



# Borough of High Bridge

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## APPLICATION FOR WITNESSING SOIL LOGS AND IN SEASON GROUND WATER TESTING

BLOCK \_\_\_\_\_ LOT \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF LOTS \_\_\_\_\_

STREET LOCATION \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICANT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICANT PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF APPLICATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ENGINEER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ENGINEER ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ENGINEER PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

This applicant agrees to comply with Chapter 199 of the Public Laws of New Jersey as it pertains to soil logs. The applicant also agrees to comply with the Borough of High Bridge policies on soil log and high groundwater testing.

For the observation of a test of soil characteristics by a representative of the Board of Health, by appointment for the purposes of meeting the requirements of an application for the purposes of filing an application for individual sewage system permit, a **\$500** fee shall be charged for the services of the Borough's witness. This rate shall be applicable to all types of testing.

An application shall be on file with the Board of Health and appropriate fees shall be on file with the Board of Health Clerk five (5) working days prior to the requested witnessing time. In the event fees are not received within this time frame it will be within the Borough's right to cancel the appointment of witnessing.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to secure the safety of the site during the testing procedures. The applicant is required to complete the attached indemnification agreement and submit along with this application.

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



**THIS DOCUMENT  
HAS IMPORTANT LEGAL CONSEQUENCES  
AND  
SHOULD BE REFERED TO YOUR ATTORNEY  
PRIOR TO SIGNING**

( I ) \_\_\_ (We)\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, the applicant(s)

*Name*

For the observation and witnessing by a representative of the BOARD OF HEALTH of a test of soil characteristics in connection with (check one) \_\_\_ construction, \_\_\_ alteration, or \_\_\_ repair of a subsurface individual sewage disposal system on Block \_\_\_\_\_, Lot \_\_\_\_\_, in the Borough of High Bridge, New Jersey, in consideration of the participation

By the BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGH BRIDGE (BOARD OF HEALTH) in the site evaluation procedure for the design and location of a septic system on the subject property, acknowledge (my) (our) responsibility for providing adequate safety measures to permit safe access to the excavated test area during the test procedures, as well as appropriate warning signs and fencing, to limit access to any excavation by the public when the excavation is left unattended and the ( I ) (we) hereby agree to defend, indemnify and save harmless the BOARD OF HEALTH and BOROUGH OF HIGH BRIDGE and their elected and appointed officials, agents and employees, from and against any and all claims and liabilities (including, without limitation, attorney's fees) arising out of or related to any excavation.

This indemnification agreement shall aptly notwithstanding the actual or alleged negligence of those to be indemnified, but shall not apply to claims or liabilities arising solely from the negligence of those to be indemnified.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date