



Westlake Watershed District

"Local People Working Together to Conserve and Enhance Local Resources"

Abandoned Well Capping Application

Date: _____

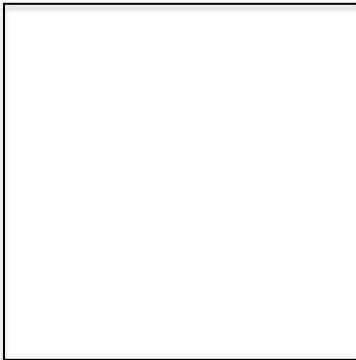
Name of Applicant: _____ Phone # _____

Address: _____

Legal Description of Project: Quarter _____ Sec. _____ Twp. _____ Range _____

Type of Well: Crib _____ Steel Casing _____ Stone _____ Concrete _____

Diameter Size of Well _____ Depth of Well _____



Comments: _____

Project Diagram (Appendix A):
Draw well location, adjacent
buildings, and infrastructure such
as hydro lines, telephone lines, etc.

Objective: To assist landowners in sealing wells that are not currently being used. The sealing of abandoned wells eliminates a hazard to people, livestock and equipment and significantly helps to protect water quality for the future.

Eligibility: Any known and identified abandoned well within the Westlake Watershed District is eligible under this program, upon written application. ***Flowing or artesian wells are generally not considered under this program.***

Assistance: Funding for approved projects is provided by the Westlake Watershed District, up to the amount of \$1,500.00. Applicant to cover any remaining cost.



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General Information

- Information gathered in this program will be used to identify well sites, aquifers, etc. for future use.
- Annual projects under this program will be ***subject to available funding***. All projects must be approved by Westlake Watershed District prior to construction. Westlake Watershed District will cover up to \$1,500 of the cost to seal the abandon well. Any outstanding amount is to be covered by the applicant.
- The Westlake Watershed District shall determine application priorities in consultation with project facilitator and staff.
- Engineering and technical service for project design and construction will be subject to the availability of funding and/or staff.

Agreement

The Westlake Watershed District shall:

- Arrange for the sealing contractor for excavation.
- Cover up to \$1,500 of the cost attributed to the project.
- Reserve the right to reasonable access to project sites for the purpose of inspection and sealing.

The landowner shall:

- Provide consent of entry for inspection, survey and construction.
- Not alter, remove or modify the project without the written consent of the Westlake Watershed District.
- Indemnify the Westlake Watershed District from and against all actions, claims, suits, demands, damages, liability, and expenses in connections with any matter resulting directly or indirectly from activities undertaken for the purposes of this agreement or any other purpose. Failure to comply with any of the said terms and conditions may negate the Landowner's eligibility to participate in further Westlake Watershed District programs.

I hereby declare that I have read, understand and agree with the conditions of this program, and I further agree to fully cooperate with the Westlake Watershed District in the completing and maintaining of the project as outlined.

The agreement is made effective this _____ day of _____.

Landowner's Signature