



5750 Almaden Expressway
San Jose, CA 95118-3686
(408) 265-2600

WELL DESTRUCTION APPLICATION

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TO BE COMPLETED BY OWNER AND WELL DRILLER

Well Owner:	Property Owner:	Name of Business/Residence at Site:
Well Owner's Mailing Address:	Property Owner's Mailing Address:	Address of Well Site:
City, State, Zip	City, State, Zip	City, State, Zip
Telephone No.:	Telephone No.:	Assessor's Parcel No. of Well Site: Book _____ Page _____ Parcel _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Well on Valley Water property/easement (See General Condition E.)		
Consultant:	Drilling Company:	
Address:	Address:	
City, State, Zip	City, State, Zip	
Telephone No.:	Telephone No.:	C-57 License No.:
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if address or phone number has changed	<input type="checkbox"/> Check if address or phone number has changed	

► **All questions below are to be completed before permit can be issued; if unknown, applicant shall make on-site investigation to determine correct answers.**

WELL INFORMATION

Well Registration No.:	Owner/Consultant Well No.:	Original Well Construction Permit No.:
Well Casing Depth:	Total Boring Depth:	Well Casing Diameter:
This Section to Be Completed for Monitoring Wells or Extraction/Recovery Wells Where Applicable		
Case Name/No.:	Caseworker Name:	
Oversight Agency:	Caseworker Telephone No.:	

WELL TYPE/USE	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Production	<input type="checkbox"/> Monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> Remediation	<input type="checkbox"/> Dewatering
	<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Single Domestic/Household Only, No Commercial Agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Single Domestic/Household Only with Commercial Agriculture or Large Irrigation <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Public/Community Drinking Water Supply System – 25 or more persons regularly served, or 15 or more connections <input type="checkbox"/> Small Drinking Water Supply System – more than one household but less than 25 persons regularly served or fewer than 15 connections	<input type="checkbox"/> GW Level <input type="checkbox"/> GW Quality <input type="checkbox"/> Inclinator <input type="checkbox"/> Vapor <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Air Sparge <input type="checkbox"/> GW Extraction <input type="checkbox"/> Material Emplacement <input type="checkbox"/> Vapor Extraction <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary
	<input type="checkbox"/> Heat Exchange	<input type="checkbox"/> Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Cathodic Protection	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Closed Loop <input type="checkbox"/> Open	<input type="checkbox"/> Groundwater Cleanup Reinjection <input type="checkbox"/> Stormwater <input type="checkbox"/> Water Supply Recharge <input type="checkbox"/> Other		

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR WATER PRODUCING WELLS

Does the well have:	1. Outer conductor casing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	2. Annular cement seal outside of casing at surface?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	3. Valley Water water meter attached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Original Drilling Method:		

IMPORTANT: A minimum 24-hour notice must be given to Valley Water's Well Ordinance Program prior to installing the annular seal. Please call Valley Water's Well Ordinance Hotline at (408) 630-2660 to schedule an inspection. Please allow 10 working days to process permit application.



SITE PLAN

A 8½" x 11" paper site plan **must** be attached to this application, including:

1. Location of site features, including major buildings, landscaped areas, tank fields, existing wells, etc.
2. North arrow and scale
3. Location of well with dimensions in feet from well to nearest cross streets.

Please describe in detail, the proposed destruction method (Any well destruction in which the well casing is left in place and in which the well has a filter pack outside the casing, must be destroyed using approved neat cement grout):

SIGNATURES

I understand and agree that all work associated with this permit is required to be done in accordance with Santa Clara Valley Water District (Valley Water) Well Ordinance 90-1, Valley Water Well Standards, and conditions of this permit (see page 4). I certify that the information given in this permit is correct to the best of my knowledge and that the signature below, whether original, electronic, or photocopied, is authorized and valid, and is affixed with the intent to be enforceable. I also certify that a right of entry/encroachment agreement has been formalized between the well owner and property owner, if parties differ.

