

City of Minden

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Minden, Nebraska 68959

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Application for Water Well Permit - City of Minden, Nebraska

Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Estimated Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_,

**We, the undersigned applicant hereby apply for Water well permit to perform the work, as hereinafter specified; and agree to comply with applicable City of Minden construction and zoning ordinances without variation, unless specific permission is obtained by Council Action.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner (type or printed name)

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Anticipated date of construction start: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of completion: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Property Information**

\*Attach a Kearney County assessor’s legal description which can be found at <http://kearney.gisworkshop.com/#>

\_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Description of Property

\_\_\_\_\_  
Existing use of property

\_\_\_\_\_  
List dimensions of property

**Well Specs**

\*Attach a copy of the well specifications.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed use of well

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location of proposed well

\_\_\_\_\_  
Depth of proposed well

\_\_\_\_\_  
Gallons per minute

Has a test hole been drilled?      \_\_\_ Yes      \_\_\_ No

Will a test hole be drilled upon approval of this site?      \_\_\_ Yes      \_\_\_ No

Tri-Basin NRD Approval      \_\_\_ Yes      \_\_\_ No      \_\_\_ Not Applicable  
(Required if well pumps 50 gpm or more)

**Precautions**

List any precautions that will be taken in order to prevent pollution or contamination of the water source at the time of drilling the well and after the well has been drilled.

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## Description of Existing/Proposed Well Site

### Maps

Attach a map of the existing water works showing the connection of the new well to existing or proposed water mains. Show the location of all wells, pumping stations, reservoirs, and elevated tanks in the immediate vicinity of the new/existing well. This should include sizes of water mains and equipment, and any possible sources of contamination as listed below. Attach a map of existing sewer work and site plans.

### Site

Record the distance, direction and location from the proposed/existing well to the following if less than the specified distance of the site:

	Distance	Direction/Location
Non-potable water well (1,000 ft)	_____	_____
Other Well (1,000 ft)	_____	_____
Sewage Lagoon (1,000 ft)	_____	_____
Absorption or disposal field for waste (500 ft)	_____	_____
Cesspool (500 ft)	_____	_____
Dump (500 ft)	_____	_____
Feedlot or Feedlot runoff (500 ft)	_____	_____
Corral (500 ft)	_____	_____
Pit Toilet (500 ft)	_____	_____
Sanitary Landfill (500 ft)	_____	_____
Chemical or petroleum product (500 ft)	_____	_____
Septic Tank (500 ft)	_____	_____
Sewage Treatment Plant (500 ft)	_____	_____
Sewage Wet Well (500 ft)	_____	_____
Sanitary sewer Connection (100 ft)	_____	_____
Sanitary Sewer Manhole (100 ft)	_____	_____
Sanitary Sewer Line (50 ft)	_____	_____
Sanitary Sewer Line (permanently water tight) (10 ft)	_____	_____

Was the site ever flooded? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Height of water \_\_\_\_\_

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**Abandonment Plans**

Include plans of when and how the well will be plugged upon abandonment.

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In conformity with Section 86-187 and 86-188 of the Municipal Code of the City of Minden, Nebraska:

All the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance, as revised, and other applicable ordinances and statutory provisions, in so far as they shall apply to the design, erection, location, and use of the well described above (including electrical, sewer, plumbing, and concrete work regulations) will be strictly complied with.

I hereby certify that all statements herein above contained are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and hereby apply for a Water Well permit for the property above described. This permit is to be void unless construction be started within 180 days from this date and completed within a reasonable time thereafter.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner Property Owner

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For Office Use only:

City Council Action Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_

Permit Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

City Administrator

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

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## The Code of the City of Minden

### Sec. 86-187. Drilling

(a) *Water well construction.* No person shall drill any water well within the corporate limits of the city within 300 feet of an established water main which has been placed in service by the city, unless a permit therefore has been issued by a three-fourths vote of the city council. Wells shall be drilled in accordance with the city's current standards for water well construction.

(b) *Distance requirements.* In order to protect the municipal potable water supply, the following distances from a well shall be enforced:

Category	Distance	
	Feet	Meters
Nonpotable water well	1,000	300
Sewage lagoon	1,000	300
Absorption or disposal field for waste	500	150
Cesspool	500	150
Dump	500	150
Feedlot or feedlot runoff	500	150
Corral	500	150
Pit Toilet	500	150
Sanitary landfill	500	150
Chemical or petroleum product	500	150
Septic tank	500	150
Sewage treatment plant	500	150
Sewage wet well	500	150
Sanitary sewer connection	100	30
Sanitary sewer manhole	100	30
Sanitary sewer line	50	15
Sanitary sewer line (permanently water tight)	10	3

When surface runoff or underground movement from potential sources of contamination may adversely affect the quality of water from such supplies, the distance separating these potential sources of contamination and the well or spring should be greater than that listed in the above schedule.

(Ord. No. 993, sub.sec. 1, 9-6-94)