



City of Fate Water Service Application Fire Hydrant Meter

City of Fate, Texas
1900 C.D. Boren Pkwy.
Fate, TX 75087
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I am interested in signing up for the ACH Monthly Bank Account Draft I want the bill emailed.

Today's Date: _____ Start Date: _____

Service Address or Location: _____

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

TX ID#/ Social Security #: _____

Email Address: _____

Type of Business: (If Applicable) _____

Billing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Office Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Alt Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

A copy of the account holder's government-issued ID (such as a driver's license) must be provided to establish service. You may submit this information via email or in person at 1900 C D Boren Pkwy.

I hereby apply for a city fire hydrant meter and water services at the above address or location, to be furnished at the standard rates and under the terms and conditions of the City of Fate, on file at the City Office. A \$50.00 non-refundable application fee and hydrant meter deposit of \$1500 will be required. The deposit should be payable by check or money order. I understand I am required to use a fire hydrant meter provided by the city and cannot use a company or personal meter.

I acknowledge water service will be turned on. I will not hold the City of Fate responsible for any property damage due to the water being turned on without my presence. I acknowledge if the meter shows water usage, it will be turned back off and my presence will be required for connection of service.

I understand that it is the account holder's responsibility to brace and protect the fire hydrant, meter, and double check from any damage before use, protect the fire hydrant meter against freezing weather and properly maintain the fire hydrant meter and register against any damages. Should any damages be found the renter is liable and will be responsible for the repairs or replacement of hydrant, double check, meter, or register.

I understand the city will read the meter monthly for billing and at the time of connection and disconnection. I will contact the utility billing department to request an authorized city employee to repair, relocate or disconnect a fire hydrant meter.

I understand disconnection will take place if the account is either 3 months past due or if the account has a past due balance greater than \$2,000. Payment for the past due balance and a reconnect fee is required before reconnection.

Applicant Signature: _____

Please complete and return (with application fee) to: **City of Fate or utilities@fatetx.gov**
P.O. Box 159
Fate, TX 75132

Confidential Request Form

I hereby do request that the utility record information as authorized by H.B. 859 be kept confidential and that such information be only disclosed to those persons or entities authorized to receive such information by the statute.

Applicant Signature: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY	Start Date: _____	Today's Date: _____
Amount Paid & Tender Type: _____	Received by: _____	

SERVICE AGREEMENT

PURPOSE. THE CITY OF FATE is responsible for protecting the drinking water supply from contamination or pollution, which could result from improper plumbing practices. The purpose of this service agreement is to notify each customer of the plumbing restrictions, which are in place to provide this protection. The utility enforces these restrictions to ensure the public health and welfare. Each customer must sign this agreement before the CITY OF FATE will begin service. In addition, when service to an existing connection has been suspended or terminated, the water system will not re-establish service until it has a signed copy of this agreement.

I. PLUMBING RESTRICTIONS. The following unacceptable plumbing practices are prohibited by State regulations.

No direct connection between the public drinking water supply and a potential source of contamination is permitted. Potential sources of contamination shall be isolated from the public water system by an air-gap or an appropriate backflow prevention device.

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 an air-gap or a reduced pressure-zone backflow prevention device.

- A. No connection, which allows water to be returned to the public drinking water supply, is permitted.
- B. 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.
- C. 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.

II. SERVICE AGREEMENT. The following are the terms of the service agreement between the CITY OF FATE (the Water System) and the Customer.

The Water System will retain a copy of this agreement as long as the Customer is active.

The Customer shall allow his property to be inspected for possible cross-connections and other unacceptable plumbing practices. 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 unacceptable plumbing practices exist; or after any major changes to the private plumbing facilities. The inspections shall be conducted during the Water System's normal business hours.

- A. The Water System shall notify the Customer in writing of any cross-connection or other unacceptable plumbing practice, which has been identified during the initial inspection or the periodic re-inspection.
- B. The Customer shall immediately correct any unacceptable plumbing practice on his premises.
- C. The Customer shall, at his expense, properly install, test, and maintain any backflow prevention device required by the Water System. Copies of all testing and maintenance records shall be provided to the Water System.
- D. The Customer acknowledges that bills are mailed monthly and should they not receive one they should contact Utility Billing for the bill amount. If the bill is not paid on time, a late payment fee will be assessed to the account. Service will be disconnected with an additional reconnection fee charged and the bill and all fees must be paid prior to the reconnection of service.

III. ENFORCEMENT. If the Customer fails to comply with the terms of the Service Agreement, the Water System shall, at its option, 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 Customer.

CUSTOMER'S SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____