APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT FOR TEMPORARY WATER SERVICE

The undersigned applicant hereby applies for temporary water service and agrees to pay for such service and abide by the "Rates and Regulations for Water Service" of Casitas Municipal Water District as such Rates and Regulations are established and/or revised from time to time. **One weeks' notice is needed to process applications after payment of fees.** Deposit funds will be applied and withheld for any damages to District facilities for which the customer is liable in accordance with the Rates and Regulations.

BILLING INFORMATION

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Billing Address: _____ City, State Zip: _____

Telephone No.: _____ Email: _____

SERVICE INFORMATION

Desired Date of Service: _____ Today's Date: _____

Location of Service: _____

Estimated Duration of Service: _____

Purpose of Temporary Service – Check all that apply:

- ☐ Irrigation/Agricultural
- ☐ Construction
- ☐ Water Hauling/Dust Control
- ☐ Sewer / Utility Flushing
- ☐ Other: _____

Downstream Connections and Equipment – Check all that apply:

- ☐ Hose(s) / Temporary Piping Only
- ☐ Private Plumbing / Irrigation System
- ☐ Water Truck / Storage Tank
- ☐ Pump / Pressure System
- ☐ Chemical Injection, Fertilizer, or Other Additive
- ☐ Other: _____

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Meter Size: 2½ inch Capacity: 300 gpm maximum

Pipeline Name: _____ Station No.: _____

District Use Only: If related to a District Capital Project, Account No. _____ **Project No.** _____

APPLICABLE FEES AND CHARGES (EFFECTIVE 9/9/2026)		
Select One:	**Fee**	**Monthly Charge**
☐ Temporary Meter Installation (Customer-Provided and Tested BPA[1])	$260.00	$225.00
☐ Temporary Meter Installation (District-Supplied BPA[2])	$360.00	$325.00
Deposit (all meters)[3]	$500.00	
Total Due with Application	$ _____	
Volumetric Charge		$5 per HCF[4]
Temporary Meter Relocation Fee		$140.00
Temporary Meter Relocation BPA Test Fee		$100.00

[1]BPA – Backflow Prevention Assembly
[2]Subject to availability, fee includes initial test
[3]Refunded if no damage to Meter
[4]HCF – Hundred Cubic Feet

The undersigned acknowledges receipt of a copy of this Application for Temporary Water Service and excerpts from Casitas' "Rates and Regulations for Water Service" dealing with Temporary Water Service and that undersigned is: 1) the Applicant for Temporary Water Service or 2) the Agent of and authorized by the Applicant to execute this Application for Temporary Water Service.

X _____

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent of Applicant

Received by Casitas:	Date:	By:	Engineering Manager
Approved by Casitas:	Date:	By:	Operations Representative
	Date:	By:	Backflow Prevention
	Date:	By:	General Manager

Account No.: _____ S/O No. _____

10 TEMPORARY WATER SERVICE

Application for temporary water service shall be made in writing on a form provided by Casitas and submitted by the customer at least three (3) business days in advance of the requested installation date. Temporary service is intended primarily for construction purposes, although it may be approved for other uses such as sanitary sewer flushing purposes or short-term agricultural use. Provision of temporary water service shall not be considered mandatory but shall be made at the sole discretion of Casitas. Temporary service will not be provided in those instances where Casitas determines that a permanent service would be more appropriate. Such determination by Casitas will be based in part upon the ultimate classification of the service to the applicant. Temporary water service may be provided for a maximum period of one year unless otherwise approved by the General Manager. A written request for extending a temporary service in excess of one year is required prior to the expiration of the original twelve months. Casitas may remove such service at any time for any reason. Temporary irrigation service shall comply with all the applicable portions of Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges, Section 14: Protection of Casitas Facilities and Water Supply, and Section 15: Water Supply and Interruption of Delivery.

10.1 INSTALLATION FEE

A meter installation fee as provided in Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges shall be paid by the applicant at the time temporary water service is requested; provided, where temporary water service is desired from an outlet other than a fire hydrant and/or special piping or other fittings are required for the connection, the installation and relocation fees shall be increased to cover the actual cost of installation. No charge shall be made to the applicant for the cost of the meter.

Where backflow protection is required, the applicant may elect, subject to District approval and available inventory, to have the District install the required backflow prevention assembly. Additional fees and charges shall apply in accordance with Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges.

The applicant may also request that the District perform the initial backflow prevention assembly test upon installation. District-performed testing is subject to staff availability and scheduling and shall be subject to the applicable fees and charges in Appendix B. If District testing is not available within the required timeframe, the applicant shall arrange for testing by a District-approved backflow prevention assembly tester before service is activated.

10.2 GUARANTEE DEPOSIT

The applicant shall be required to pay a deposit per the amount in Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges as a guarantee of payment of charges for temporary water service. If the customer is a water agency, or if the customer has established good credit to the satisfaction of Casitas as stated in Subsection 3.7: Deposit and Establishment of Credit, the deposit may be waived by Casitas' General Manager or designee. In the event the meter or Casitas facilities are damaged as a result of actions by the applicant, applicant shall reimburse the cost of replacing the damaged facilities, even if those costs exceed the deposit.

10.3 RELOCATION FEE

If a temporary water service customer requires relocation at multiple points in Casitas' system, a relocation fee per the amount in Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges shall be paid by the customer for each such change of location, the cost of which shall be accrued or paid at the time of billing. Requests for relocations must be made at least three (3) business days in advance of the relocation and requires re-installation and testing or documentation of a backflow prevention assembly or an approved air gap. All relocations are subject to approval by Casitas. Under no circumstances shall a customer relocate a temporary meter themselves.

10.4 REIMBURSABLE CASITAS FACILITIES

Temporary water or temporary irrigation service shall not be provided to property that is liable for repayment to Casitas of costs associated with financing and construction of distribution facilities to serve said property.

10.5 WATER RATES FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

Payment for all water use on the temporary meter is the customer's responsibility. The water rates and service charges for temporary service shall be in accordance with Appendix B: Schedule of Other Fees and Charges.

10.6 DISREGARD OF RATES AND REGULATIONS FOR WATER SERVICE"

Willful disregard of these Rates and Regulations for Water Service or special arrangements made for temporary service shall result in immediate discontinuance of such service and forfeiture of the deposit.

10.7 CROSS-CONNECTION PREVENTION AND BACKFLOW PROTECTION

Applications for temporary water service shall disclose all intended water uses and any site conditions that may create an actual or potential cross-connection hazard, including, without limitation, use with hoses, tanks, chemical injection, auxiliary supplies, pumps or pressure systems, or connection to private piping. The applicant shall promptly notify the District of any change in water use or site conditions not identified in the application that may affect the degree of hazard or required backflow protection. The District may require a hazard assessment prior to initiation of service and periodically thereafter during continuous service.

Unless otherwise approved in writing by the District, each temporary service connection shall be protected by a District-approved reduced pressure backflow prevention assembly or approved air gap installed downstream of the District-supplied meter. The customer/property owner shall submit all required test results and other documentation within two (2) business days after service is initiated. The District reserves the right to require more frequent testing than the standard annual testing requirement for permanent service connections. Failure to timely submit required documentation may result in discontinuation of temporary service. An applicant may request that temporary service be furnished with tested backflow protection installed by the District, subject to applicable fees and charges set forth in Appendix B, inventory availability, and District scheduling.