



Shoreview Community Development
4600 Victoria Street North
Shoreview, Minnesota 55126
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Permit #: _____

Issue date: _____

Chicken License Application

Site address: _____

Type and number of chickens being kept on the property: _____

Applicant information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

Property owner information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

By signing this application, I swear:

- I have received a copy of section 601.020(D) of the Shoreview City Code
- I understand the conditions set forth for chicken licenses
- I am keeping chickens for hobby purposes only

Signature Date

For office use

Received \$30 application fee

Received site plan showing:

- Site area, property dimensions, and structures
- Location and dimensions of current and proposed chicken coops
- Setbacks of current and proposed chicken coops to property lines and nearest house not on applicant's property
- Location of containment area, including fencing



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General code requirements

- Allowed in the following districts:
 - RE – Residential estate
 - R1 – Detached residential
- Maximum chickens allowed:
 - 2 acres or less – 4 hen chickens or pullets
 - 2 acres or more – 4 hen chickens or pullets
 - May get a conditional use permit for more
- Roosters are prohibited
- Cannot butcher or fight chickens
- Chickens need to stay on property
- Chicken coops and other structures:
 - Must comply with accessory structure requirements
 - Applicant will need to get a permit before building the coop or other structure
 - Cannot be in the front or side yard
 - Must be at least 30 feet from houses on adjacent properties
 - Food must be stored in closed containers
 - Areas must be well maintained
- License is good for two years
 - Submit new application to renew license