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STATE OF LOUISIANA
 LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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APPLICATION FOR NEW WASTEWATER COMPANIES

THE LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION REQUIRES THAT ALL NEWLY FORMED WASTEWATER COMPANIES COMPLETE THIS FORM. COMMISSION ACCEPTANCE WILL NOT BE GRANTED UNTIL ALL REQUIREMENTS ARE MET.

I. NAME & DOMICILE OF THE COMPANY

NAME:	Black Water Environmental LLC
STREET ADDRESS:	6049 Cherry Hill Avenue
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:	Shreveport, LA 71107
TELEPHONE NO.:	318-207-0722
FAX NO.:	

II. BUSINESS CLASSIFICATION/TYPE (Check One)

Business Corporation	Partnership	Sole Proprietorship	Limited Liability Corporation	X
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III. NAME & ADDRESS OF COMPANY OFFICER(S)

Officer

NAME:	Melvin E. Presley		
TITLE/POSITION:	President		
STREET/MAILING ADDRESS:	6049 Cherry Hill Avenue		
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:	Shreveport, LA 71107		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #	318-309-0504	MOBILE #	318-207-0722

Officer

NAME:	Judy A Presley		
TITLE/POSITION:	Vice President		
STREET/MAILING ADDRESS:	6049 Cherry Hill Avenue		
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:	Shreveport, LA 71101		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #	318-309-0504	MOBILE #	318-207-0722

Officer

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EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #		MOBILE #	

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IV. REGISTERED AGENT(S) FOR LEGAL PROCESS

Registered Agent

NAME:	Melvin E. Presley		
TITLE/POSITION:	President		
STREET/MAILING ADDRESS:	6049 Cherry Hill Avenue		
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:	Shreveport, LA 71107		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #		MOBILE #	

Registered Agent

NAME:			
TITLE/POSITION:			
STREET/MAILING ADDRESS:			
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:			
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #	318-309-0504	MOBILE #	318-207-0722

V. NAME & ADDRESS OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR FIRM TO WHOM ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION SHOULD BE DIRECTED

NAME OF INDIVIDUAL/FIRM	Melvin E. Presley		
POINT OF CONTACT (NAME):	President		
STREET/MAILING ADDRESS:	6049 Cherry Hill Avenue		
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:	Shreveport, LA 71107		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
PHONE #	318-309-0504	MOBILE #	318-207-0722

VI. COMPANY TARIFF (Attach as Exhibit A)

VII. NUMBER OF SERVICE CONNECTIONS BY CLASSIFICATION:

RESIDENTIAL	COMMERICAL	INDUSTRIAL	OTHER/GOV'T	TOTAL
36				

VII. NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS BY CLASSIFICATION:

RESIDENTIAL	COMMERICAL	INDUSTRIAL	OTHER/GOV'T	TOTAL
36				

IX. FOR THOSE SYSTEMS CURRENTLY PROVIDING SERVICE: YOU MUST PROVIDE TO THE COMMISSION AN INCOME STATEMENT, BALANCE SHEET, TAX RETURN AND/OR OTHER FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION, FOR THE MOST RECENT OPERATING PERIOD, OF ONLY THOSE COSTS ALLOCATED TO THE OPERATION OF THE WATER AND/OR WASTEWATER SYSTEM. (i.e., ANNUAL REPORT, INVOICES, RECEIPTS, COPIES OF BILLS, etc.) (Attach as Exhibit B)

X. AN AFFIDAVIT AFFIRMING THAT THE FACTS AS STATED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT. (Attach as Exhibit C)

BLACK WATER ENVIRONMENTAL L.L.C.

6049 Cherry Hill Avenue, Shreveport, LA 71107

(318)-207-0722

blackwaterenviro@outlook.com

New Customers:

The following items must be returned to our office by _____:

- Deposit Certificate
- Check/Money Order \$ _____
Amount includes deposit, connection administration fee, prorations, and/or back billing
- Include Social Security Number
- Copy of Driver's License

Things to Know:

- Rate sheet that shows the flat-rate sewer fee for your subdivision is enclosed.
- Monthly bills are mailed out on the 1st of each month and are for that month's sewer service.
- Payments are due by **4:00 PM the 22nd** of each month. Late/disconnect notices mailed on the 23rd.
- A 5% late fee is assessed after above listed due date/time.
- Deposits are refundable when you move, provided you do not have an outstanding bill.
- There is a \$40.00 non-refundable Connection/Administration Fee.
- Failure of US Postal Delivery does not excuse payment of monthly bills. If you have not received a bill by the 4th of the month, call our office and we can provide you with your balance due.
- Calls received outside of normal business hours will be managed via answering service for emergency service calls.

