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ACWD Fire Flow Test Application Form

- NOTICE -

Due to continuing efforts to conserve water supplies, ACWD is conducting fire flow tests only as needed and only when no applicable fire flow test data already exist. In some cases, existing fire flow test data pertaining to the distribution system in the vicinity of the requested flow location will be deemed applicable and will be furnished in lieu of a field fire hydrant flow test. Applicable historical fire test flow data include, but are not limited to, data which are:

- 1) In the general area of the flow test requested;
- 2) Up to 5 years old, or more in some cases;
- 3) In an area of the water distribution system that has not changed significantly since the test was conducted.

ACWD makes no representation that the data furnished is necessarily representative of the pressure or flow that can be expected at the location identified on the application.

Fire flow testing for cases in which applicable historical data is not available, will be performed using 2-1/2" nozzles of fire hydrants (no 4" nozzle fire flows). Any requests for waivers of this water conservation measure must be accompanied by a written request from the local fire department.

Each fire flow test request requires **ONE** (1) completed Fire Flow Test Application Form and **ONE** (1) check in the amount of \$247 payable to ACWD in order to be processed. Please do not submit one check as payment for multiple fire flow tests as this could delay the processing of your request. ACWD will waive the \$247 charge when providing applicable existing historical data. In the event existing historical data is provided, ACWD will not deposit your check and will return it to you upon request. If the fire flow test request **IS NOT** for a single family residential project, the applicant **MUST** provide the estimated/required total fire flow for the site in the Fire Flow Request Information section of the application.

To request a fire flow test or existing historical flow test data, deliver or mail your completed application and required check to the ACWD Engineering Department at:

ACWD
Engineering Department
43885 South Grimmer Blvd.
Fremont, CA 94538

See the instructions on the Fire Flow Test Application Form for additional information. If you have any questions or require additional information about fire hydrant flow testing, please contact Jose Rodriguez at (510) 668-4419 or jose.rodriguez@acwd.com.



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| FOR ACWD USE | | Initials |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Payment Received | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Test Completed | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Provided Existing Data | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | To Finance Acct. No. 11.6564 | _____ |

FIRE FLOW TEST APPLICATION FORM

SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION, ALONG WITH A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$247.00, PAYABLE TO ALAMEDA COUNTY WATER DISTRICT, TO THE ADDRESS ABOVE. PLEASE ATTENTION YOUR ENVELOPE TO THE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT. COMPLETE ONE (1) FORM FOR EACH FLOW TEST REQUESTED.

Note: Leaving any empty fields in the the Applicant Contact Information or Fire Flow Request Information sections below could delay your fire flow test results.

APPLICANT CONTACT INFORMATION

Request Date: _____
Contact Name: _____
Company Name: _____
Mailing Address: Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: ___ Zip Code: _____
Contact Phone Number: () _____ Ext. _____
Mobile Phone Number: () _____
Facsimile (Fax) Number: () _____
E-Mail: _____

I would like to receive the results of the test (check all that apply):
 By Standard Mail (default)
 By Fax
 By E-Mail

FIRE FLOW REQUEST INFORMATION

Requested Fire Flow Location:* Street Address: _____
Cross Street: _____
City: _____

WHAT TYPE OF APPLICATION IS THIS TEST REQUESTED FOR?

- Single Family Residence
- Multi-Family Residential, Commercial / Industrial or Institutional Project
- Other _____

If the Application type is not Single Family Residential, provide the Estimated / Required Total Fire Flow to the Site: _____ GPM

COMMENTS: _____

Please sketch the general location of your requested fire flow test in the space below, or you may send a drawing or map along with your application.

- 1) If the Test location fronts more than one water main or is on a corner lot, please indicate which water main should be tested in the **Sketch** or **Comments** sections.
- 2) If the static/residual pressure or flow data is required for specific hydrant(s), please indicate which hydrant(s) should be included in the test in the **Sketch** or **Comments** sections*.

SKETCH

*Although reasonable efforts will be made to perform the fire flow test on the hydrants closest to the requested location, ACWD cannot guarantee that the nearest hydrants will be available for testing. Obstacles (i.e. parked cars, trees, posts, landscaping, etc.) and nozzle configurations or flow orientations may prevent ACWD from flowing particular hydrants.