

#### **RULE 7.4. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PERMITS.**

1. Each original application for a drilling permit, historic use permit, operating permit, transport permit, permit review or renewal, or permit amendment shall be on the form or forms required by the District. The forms will be furnished to the applicant upon request.
2. All permits are granted in accordance with the rules, and acceptance of a permit constitutes an acknowledgment of receipt of the rules and agreement that the permit holder will comply with all of the rules.
3. The application for a permit shall be in writing and sworn to.
4. The following shall be included in the permit application:
  - a. the name and mailing address of the applicant and the owner of the land on which the well is or will be located;
  - b. documentation establishing ownership of the land on which the well is or will be located; and, if the applicant is other than the owner of the property or if the water rights have been sold or leased, documentation establishing the applicable authority to construct and operate a well on such property for the proposed use; the documentation must be one or more documents recorded in the real property records of the County in which the land is located;
  - c. a statement of the nature and purpose of the proposed use and the amount of groundwater to be used for each purpose, including, as applicable, any proposed conjunctive use, including, for amendments, a description of the requested change in each of such uses or amounts;
  - d. a water conservation plan or a declaration that the applicant will comply with the management plan;
  - e. the proposed location of each well and the maximum rate at which groundwater is proposed to be withdrawn, accompanied by a map showing the location of the well and the property owned or controlled by the applicant for the production of water;
  - f. a water well closure plan or a declaration that the applicant will comply with well plugging guidelines and report closure to the District;
  - g. a drought contingency plan;
  - h. a statement by the applicant that the groundwater withdrawn under the permit will be put to beneficial use at all times;
  - i. the location of the use of the groundwater from the well;

- j. the aquifer and formation from which the applicant intends to produce groundwater;
- k. the total acreage that overlies the aquifer and formation listed under (j) above, from which the applicant has the right to produce groundwater; and
- l. the total number of acres that overlies the aquifer and formation listed under (j) above and that is contiguous to the well(s) listed and located under (e) above.  
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5.Payment by the permittee of the appropriate application fee.

6.An application may be rejected as not administratively complete if the District finds that substantive information required by the permit application pursuant to 7.4.4 above is missing, false, or incorrect.

7.An application will be considered administratively complete if it complies with all requirements set forth under this Rule 7.4, includes all information required to be included in the application, and is accompanied by the required application fee.

8.The general manager shall make the determination of administrative completeness.

\*\*\*\*Possible additions to this section from Intera:

Additional permit requirements exist for wells that are permitted with a maximum pumping rate that equals or exceeds 500 gpm. One requirement is predictions of pumping impacts on water levels over the next 30 years in existing wells that are located within a radial distance of 2 miles of the newly permitted well. The predictions will be based on the newly permitted well pumping its fully permitted amount. If a MAG exists for the pumped aquifer, then the predictions will include results using the Groundwater Availability Model run used to establish the MAG for the aquifer. Other requirements include that within 60 days of completing the well installation, the well owner will submit:

- b.Results from a 24-hour constant-rate aquifer pumping test that is conducted at a rate no less than the 90% of the requested maximum pumping rate. The data will be collected by a transducer at time periods not greater than 30 minutes and the data will be analyzed to produce a value for aquifer transmissivity.
- c.Geophysical log that includes resistivity/induction, gamma-gamma, and

spontaneous potential surveys

A water quality analysis of total dissolved solids (TDS) and major ions from a sampling event that occurs within 30 days of the well installation.