Methods of Payment:

Check/Money order via mail:

Black Water Environmental L.L.C., 6049 Cherry Hill Ave., Shreveport, LA 71107

Credit/Debit card via phone during office hours:

Visa, Mastercard, & Discover (3rd party fees may apply.)

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon.-Fri. 9AM – 4PM | Closed NOON – 1PM & Holidays | Voicemail Callbacks

BLACK WATER ENVIRONMENTAL L.L.C.
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DEPOSIT CERTIFICATE
RESIDENTIAL SEWERAGE ONLY-OWNER
NOT TRANSFERABLE - KEEP A COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE FOR REFUND

This is to certify that Black Water Environmental L.L.C., has received \$87.50 from Depositor:

_____, whose service location is
Customer Name _____

Street Address _____ City/Town _____ Zip Code _____

As security for prompt payment of all bills due Black Water Environmental L.L.C. by the Depositor, the Deposit Fee will remain with said company as long as the Depositor is customer of said company. Deposit of \$87.50 will be returned upon surrendering of this certificate and due notice given to company to discontinue service. Upon failure of the Depositor to pay any bills of the company when due, the amount of deposit by this certificate is applied thereon and further service discontinued until another deposit is made.

Signature

Date

Place of Employment: _____

Social Security No. _____ Email _____

Work Phone: _____ Cell/Home Phone _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
Deposit Fee Received By:

Black Water Environmental L.L.C.

Date Received

LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BLACK WATER ENVIRONMENTAL L.L.C.
SEWERAGE SERVICES

RE-CONNECTION FEE *\$35.00 or \$50.00 two or more times (sewer)*

RE-CONNECTION FEE *\$300.00 (sewer only service)*

This charge is for re-establishing service after disconnection for non-payment, failure to make deposit, fraudulent or seasonal use. Sewer-only fee covers the use of heavy equipment and operators to disconnect and reconnect sewer service.

SERVICE FEE *\$125.00*

This charge shall cover the cost of a company repairman sent to a customer's premises at the customer's request when the trouble is found to be in the customer's house piping.

RETURNED CHECK FEE *\$20.00*

LATE CHARGE *5% of monthly bill*

DEPOSIT *\$87.50 (sewer service only)*

*Maximum charge 2.5 times
average monthly bill*

DEPOSIT- NON-OWNER *\$100.00 (sewer service only)*

For non-owner occupied rental units. Deposit to be paid by the property owner or renter.

TAMPERING FEE *\$50.00*

- g. Black Water Environmental L.L.C. shall not be liable for damage occasioned by suspension of service when such suspension is affected in accordance with these provisions.
 - h. For failure to make repairs to customer's leaks; thereby endangering the public utility.
11. Interruptions of Service – Black Water Environmental L.L.C. reserves the right to shut off the sewer in its mains at any time, without notice, for making repairs, extensions or alterations, but will, so far as possible, notify the customers of the intention to shut off. It is expressly stipulated by Black Water Environmental L.L.C. that no claims shall be made against it, and that no person shall be entitled to any damages nor to have any portion of payment refunded by reason of such shut off or the breaking of any pipe or service pipe or by reason of any other interruption of the supply of water caused by the breaking of machinery or for causes beyond its control.
12. Bill and Payments – Upon the authority of the Louisiana Public Service Commission, Black Water Environmental L.L.C. shall have the right to read meters and render bills monthly.
- a. A 5% penalty is applied not less than 20 days from the date of billing.
 - b. This arrangement allows the customer 20 days to make payments before penalties and disconnection of delinquent paying customers.
 - c. Sewer-only customers shall be billed on the 1st day of each month with a due date of the 22nd.
13. If a customer's bill has not been paid by the due date, a late penalty will be assessed, and notice mailed on the 11th for disconnection five days later. In the case of sewerage, if payment is not made, the sewerage company may make an agreement with the water company to turn off water service for non-payment of the sewerage bills and/or disconnect the customer from the sewer main. In this event, the customer will be required to pay the reconnection fee as approved by the Louisiana Public Service Commission.
14. Delinquent Penalty – All customer payments received after the due date of the billing cycle may be assessed a 5% penalty. Black Water Environmental L.L.C. shall charge a late payment penalty on any portion of a bill that represents a previous late payment penalty; for purposes of this section, a payment received by a utility shall be credited first to the outstanding principal, regardless of month incurred, until all principal is discharged, and then to outstanding penalty, if any. If the last day of any period calculated hereunder is a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, then the period in question shall extend to the next full business day.
15. Black Water Environmental L.L.C. reserves the right to refuse any new application for service from any person who is in default of any of his/her obligations to Black Water Environmental L.L.C. at the time of making such new application.

