



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
WATER DEPARTMENT
KATJANA BALLANTYNE
MAYOR

MARK LAWHORNE
Water Superintendent

HYDRANT PERMIT

Instructions: Applicants complete the following information.

INDIVIDUAL/COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, ST, ZIP _____

CONTACT NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

The above applicant is given permission to operate a hydrant with a city-owned meter and backflow preventer at:

LOCATION: _____ **FROM DATE:** _____ **TO DATE:** _____

Conditions of Permit:

1. **A deposit of \$2,200 and with a permit fee of \$200 is required prior to approval of this permit.** The City will supply and install a meter, backflow preventer and necessary fittings. No private appurtenances shall be used.
2. The Contractor is responsible for protecting and returning all meters, devices and fittings.
3. The City will inspect the hydrant and monitor the meter readings weekly.
4. Water usage will be billed at the end of usage period, monthly or any other interval determined by Department. Water usage charges will be subject to minimum usage billing at the end of the usage period, at the then-current commercial billing rates. **The permit fee of \$200 is not refundable.**
5. At the end of the usage period the Department will determine if there is damage to equipment and deduct such damages, along with outstanding water charges, from the deposit. Balance of deposit will be returned to Contractor.
6. **Permit may be denied or revoked for any violation of applicable laws or rules of the Water Department.**

I have read and fully understand the above terms and conditions and agree to comply fully with the rules of the Water Department. I further accept all charges for water use and damages as outlined above.

Signature of Applicant

Title

Date: _____

APPROVED BY:

Superintendent of Water Department

Date: _____

Permit Fee & Deposit Received: _____

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