RETURN SIGNED APPLICATION TO: 8174 HWY 87 N SAN ANGELO TEXAS 76901 OR FAX (325)658-2962

CRWC COMMERCIAL APPLICATION

NAME OF COMMERCIAL APPLICANT	
DATE APPLIED	
DATE DESIRED	
BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER	
FEDERAL LICENSE NUMBER	
WORK NUMBER	
EMERGENCY CELL NUMBER	
HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A CRWC CUSTOME	ER?NO
IF YES, AT WHAT ADDRESS?(STREET	,CITY,STATE,ZIP)
SERVICE ADDRESS	(Street)
	(City,State,Zip)
BILLING ADDRESS	(Street)
(If Different)	(Street,City,Zip)
BUYING LAND FROM	ADDRESS & PHONE
PROOF OF OWNERSHIP PROVIDED BY: LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	
LEASING LAND FROM	ADDRESS & PHONE

Application Received by

Dep. Amt.
____CK#___

Connect Amt
____CK#__

Tap Amt
____CK#__

Guaranteed by:

FOR OFFICE USE

DESIRED WATER METER SIZE WILL BE A 3/4" BY 5/8" UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

The district agrees to sell and deliver water to the Customer and Customer agrees to purchase and receive water from the District in accordance with the rules and regulations of the District as included approved rates on the file with TCEQ and the District. All water will be measured by meters which are furnished, installed, owned and maintained by the District. The meter and/or connection are for the sole use of the Customer to serve water to one dwelling, business or property. The customer shall not share, resell, or sub meter water to any other dwellings, etc. without the specific written authorization of the District and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

PURPOSE: Concho Rural Water Corp (CRWC) is responsible for protecting the drinking water supply from contamination or pollution which could result from improper private water distribution system construction or configuration and for providing water service in accordance with TCEQ rules and regulations. This service agreement is intended to notify each applicant of applicable plumbing restrictions to protect the public"s health and welfare and to establish the terms under which retail water service will be provided.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN CRWC AND APPLICANT/CUSTOMER:

A. Each applicant must sign this agreement before CRWC will begin water service. In addition, when service to an existing

connection has been suspended or terminated, CRWC will not reestablish service unless it has a signed copy of this agreement from the customer seeking to be reconnected and the customer has met all other lawful conditions required for restoration on utility service.

