

STATE OF COLORADO
OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION
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WELL PERMIT INFORMATION, PERMITS APPROVED PURSUANT TO CRS 37-90-111(1)(c)

FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF AN EXISTING WELL

PLEASE NOTE CAREFULLY THE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ON THE ATTACHED COPY OF YOUR PERMIT. THE CONDITIONS MUST BE COMPLIED WITH IN ORDER FOR THE PERMIT TO BE VALID.

THE ISSUANCE OF THIS PERMIT DOES NOT CONFER A FINAL WATER RIGHT
OR APPROVE ANY CHANGE OF A WATER RIGHT.

THE WELL CONSTRUCTION AND PUMP INSTALLATION WORK MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION DATE OF THE PERMIT.

THE PERMIT EXPIRATION DATE IS ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE ISSUED. The well must be constructed, and the pump installed, prior to the expiration date of the permit. Evidence of well construction and pump installation must be submitted to this office in the form of a well construction report and the pump installation report from the respective contractors showing that construction and pump installation was completed prior to the expiration date of the well permit. The well permit number is located in the upper right hand corner of the permit, and the expiration date is located in the lower right hand corner. The expiration date of the permit may be **extended once for a maximum time of one year** at the discretion of the Commission for good cause shown. If an extension of time is necessary to construct the well, a Request for Extension of Well Permit Expiration Date, form GWS-64, must be filed with this office **prior to the permit expiration date**. The request must be received with a \$60 filing fee and must state why the well has not been completed, must include an estimate of time required to complete the well, and must specify the length of extension you desire, not to exceed one year.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING WELL CONSTRUCTION AND WELL ABANDONMENT REGULATIONS ARE FOUND ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS SHEET.

THE WELL MUST BE CONSTRUCTED AND THE PUMP INSTALLED BY CONTRACTORS WITH CURRENT LICENSE(S) ISSUED BY THE STATE OF COLORADO unless exempted as described on the reverse side. The well construction and pump installation reports must be submitted to the office of the State Engineer within sixty (60) days of completion of the work or within seven days after the expiration date of the permit, whichever is earlier. Your contractor must provide you with a copy of the work report(s) he has filed with the State Engineer. The Well Construction and Test Report, form GWS-31, and the Pump Installation and Test Report, form GWS-32, are available from the Division of Water Resources offices or from www.water.state.co.us.

You have been provided with at least two copies of the well permit. The owner's copy is for your permanent well record. The second copy is for the pump installation contractor. Permit copies have also been provided to the contractor indicated in the application. You may make additional copies of your permit copy for a well construction contractor if you select a contractor different than the one indicated in your application. **DO NOT GIVE YOUR "OWNER'S COPY" TO THE CONTRACTOR .**

The original permit is on file in the Denver Office Records Section. Additional copies may be obtained from the Records Section, subject to copy fees. Any change of ownership of a registered or permitted well must be reported to the State Engineer by the **new owner** on a "Change in Ownership/Address", form GWS-11.

If you have questions, call the Ground Water Information Desk at 303-866-3587 or contact the Ground Water Commission Staff in the Denver Office.

THE WELL MUST BE CONSTRUCTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION RULES - unless approval of a variance has been granted by the State Board of Examiners of Water Well Construction and Pump Installation Contractors.

WELLS TO BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED MUST BE PLUGGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 16 OF THE WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION RULES. A Well Abandonment Report, Form Number GWS-9, must be submitted to confirm the plugging and sealing of the well. This form is available from our offices.

WELL CONSTRUCTION AND PUMP INSTALLATION BY THE WELL OWNER. You may be allowed to construct the well and/or install the pump yourself if the well is entirely for your own use, is on property you own, and is constructed and/or pump equipment is installed with equipment owned and operated by you. **It will be your responsibility** to complete and submit the Well Construction and Test Report, Form Number GWS-31 and/or the Pump Installation and Test Report, Form Number GWS-32. These forms are available from our offices. The well must be constructed and the pump installed in accordance with the Water Well Construction Rules.

THE WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION RULES, 2 CCR 402-2, ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE RECORDS SECTION OF THE DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES (DENVER OFFICE) OR FROM www.water.state.co.us. The rules cover minimum well construction and pump installation standards, disinfection requirements, well plugging standards and contractor licensing regulations. If you are constructing your own well or installing your own pumping equipment, it is recommended that you obtain a copy of these rules for reference.