

**Well Permit Application**  
Pierce County Planning & Codes  
312 Nichols Street, Suite 5, Blackshear, GA 31516  
912.449.2022    912.449.2024 fax

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT SERVICES**

Subdivision: \_\_\_\_\_ Parcel: \_\_\_\_\_ Lot: \_\_\_\_\_  
Well Site: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Well Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

Well permit fee \$70

**Pierce County Board of Health Safe Drinking Water Supply Program**

No person may install or repair a semi-public water supply nor install a private water well supply unless he or she is a licensed well contractor in accordance with the Water Well Standards Act of 1985, O.C.G.A. Sections 12-5-120 *et seq.*

According to the Water Well Standards Act of 1985, all new wells must be located at least the following distances from the following structures:

- Sewer Line: 10 Feet Away**
- Septic Tank: 50 Feet Away**
- Septic Tank Absorption Field: 100 Feet Away**
- Cesspool or Seepage Pit: 150 Feet Away**
- Animal or Fowl Enclosure: 100 Feet Away**

A coliform test performed by an approved lab shall be required upon completion of construction and following disinfection of the system. The sample results must be satisfactory before final construction can be approved.

DHR Drinking Water Supply Rules Chapter 290-5-55-.03(4)

Sampling of unapproved or non-complying wells shall be at the Health Authority's discretion.

DHR Drinking Water Supply Rules Chapter 290-5-55-.03(5)

Please contact the Environmental Health Section of the Pierce County Health Department, (912) 449-2032, following construction and disinfection, in order to schedule a time for collection of sample. The Pierce County Board of Health's Safe Drinking Water Supply Program is an awareness campaign to prevent potential water-borne illnesses. In Georgia, water well contractors are certified by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources. For concerns regarding the construction of your well, please contact the local Environmental Protection Division [Brunswick Office (912) 264-7284].

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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ISSUED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ PERMIT: \_\_\_\_\_  
FEE:           \$70.00