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AFFIDAVIT

Melvin E. Presley (applicant) do solemnly swear or affirm that the facts stated in the forgoing application and all exhibits attached thereto are true and correct and that said statements of fact thereto constitutes a complete statement of the matter to which it relates.

BY: Melvin E Presley
Applicant's Signature: Melvin E Presley
Applicant's Name: Melvin E. Presley
Applicant's Title: * President (Typed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day in the month of March
in the year of 2021 by Melvin E. Presley who is personally known to me _____
or produced identification _____
Type of Identification Produced _____

Carl W. Copes
Notary Public's Signature

CARL W. COPES, NOTARY PUBLIC
NOTARY ID # 55246
CADDOPARISH, LOUISIANA
NOTARY PUBLIC FOR LIFE

Print, Type or Stamp Commissioned
Name of Notary Public

Note: * If applicant is a corporation, the affidavit must be made by the president or other officer authorized by the by-laws of the corporation to act for it. If applicant is a partnership or association, a member of the organization authorized to make such affidavit shall execute same.

Exhibit C – Example

AFFIDAVIT

Judy A. Presley (applicant) do solemnly swear or affirm that the facts stated in the forgoing application and all exhibits attached thereto are true and correct and that said statements of fact thereto constitutes a complete statement of the matter to which it relates.

BY: _____
Applicant's Signature: Judy A. Presley
Applicant's Name: JUDY A. PRESLEY
Applicant's Title:* VICE PRESIDENT (Typed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day in the month of MARCH
in the year of 2021 by Judy A. Presley who is personally known to me _____
or produced identification _____

Type of Identification Produced

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Notary Public's Signature
CARE W. COOPER, NOTARY PUBLIC
NOTARY ID # 55246
CADDOPARISH, LOUISIANA
MY COMMISSION IS FOR LIFE

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March 1, 2021

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Deputy Undersecretary

VIA EMAIL and US MAIL

Black Water Environmental, LLC
Melvin E. Presley-President
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6049 Cherry Hill Avenue
Shreveport, LA 71107
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Table with columns: ROUTE TO, ROUTE FROM, DEPT., DATE, DEPT. (Handwritten entries: Dept. Legal, Date 3/2/21, Dept. Bull, Date 5/25, Dept. MHS)

Re: Incomplete Application of Blackwater Environmental, LLC received February 12, 2021.

Dear Mr. Presley and Ms. Presley,

The Louisiana Public Service Commission ("LPSC") is in receipt of documentation received by our offices on February 12, 2021 (attached), which is a partially completed application for authority to operate a new wastewater company. This application is incomplete as there is no affidavit accompanying this application. Please refer to the top of the first page of the documentation in which it states that the ("LPSC") requires that all newly formed wastewater companies complete the form and that acceptance will not be granted until all requirements are met. Further, see Item X at the bottom of page two the documentation in which it requires that an affidavit affirming the facts as stated in the application and exhibits are true and correct, and it advises to attach the affidavit to the application as Exhibit C.

The partially completed application is being returned to you for completion and resubmission to the LPSC in its entirety. In addition, for your convenience, an example of an affidavit is attached to this correspondence (see last page). Therefore, to complete the application, you will need appear before a notary and execute an affidavit, attach it to the application to complete it and return an original and two copies of the completed application to the LPSC. It is advised to submit the application by traceable carrier to ensure delivery (USPS with tracking number, UPS, Fed Ex, etc.). Once the completed application is received, notice of the application will be published in the Commission's Official Bulletin for intervention and comment. Staff will conduct a review of the application and may seek additional information.

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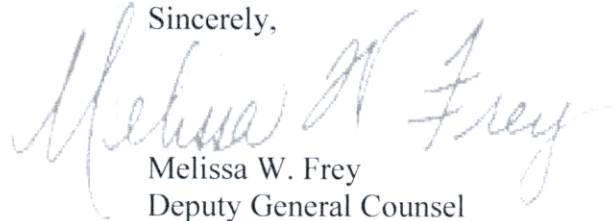
Blackwater is prohibited from charging rates for sewer services until such time as its application is approved by the LPSC and the requisite authority is granted.

The completed application should be addressed to:

Louisiana Public Service Commission
Attention: Brandon Frey, Executive Secretary
602 North 5th Street
Galvez Building, 12th Floor
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Melissa W. Frey". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Melissa W. Frey
Deputy General Counsel

Enc.

cc: Terri Bordelon, LPSC Records
Don Dewald, LPSC Utilities