and install a water tap into the District's main lines; furnish and install a complete water meter at or near the applicant's property line; in accordance with the sound engineering practices.

3. Operate and maintain the water system so as to provide water to all consumers in a safe, efficient and nondiscriminatory manner.

**MUTUAL AGREEMENTS:**

1. If the water system is installed:
   a. The meter deposit will be retained by the District to guarantee payment by the applicant  in the event that water services    are terminated for any reason and the account is not paid in full.

   b. Any loan obtained by the District to finance the waterworks system will not be a lien on the applicant's property.

2. If the water system is not installed because WWVUD has determined it is not feasible to serve the applicant, the meter deposit and tap fee will be refunded to the applicant.  However, if it can be installed in a feasible manner and can serve the applicant, the tap must be set no later than two (2) years from the date of purchase, or tap fee is forfeited.

3. Applicant will pay the meter deposit and/or applicable tap fee and the District upon payment of said meter deposit and tap fee and execution of this application will make a copy of the application and issue receipts for said fee to the applicant.

**Signed:**
Applicant_____

Co-Applicant_____

Mailing Address_____

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Social Security# or tax id#_____

Date of Birth_____ Phone#_____

Driver's License# or other ID_____

Other Phone#_____

Email Address_____

FOR WWVUD USE ONLY:

Tap Fee_____

Meter Deposit Amt_____

Capital Contribution_____

Date_____

West Warren-Viola Utility District:

Signed:_____

Date:_____

**-West Warren-Viola Utility District is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.-**