

## WELCOME TO HARRIS COUNTY MUD #281

When applying for water service in Harris County MUD #281 you will need to complete the attached Application for Service and bring it in or overnight it to our office located at 17707 Old Louetta Rd., Houston, TX 77070 along with the following:

If you purchased the property:

- Proof of purchase ie: Closing Disclosure or Settlement Statement
- Picture ID
- A check or money order in the amount of \$165.00 (\$125.00 deposit + \$40.00 application fee) payable to Harris County MUD #281

If you are leasing the property:

- A copy of your Lease Agreement
- Picture ID
- A check or money order in the amount of \$190.00 (\$150.00 deposit + \$40.00 application fee) payable to Harris County MUD #281

- All of the aforementioned documentation must be received in order for service connection to take place.

- Incomplete or emailed information will not be processed.

- Service connection is a next business day service. Connection takes place Monday – Friday between the hours of 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

We look forward to serving you. Should you ever need assistance please contact our office at 281-376-8802. Have a great day!

# HARRIS COUNTY MUD #281 APPLICATION FOR SERVICE

TODAY'S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ REQUESTED SERVICE DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

RENT [ ] OWN [ ] PROPERTY MANAGEMENT [ ]

DOES THE HOME HAVE A POOL OR IRRIGATION SYSTEM? YES [ ] NO [ ]

APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST

CO-APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST

SERVICE ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

BILLING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICANT SOCIAL SECURITY # (last 4 digits): XXX-XX- ID/DL # \_\_\_\_\_

CO-APPLICANT SOCIAL SECURITY # (last 4 digits): XXX-XX- ID/DL # \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_ ALT PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYMENT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

### **PURCHASE/LEASE PROPERTY:**

MORTGAGE CO./LANDLORD NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that, my home, or the home under my care, will be prepared to have the water turned on, as requested, on the date of service noted above. All faucets, washer connections and outside faucets will be off. I understand that neither, Harris County MUD #281, or its management personnel are responsible for any damage(s) resulting from the fulfillment of my request.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### **OFFICE USE ONLY:**

DEPOSIT AMOUNT: \$ _____	APPLICATION FEE AMOUNT: \$ _____	DATE COLLECTED: _____
ACCOUNT # _____	CHECK/ MONEY ORDER #: _____	
SERVICE ORDER CREATED: _____	READING: _____	
ENTERED IN COMPUTER: _____	DAYS BILLED: _____	

**Harris County MUD #281**

**P.O. Box 1627**

**Spring, Texas 77383**

**SERVICE AGREEMENT**

**I. PURPOSE.** Harris County MUD #281(hereinafter referred to as the "District") is responsible for protecting the drinking water supply from contamination or pollution, which could result from improper plumbing practices. The purpose of this Service Agreement is to notify each customer of the plumbing restrictions, which are in place to provide this protection. The District enforces these restrictions to ensure the public health and welfare. Each customer must sign this agreement before the District will begin service.

**II. PLUMBING RESTRICTIONS.** The following unacceptable plumbing practices are prohibited by State 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 an air-gap or an appropriate backflow prevention device.

B. No cross-connection between the public drinking water supply and a 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 backflow prevention device.

C. No connection which allows 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 for 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.

**III. SERVICE AGREEMENT.** The following are the terms of the Service Agreement between the District and the undersigned Customer (the "Customer"):

A. The District will maintain a copy of this agreement as long as the Customer and/or the premises is connected to the District's water system.

B. The Customer shall allow his property to be inspected for possible cross-connections and other unacceptable plumbing practices. These inspections may 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 unacceptable plumbing practices exist; or after any major changes to the private plumbing facilities. The inspections shall be conducted during the Corporation's normal business hours.

C. The District shall notify the Customer in writing of any cross-connection or other unacceptable plumbing practice which has been identified during any inspection.

D. The Customer shall immediately correct any unacceptable plumbing practice on his premises.

E. The District shall, at the owner's expense, properly install, test, and maintain any backflow prevention device required by the District. Copies of all testing and maintenance records shall be provided to the owner.

**IV. Enforcement.** If the Customer fails to comply with the terms of this Service Agreement, the District shall terminate service. Any expenses associated with the enforcement of this Service Agreement shall be billed to the Customer.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Customer's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Customer's name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Service address: \_\_\_\_\_