



## APPLICATION FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGE

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contractor's PA# \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Work Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Sump Pump \_\_\_\_\_ Gravity Drain \_\_\_\_\_

Is this application for a new or existing system? \_\_\_\_\_

If an existing system, is piping being relocated? \_\_\_\_\_

If discharge pipe is to be installed below grade, what is the depth? \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit a Plot Plan showing the proposed location of the discharge pipe.**

**NOTE:** This permit is issued upon all work being in compliance with the specifications mandated by The New Hanover Township Storm Water Management Ordinance. A copy of the specifications, as determined by the Township Engineer, are attached to this permit. All work must be inspected by the Township Code Enforcement Officer. For inspections call (610) 323-1008, option 4. Inspections require 24 hours notice.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Contractor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Application

Permit Fee: \$50.00

Escrow: \$500.00

Any point discharge of water by either forced pumping such as a sump pump or gravity such as a pipe drain (including but not limited to roof downspouts) onto a street, sidewalk or public right of way except as provided for below.

A. New sump pump and pipe drain installations.

1. Sump pumps and pipe drains initially installed on or after July 28, 2018 require a permit issued by the Township.
2. In order to obtain a permit, for any building or structure 1,000 square feet or greater or the installation of a sump pump, the owner or occupier of a property must show compliance with the following conditions:
  - a. The sump pump or pipe drain discharge shall be directed into onto an absorbent surface such as grass, mulch, rip-rap or soil so that the discharge will be dissipated and not immediately drain to the Township right-of-way or adjacent properties. The discharge location shall be approved by the Township engineer or his designee.
  - b. The discharge location shall not create a public nuisance which is anything, condition or act which is or may become injurious or hazardous to the public, as determined by the Township.
  - c. A discharge permit shall not be issued that creates a build-up of icing, standing water or algae growth on the street, sidewalk, public right of way, or adjacent properties.
  - d. The discharge shall not be directed to adjacent property in such a manner as to cause damage to the adjacent property or create a nuisance, and shall be no closer than 20 feet from the property line.
  - e. No person shall connect, or cause or permit to be connected, any sump pump, pipe drain, floor drain, surface drain, subsoil drain or leader pipe with the house sanitary sewer, or to use the sanitary sewer connection or any pipe or drain connected therewith for the purpose of receiving and discharging drainage of any kind other than from plumbing fixtures.
  - f. Sump pump and pipe drain discharges may not be directed into a Township street or right of way unless permission is granted in writing by the Township Engineer or his designee.
  - g. The applicant for the permit must agree to allow inspection by the Township of the connections being made for the sump pump or pipe drain discharge, and allow the Township to inspect such connection(s) at any time in the future, upon reasonable notice to the owner or occupier.
  - h. The permit issued under this Section does not affect the rights and responsibilities of the permit holder in regards to claims or defenses by a neighboring property owner, and the permit shall indemnify the Township for any drainage easement disputes.



# PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Project/Subdivision/Land Development

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location of Subdivision/Land Development

I, \_\_\_\_\_,  
Name of Applicant/Owner/Developer (Print)

hereby agree and acknowledge that as applicant/owner/developer, I will be responsible for any fees incurred when plans are reviewed by Township consultants, including but not limited to, the following: Township's Solicitor, Engineer, Planner, Traffic Engineer, Township Planning Commission and/or Board of Supervisors, or any other body as maybe required by law in accordance with the fee schedule or code of New Hanover Township.

I herewith submit initial fee escrow monies in the following amount and understand that additional funds may be needed for further consultant review. I agree to replenish the required escrow within the time and amount as requested by New Hanover Township and agree to pay administrative fees in accordance with Township requirements.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant/Owner/Developer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

\_\_\_\_\_  
Accepted by New Hanover Township

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*NOTE: The person signing this Agreement will be the individual directly responsible for payment of the subject fees. Accordingly, if it is desired to assign this responsibility to another party or firm, said property or the appropriate officer of said firm must execute this document.*