- **B.** CRWC agrees to sell and deliver water to the applicant/customer and the applicant/customer agrees to purchase and receive water from CRWC accordance with the rules and regulations of CRWC in its approved tariff on file with the TCEQ. Chapter 291 Regulations of TCEQ.
- C. The applicant/customer grants CRWC the right to install the water meter and the pipe and appurtenances necessary to connect the meter on the property of the applicant/customer at a point mutually agreeable times to CRWC and the applicant/customer. The applicant/customer will allow CRWC access at all reasonable times to it property and equipment located upon the applicant/customer's premises for the purpose of reading the water meter, repairing or replacing existing facilities.
- **D.** The applicant/customer will install, at his own expense, a service line from the water meter including a cutoff valve on the applicant/customer's side of the meter. The applicant/customer will be responsible for the maintenance and repair of this service line and will hold CRWC harmless from any claims/demands for damage to real or personal occurring beyond the point the applicant/customer connects to the water meter.
- E. If the applicant/customer's property does not have a designated easement, the applicant/customer agrees to grant CRWC an easement/right of way for the purpose of installing, maintaining and operating such pipe lines, meter valves and any other equipment which may be deemed necessary for the provision of the utility and service to that applicant/customer. CRWC will restore the applicant/customer property as nearly as possible to its original condition after installations or repair. The applicant/customer agrees not to interfere with CRWC's employees in the discharge of their duties. The applicant/customer agrees not to tamper with or interfere with any of the equipment installed on the applicant/customer's premises.
- **F.** Applicants for the water service where service has not been previously provided must submit a complete Customer Service Inspection certificate signed by a licensed inspector within 30 days after service is initiated to certify that there are no cross connections or other potential sources of contamination. Failure to summit the complete form is grounds for termination of service.
- **G.** The applicant/customer shall grant CRWC access to his property during regular business hours to check the applicant/customer's facility for illegal connections, unsafe plumbing practices, or cross connections in compliance with the Chapter290-Regulations of the TCEQ when there is reason to believe that cross connections or other potential contamination hazards exist, or after any alterations to the applicant/customer's plumbing system.
- **H.** If CRWC notifies a customer in writing of any cross-connection or a potential contamination hazard; the customer shall immediately remove or adequately isolate any cross-connections or potential contamination hazards. If a applicant/customer chooses to isolate a potential hazard, the applicant/customer shall at their expense, properly install, test, and maintain a backflow prevention device required by CRWC. Copies of all required testing and maintenance records shall be provided to CRWC for TCEO review.
- I. No application, agreement, or contract for service may be assigned or transferred without written consent of CRWC.
- J. Enforcement: If the applicant/customer fails to comply with the terms of the Service Agreement, CRWC may terminate service in accordance with the Chapter 291 TCEQ Rules. If the customer violates the "RESTRICTIONS" below or if there are potential cross connections or other potential contamination hazards that the customer refuse to immediately remove or adequately isolate, CRWC, at its option, may terminate service or install, test and maintain a back-flow prevention device at the service connection. Any cost associated with the installation, testing or maintenance of back-flow device must be paid by the applicant/customer.
- **K.** All water will be measured and billed by meters, furnished, installed, owned maintained by CRWC. The meter and/or connection are for the sole use of the applicant/customer to serve water to one dwelling, business or property. The applicant/customer <u>shall not share, resell, or sub-meter</u> to another dwelling, business, property, etc. without the specific written authorization of CRWC and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. All meters and water lines and other equipment furnished by CRWC (excepting the applicant/customer's individual service line from the point of connection to the applicant/customer's point of ultimate use) are and shall remain the sole property of CRWC. All taps charges are for the privilege of receiving retail service from CRWC, not purchase of meters or lines.
- **RESTRICTIONS:** The following unacceptable practices are prohibited by CRWC and Chapter 290. TCEQ regulations. **A.** 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 air-gap or an appropriate back-flow prevention device.
- **B.** No cross connection between the public drinking water supply and 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 back-flow prevention device.
- C. NO connection, which flows water to be returned to the public-drinking water supply, is permitted.
- **D.** No pipe or pipe-fitting which contains more than 0.25% lead may be used for the installation or repair of plumbing at any connection, which provides water to 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.

COMMERCIAL CUSTOMER: Commercial customers must comply with the rules and regulations listed on this application in addition to the following: All Commercial Customers must have a back-flow device located within 5 feet of the water meter. This back-flow device must be checked annually by a licensed Back-flow Prevention Assembly Tester registered with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. Results must be sent to the District. All fees are at the customers expense. Commercial Users shall not truck, haul or pipe water from the premises for any reason. Also, the water cannot be used to wash trucks, buildings, equipment or used for dust control on the premises. This water shall be used for human consumption only which includes washing hands and restrooms. Exceptions to these restrictions must be in writing and submitted to the water board for review.

LIMITATION OF PRODUCT/SERVICE LIABILITY: Public water utilities are required to deliver water to the customer's side of the meter or service connection which meets potability and pressure standards of TCEQ. CRWC will not be damaged by disruption of or fluctuations in water service whatever the cause. CRWC will not accept liability for injures or damages to persons or property due to disruption of water service caused by (1) acts of God (2) acts of third parties not subject to the control of the Utility if the Utility has undertaken such preventive measures as are required by TCEQ rules.(3) electrical power failures, or(4) termination of water service pursuant to its tariff and TCEQ rules.

FIRE PROTECTION: CRWC is not required by law and does not provide fire protection or firefighting services and does not accept liability for fire-related injuries or damages to persons or properties caused or aggravated by the availability (or lack thereof) of water or water pressure (or lack thereof) during fire emergencies. CRWC may (but is not required to) contract with individual applicants to provide water service capacities to their properties in excess of the TCEQ's domestic water system regulations so that such water volumes and additional service capacities shall be provided only in response to and according to plans and specifications prepared by the applicant's professional engineer. CRWC does not profess state, warrant, guarantee, or imply that such additional water service capability is compliant with any state or local fire code or is adequate or sufficient for firefighting.

The applicant has been shown a copy of the District's approved rates and agrees to pay the rates and abide by the requirements of the application including the Drought Contingency Plan.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Email Address