

We would like to emphasize the fact that you are merely authorizing the WWTA, its contractors, and/or agents to have accessibility to your property to install the required clean-outs for your service lateral and for rehabilitation construction. Please note that you are not surrendering ownership of the property and once the rehabilitation is complete, the responsibility for maintaining your service lateral will be yours once again.

We are requesting a return reply within **ten days** of receiving the form.

Signs will be posted indicating the beginning of the program in your area. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance to the WWTA to meet the requirement of the TDEC to eliminate inflow and infiltration into the main sewer system that contributes to overflows and allows harmful pathogens to enter the creeks, streams, and waterways.

The WWTA's goal is to keep our environment clean and safe. Please do not hesitate to call (423) 209-7842 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Cleveland T. Grimes
Executive Director

Enclosures

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CONSENT AND AGREEMENT FORM

In accordance with the requirements of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), the Hamilton County Water & Wastewater Treatment Authority (WWTA) has developed procedures and regulations for a Corrective Action Plan (CAP) to establish a Maintenance, Operation, and Management (MOM) program. You are requested to participate in the Private Service Lateral Program (PSLP). All customers that are served by the gravity portion of the WWTA’s sewer system will be a part of the PSLP. This program, as required by TDEC, is designed to address inflow and infiltration (I&I) of excessive extraneous flow into the main sewer system.

A portion of the service lateral will be located on your property (**Tax ID**). By signing below you are authorizing the WWTA to have unobstructed access to your property in order to install the required clean-outs, evaluate your service lateral, and perform any necessary rehabilitation construction to your service lateral. You are not surrendering ownership of the property and once the rehabilitation is complete, the responsibility for maintaining your service lateral will be yours once again.

The WWTA will require that the land, shrubbery, fences, driveways, and walks, if any, to be restored to as near the original condition as feasible by its contractors. Any illegal connections that are being discharged through your service lateral; such as roof drains, storm water drains, foundation drains, sub-pumps, etcetera, will be disconnected from your service lateral. It is your responsibility to direct these discharges, as necessary, once they are disconnected. These illegal connections can not be reconnected to your service lateral.

The WWTA will assess a monthly \$8.00 PSLP fee whether or not you participate in this program. All collected funds will be dedicated to this program. If you decide to participate you will not be subject to the penalties as set forth in the WWTA’s “SEWER USE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEMS.”

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call (423) 209-7842.

YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES THAT YOU AGREE TO PARTICIPATE AND YOU ARE ALLOWING THE WWTA AND ITS CONTRACTORS UNOBSTRUCTED ACCESS TO YOUR PROPERTY HAVING READ THE INFORMATION ABOVE.

Subject Property

Property Owner’s Address (If Different)

Name

Name

Address

Address

City, State, Zip Code

City, State, Zip Code

Phone

Phone

Email Address

Email Address

Date

Signature of (**Property Owner 1**)

Date

Signature of (**Property Owner 2**)

BY CHECKING THIS BOX I WANT TO INDICATE THAT I WANT TO PARTICIPATE BUT I DON’T BELIEVE THAT I HAVE SEWER