Signature of Well Owner/Agent:	Print Name:	Date:
Signature of Property Owner/Agent:	Print Name:	Date:
Signature of Driller/Agent:	Print Name:	Date:
Signature of Consultant/Agent (if any):	Print Name:	Date:



VALLEY WATER WELL PERMIT NO. _____

VALLEY WATER USE ONLY

Valley Water has approved the following destruction methods for the well described in this permit:

- ☐
- Pressure Grout Method (as outlined in Standards)

NOTE: Neat cement is the only sealing material approved for pressure grouting.

- ☐
- Drill out well to a total depth of _____ feet, with a minimum bore of _____ inches.

- ☐
- Clean out well casing to a total depth of _____ feet and back fill with approved sealing material (if total depth is unknown, driller must determine total depth during clean out of well). NOTE: Neat cement is the only sealing material approved for back filling gravel packed wells.

- ☐
- Well casing must be perforated at the following depths prior to backfilling: _____

- ☐
- Other: _____
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- _____
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- _____

Permit Approved by: _____

Date: _____

Valley Water Permit No.: _____

Date Issued: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Driller's Log No.: _____

Please allow 10 working days to process this application.

Based on information provided on the attached application and subject to approval noted below, permission is hereby granted to destroy the described well. Permission to start work may be withheld until a field check verifies all statements made on application by permittee and is also subject to the "General" and "Special" Conditions stated below.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- A. **The Valley Water's Well Ordinance Program (408-630-2660) must be notified a minimum of one working day before the placement of the well destruction sealing materials.** An authorized Valley Water representative must be on site to witness the destruction activities.
- B. This permit is valid only for the purpose specified herein. Well destruction methods authorized under this permit may not be changed except by written approval of an authorized Valley Water representative, and only if Valley Water believes that such a change will result in equal or superior compliance with Valley Water and State Well Standards (e.g., if Valley Water representative believes that site conditions warrant such a change).
- C. This permit is only valid for the Assessor's Parcel Number indicated on it.
- D. This permit may be voided if it contains incorrect information. If the permit is voided after work has begun, the well or boring that is being destroyed under this permit may be required to be reconstructed in accordance with Valley Water and State Well Standards.
- E. If any work associated with this permit will take place on Valley Water property/easement, an encroachment or construction permit must be granted by Valley Water's Community Projects Review Unit (telephone 408-630-2650).
- F. Within 30 days of the completion of the well destruction activities, the driller or consultant identified on this permit shall fully complete State of California DWR Form 188.
- G. The permittee(s) shall assume entire responsibility for all activities and uses under this permit and shall indemnify, defend, and hold Valley Water, its officers, agents, and employees free and harmless from any and all expense, cost, and liability in connection with or resulting from, the granting of or exercise of this permit including, but not limited to, property damage, personal injury, and wrongful death.
- H. Permittees are required to be in full compliance with Cal/OSHA California Labor Code Section 6300.
- I. A current C-57 Water Well Drilling Contractor's License is required for the destruction of all wells.
- J. Permittee, permittee's contractors, consultants, or agents shall be responsible to assure that all materials generated during drilling, well destruction, well development, pump testing, or other activities associated with this permit will be safely handled, properly managed, and disposed of according to all applicable federal, state, and local statutes regulating such. In no case shall these materials/waters be allowed to enter, or potentially enter, on- or off-site storm sewers, dry wells, or waterways. Such materials/waters shall not be allowed to move off the property where the work is being completed.
- K. The driller and consultants (if applicable) shall have an active copy of their Worker's Compensation Insurance on file with Valley Water.
- L. This permit shall expire if not exercised within one (1) calendar year of its approval.
- M. If the well approved to be destroyed under this permit is a monitoring well, associated with an investigation/cleanup overseen by a regulatory agency, the proposed well destruction must be approved by the person with regulatory authority over the investigation/cleanup.
- N. This permit must be kept on site during all activities associated with it and shall immediately be presented to an authorized Valley Water representative upon request.
- O. Permittee shall notify Underground Service Alert (USA) at 1-800-227-2600 or 811 prior to any digging.

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