

LAOIS COUNTY COUNCIL



Water Connection Application Form

Form of application to make a water connection as set out below and also form of application and agreement to open road or footpath as set out on page (3), should be completed and forwarded, at least 21 days before the water supply is required, to the following appropriate area office:

Central Area Office

Mountrath Rd,
Portlaoise,
Co. Laois

057 8664168

Eastern Area Office

1, Park Lane Portarlington
or
Sleaty Rd., Graiguecullen.

057 8636533/059 9165960

Western Area Office

The Old Barracks.
The Square,
Rathdowney.

0505 48360

WORK MUST NOT COMMENCE until you receive the official consent of the County Council to make the connection.

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO MAKE WATER CONNECTION

1. Name of Applicant _____

2. Address _____ Daytime Contact No. _____

3. Situation of premises proposed to be supplied (Complete and accurate particulars should be given. **Site location map to a min. scale of 1/2500 scale should be submitted** to enable position of site or premises to be identified with regard to existing roads or buildings)

4. Type and Number
(Please tick where
appropriate)

1. Dwelling House
2. Industrial
3. Commercial

4. School or Institution
5. Agricultural
6. Others

5. Planning Reference No. _____

6. Development Charges Amount Paid: _____

Date Paid: _____
Receipt No: _____

7. Purpose for which water is required. Fill in where appropriate.

(a) Domestic _____ (b) Non-domestic _____ (c) Agricultural _____
Estimate of daily Consumption Acreage or animal numbers

8. Give particulars of type, size and number of connections required _____

I/We

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Hereby make application for a water supply as per particulars given herein and undertake and agree to pay the reasonable costs and charges of and incidental to tapping main, and I/We further agree to pay for restoring road or footpath surfaces in accordance with the current scale of charges, and in the event of the required fee being insufficient to meet such cost, I/We agree to pay you on demand such additional charges as may be determined.

And I/We further undertake that fittings, pipes, cisterns, taps and other appliances to be used for taking water from the main or using same within my premises, if not supplied by the County Council, shall be conformable to the requirements of the Council as specified in their printed rules and shall be in accordance with the pattern selected and prescribed by them from time to time, and subject to inspections by an Officer of the County Council.

Dated this.....day of.....20.....

Signature of Applicant.....

Witness: Signature

Occupation.....

Address.....

FORM OF APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT FOR PUBLIC ROAD, STREET AND FOOTPATH OPENINGS

I/We.....

hereby apply to you for consent to open up the public road/street/footpath (delete whichever does not apply) at

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for the purpose of.....

and on such consent being granted I/We do hereby covenant, promise and agree, with the Laois County Council (hereinafter called the Council) to execute such work subject to the terms and conditions following, and to complete such work within a period of..... days from the date of receipt of permission to open the road/street/footpath, the work to be carried out without stoppages.

- (1) The position and level of all proposed services shall be agreed in advance with the County Engineer.
- (2) To protect, light, watch and take every precaution against accidents and interruption of traffic from commencement of the work until completion, and to be wholly responsible during the progress of said work for the safety of the public and of all traffic of every description along the road where the work is being done.
- (3) To indemnify and hold harmless the Council from all losses, actions, claims, and demands, whatsoever of all persons whomsoever to be in any sustained or made for by reason or in consequence of said work.
- (4) The back filling of trenches in all areas shall be carried out in regular layers of not more than 150 mm of material well compacted. In paved areas material conforming with Chapter 800 of the Department of the Environment Specification for Roadworks to be used. The top 75 mm of the trench to be finished flush with existing surfacing materials conforming with Chapter 900 of the same publication. The particular Specification from Chapters 800 and 900 for each section of trench to be agreed in advance with the County Engineer. All above work to be considered as temporary restoration.
- (5) In filling trenches (except in case of grass margins) no clay or other soft material shall be used. Any road margins shall be restored to their previous condition, and if in grass the parts broken shall be sodded over.
- (6) The effectiveness of any surface water drainage system or any element thereof shall not be affected by the works. Any existing underground or overground services shall not be affected by the works.
- (7) When an opening is made for the purpose of connection with the Councils water main or sewer the work shall be done in accordance with the Councils Bye-Laws and Regulations.

(8) To carry out any direction or requirement of the Council in the execution of the said works to the satisfaction of the Council.

(9) Public Liability Insurance will be provided to the Applicant in relation to the road opening, subject to the terms, conditions and exceptions of the Councils Public Liability Policy and also subject to compliance with the Conditions outlined above and to any further condition which may be specified in the permission for road opening.

Signature of Applicant:

Signature of Witness:

Occupation of Witness:

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

1. To.....Area Engineer
Herewith Application Form dated
.....for your report.

Date:S.O. Roads

2. From Area Engineer

I recommend that permission for the above application be granted – subject to the following conditions: -

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Connection Fee	€.....
Road Opening Fee	€.....
Overheads	€.....
Insurance	€.....
TOTAL	€.....

Signed:..... Area Engineer Date:.....