Application for Water Service

Applications are accepted from <u>Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm</u>. Please fill out and bring the completed application to the office.

- 1. Only the property owner may fill out the application.
- 2. We will need a copy of the deed to show proof of ownership.
- 3. Please read and sign the Service Agreement.
- 4. We will need for you to attain 1 permit from the Hidalgo County Planning Dept., (956) 318-2840, located at 1304 S. 25th St., Edinburg, if you live outside city limits and have septic tanks. If you live within the city limits, the city you pertain to will provide you with the permits. If you live in Willacy County we will need a building permit from the Willacy County Courthouse annex building in Raymondville. For more information please call the county inspector at (956) 689-3393. In Cameron County, you will need to attain 1 permit from the Cameron County Environmental Health Department, Jesse Silva (956-247-3606) or Richard Castillo (956-247-3604).
- 5. Place a stake on your property where you want the water meter. The stake should be at least 3 feet high with your name painted on the stake. Wherever you place the stake, is where we will set the meter. If you ever have to move the meter, you will have to pay for relocating the meter.
 - Keep in mind that we will need access to the meter at all times. Fences, dogs, and driveways must be considered before placing the stake on your property. If you are planning to build a fence, you must build the fence allowing access to the meter. If you already have a fence, you must fix the fence in a way our repair and meter departments have access to the meter. Keeping meter box free of litter is your responsibility. Do not tie your dog close to the meter.
- 6. If you do not live in a subdivision, please use the map diagram on the application to indicate the nearest crossroads where you live.
- 7. If you have water related medical emergency, please furnish a proof document signed by a physician stating the water-related emergency.
- 8. If the Developer of your subdivision has given you a pre-paid letter we will need it for our files. The letter will replace the amount of your membership and the customer only pays the inspection.
- 9. Please provide us with a copy of your **picture ID** or **Drivers License**.
- 10. Please sign and date at the bottom once you have read and understood the above mentioned.

Applicant's Signature

Date

New Accts. Rep.

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| | Edinburg, Tx 78542 383-1618 | | | _ND |
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| Date: | _ | | | |
| Property owner(s): | S | pouse | | |
| Home Phone # () | Work Phone # (|) | | |
| Driver's License # | Driver's Lice | nse # | | |
| Marital | Status: Single () Married () | _) Widowed (| () | |
| Mailing Address: | | | | |
| City: | State Zip C | ode | | |
| Number in family | | | | |
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| Will the water be for residen | tial or commercial use? | | | |
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| Subdivision Name: | | Lot # | Blk | # |
| Name of Road: | | | | |
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| This institution is an equal opportunity provider, and employer. |
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| Have you previously received water service from North Alamo Water Supply Corporation (NAWSC), if so, |
| under your name or another persons name? |
| If yes, please list below all names and account numbers. |
| Name:Name:Name: |
| Acct #Acct #Acct # |
| Do you understand and agree that once the Board of Directors of NAWSC has accepted your application for membership and a water meter has been installed by NAWSC for your use, the monthly minimum and usage fee will commence and you as the member will be responsible for it's payment to NAWSC regardless of whether or not water is used or whether or not plumbing is connected to members side of the meter? YesNo |
| Do you understand and agree that you as the NAWSC member are responsible for all charges to the membership account regardless of who used the water? YesNo |
| Do you understand and agree the Board of Directors of NAWSC has the authority and responsibility of fixing the charges and fees to cover the costs and provide funds to meet legal obligations of NAWSC? YesNo |
| Do you understand and agree the service agreement authorizes access of the NAWSC to the meter located on your property and assumes you will comply with the laws Texas and the Texas Department of Health regarding your use of the water service? YesNo |

Do you understand and agree that some time in the future, NAWSC may require a right-of-way easement over and across your property for the purpose of installing potable water facilities and your refusal to grant such easement of such form, as may be required by NAWSC, will result in discontinuance of your water service and cancellation of your NAWSC membership?

Yes_____ No_____

Do you acknowledge that you must maintain in compliance with all applicable local governmental Ordinances or regulations, including but not limited to ordinances or regulations relating to the regulations of subdivisions, and that your failure to comply, may result in the termination of the water service to you? Yes No

Do you understand that there are no exemptions for a service charge, due to a trip that a serviceman or service made?

Yes_____No_____

Applicant's Signature

Date

North Alamo Water Supply Corporation Service Agreement

| AGREEMEN | T made | on this _ | | day | of | | | , | 20 | | betwee | en N | orth A | lamo | Water | Supply Corpor | atio | on, a |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----|------|----|-----|-------|----|-------|---|--------|------|--------|------|-------|---------------|------|-------|
| Corporation | organized | under | the | laws | of | the | State | of | Texas | (| here | in | after | call | The | Corporation |) | and |

The Corporation agrees to sell and deliver water to the Member and Member agrees to purchase and receive water from the Corporation, for general farm use and domestic purposes, in accordance with the bylaws and rules of the Corporation as amended from time to time by the Corporation's Board of Directors.

