Agreement to Plug Abandoned Water Wells

Property Address: ____________________________________________

As indicated on your application, following the completion and connection of your new water well, there will be an abandoned water well on your property.

The Groundwater Quality Control Act, Part 127 1978 PA 368 defines an abandoned water well as a well which:

- Has its use permanently discontinued.
- Is in such disrepair that its continued use for obtaining groundwater is impractical.
- Has been left uncompleted.
- Is a threat to groundwater resources.
- Is or may be a health or safety hazard.

Rule 162, (1), An abandoned well or dry hole shall be plugged by a well drilling contractor who is registered pursuant to the provisions of the act or by the well owner...

Pursuant to the rules set forth by the Groundwater Quality Control Act, The Jackson County Health Department requires that all abandoned wells be properly plugged and plugging records (form GW-2-229) submitted within 60 days.

By signing below you are agreeing to and accepting responsibility for the plugging of the abandoned water well located at the above-mentioned property, and the submission of a completed plugging form.

_________________________________________________
Date____________________
Homeowner or Authorized Agent

Form GW-2-229 is available upon request.