The member shall pay the Corporation for service hereunder at the rates and upon the terms and conditions set forth in the rate schedule adopted from time to time by Corporation's Board of Directors

The Board of Directors shall have the authority to cancel the membership of any member in the event of nonpayment of any water charges or assessments owing by said member within thirty (30) days after demand for payment by mail, properly addressed to such delinquent member.

All water shall be metered by Water Meters furnished and installed by the Corporation.

In the event the total water supply shall be insufficient to meet all the needs of the Members, or in the event there is a shortage of water, the Corporation may pro-rate the water available among the various Members on such basis as is deemed suitable by the Board Of Director, and may also prescribe a Schedule of hours covering the use of water for any purposes by particular Members and require adherence thereto or prohibit the use of water for any purposes; provided that, if at any time the total water supply by insufficient to meet all the needs of all the members the Corporation must first satisfy all the needs of all Members for domestic purposes before supplying any water for livestock purposes.

The member shall allow his property to be inspected for possible cross-connections and other potential contamination hazards. These inspections shall be conducted by the Corporation or its designated agent prior to initiating new water service; when there is reason to believe that cross-connections or other potential contamination hazards exist; or after any major changes to the water distribution. 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. No connection which allows water to be returned to the public drinking water supply is permitted. No pipe or pipe fitting which contains more than 25.0% lead may be used for the installation or repair of plumbing at any connection which provides water for human use. 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.

The Member shall install and maintain at his own expense a service line from the meter to the point of use.

The Member shall hold the Corporation harmless from any and all claims or demands for damages to real-estate or personal property occurring from the point of Member ties on to the Corporation meter to the final destination of the line installed by Member. The Member agrees to grant to the Corporation an easement of right-of-way for the purpose of installing, maintaining, and operating such pipelines, meter valves and any other such equipment which may be deemed necessary for the Corporation on such form as is required by the Corporation. Failure to provide such requested easements may result in the termination of water service.

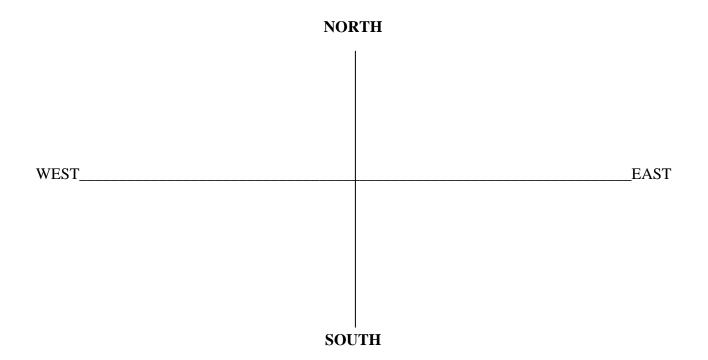
The Corporation shall have the right to locate a water service meter and pipe, necessary to connect the meter on the property of the Member at a point to be chosen by the Corporation and shall have access to its property on the Member's premises at all time for any purpose connected with or in the furtherance of its business operations, and on discontinuance of service shall have the right to remove any of its property from the Members premises.

If the customer fails to comply with the terms of the Service Agreement, the Corporation may at its option, either 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.

| Member signature | Co-Owner/Spouse |
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*** PLEASE STAKE METER LOCATION WITH NAME ON STAKE*** STAKE SHOULD BE AT LEAST 3 FEET HIGH.

Make map showing closest crossroads.



INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

The Texas Legislature has enacted a bill, which was effective September 1, 1993, allowing publicly-owned utilities to give their customers the option of making the customer's address, telephone number, and social security number confidential.

IS THERE A CHARGE FOR THIS SERVICE?

Yes. There is a one-time charge of \$1.00 to cover the cost of set-up and implementation order for \$1.00 to:

North Alamo Water Supply Corporation 420 South Doolittle Road Edinburg, TX 78539

Your response is not necessary if you do not want this service.

WE MUST STILL PROVIDE THIS INFORMATION UNDER LAW TO CERTAIN PERSONS. We must still provide this information to (1) an official or employee of the state or a political subdivision of the state, or the federal government acting in an official capacity; (2) an employee of a utility acting in connection with the employee's duties; (3) an consumer reporting agency; (4) a contractor or subcontractor approved by and providing services to the utility or to the state, a political subdivision of the state, the federal government, or an agency of the state or federal government; (5) a person for whom the customer has contractually waived confidentiality for personal information; or (6) another entity that provides water, wastewater, sewer, gas, garbage, electricity, or drainage service for compensation.

Detach and Return This Section

Need all information and signature

Yes, I want you to make my personal information (address, telephone number, and social security number) confidential. I have enclosed my payment of \$1.00 for this service.

Name of Account HolderAccount NumberAddressArea Code/TelephoneCityStateZip CodeStateStateSignature

Cash Received

| \$100 Bills | Quarter Rolls | |
|-------------|---------------|---|
| \$50 Bills | Dime Rolls | |
| \$20 Bills | Nickel Rolls | |
| \$10 Bills | Penny Rolls | |
| \$5 Bills | Loose Change | |
| \$1 Bills | | |
| Total | | _ |