

DRINKING WATER - WELL CONSTRUCTION PLAN REVIEW CHECKSHEET

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Note: Refer to "Type I Well Approval Process" checksheet and complete the appropriate requirements (1 to 7) before using this checklist

GENERAL INFORMATION		Well ID	
Supply Name		WSSN	
Project Name		District	
Design Engineer		Date Received	
Review Engineer		Date Reviewed	
Well Specs on File		Water Well Contractor Certification	YES NO

References

BASIC WELL INFORMATION AND FINAL SITE PLAN VERIFICATION			10 States	Rules in Act 399	Sugg. Pract. Part	Part 127 Well Const	Plans meet rule or practice
1	Purpose	Replacement (R), New (N), Additional Capacity (A)					
2	Location	Lat/Long, well location address and owner's address, keep numbering sequence for well ID Identify property boundaries, hazards, nearby wells, surface water and land uses					
3	Formation	Glacial Drift -sand, gravel- or Bedrock	3.2.6				
4	Drill Method	Mud Rotary, Air Rotary or Cable Tool(with prior written approval)					
5	Flooding	A well shall not be located in an area subject to flooding. Approval in writing in flooding area Ground surface graded and diverted away (>25 ft) from casing to protect well from flooding	3.2.5.10	R 816	P 8 (15) P 8 (16)	R 125(1,2)	
6	Nearest source of possible contamination shall be identified on the drawing	Type of contamination, distance to the well, isolation area and direction of groundwater Hydrogeological conditions allowed modification of isolation area ? (Show protective layer) Deviations from min Stds? It shall be approved in writing and be part of permit conditions	3.2.3.1	R 807 to 812 R 809,812,813 R 809, 812	P 8 (8,13) P 8 (14) P 8 (3,10,13)	R 122 R 113(2)(A) R 113(3)	
7	Verify documentation for well site ownership	Owner, Lease and/or Easements shown on the site plan Property boundaries clearly shown	3.2.3.2	R 810	P 8 (8b,11)		
WELL CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATIONS					P 8 (9)		
8	Well Depth	Not less than 25 feet below the established ground surface		R 818		R 132(3)	
9	Borehole	This is the size of the hole that the casing is installed in. The diam shall be at least 2 7/8" or larger than the nominal size of the permanent casing	3.2.5.9			R 133a(4)	
Well Casing			3.2.5.3 to 6	R 821		R 121 to 131c	
10	Material	Shall conform to manufactured standards listed on AWWA A100 & Rule 325.1626 to1631	3.2.5.4			R 126 to 131	
	10-a Steel	Include carbon steel, high-strength steel, low-alloy steel and stainless steel Wall thickness: Min thickness as specified in Tables 3,4 and 5 of AWWA A100 For ID <= 10": at least std weight or sch. 40 Larger diam shall be at least standard weight Joints: Watertight and have circumferential welds (# passes varies by pipe diameter) or threaded couplings Fittings: A driven steel permanent casing shall be protected by a drive shoe					
			3.2.5.4			R 126	
						R 126	
			3.2.5.4 (f)			R 127	
			3.2.5.4 (e)			R 132(5)	
	10-b PVC	Type 1120 or 1220. Conforms with ASTM F 480-90 and ANSI/NSF std 14 certified PVC pipe shall only be installed in an oversized borehole without driving Shall not be used at sites where permeation by hydrocarbons or degradation may occur Wall thickness: For depth <= 200 ft use SDR 21 or heavier. For depth > 200 feet, and/or 8" diam or above use SDR 17 or heavier Joints: Deep socket bell ends or couplings manufact conforming ASTM F480. A two step solvent cementing process shall be used to form the joints. Screws or mechanical fasteners not allowed Fitting: Shall not be driven	3.2.5.5 (a)			R 132(2)	
			3.2.5.5				
			3.2.5.5 (b)			R 131a(2)	
						R 131a(2)	
			3.2.5.5 (e)			R 131c(1)	
						R 131c(4)	
			3.2.5.5 (f)			R 132(2)	
11	Diameter	Permanent casing shall have an inside diameter of not less than 5 inches if PVC Adequate annular space between the pump assembly and the casing Refer to A100 (Table 3)				R 132(2)	
12	Grouting	Refer to Policy DWRP - 03 -016 and all cited references for additional grouting requirements Neat Cement must be used for the entire length of the casing. Annular space between a permanent casing and the borehole or between two permanent casings shall be completely filled from a point not more than 10 feet above the top of the well screen up to the ground surface.			P 8 (20)	R 103(5,6)	
						R 134a(1)	
Well Screen							
13	Material	Stainless Steel, PVC, other. Corrosive resistance. Column and collapse strength	3.2.5.8				
14	Slot size	Selection of the screen opening (slot size) shall be based on the aquifer geological material.					
15	Entrance Velocity	Screen open area must allow water production at the max pumping rate of selected pump at the recommended low entrance velocity & prevent solids entrance V=Pumping Rate/Screen Open Area. Recommended V < 0.1 ft/sec. Calcs must be provided	3.2.5.8			R 139(1)	
16	Length	Verify lineal ft of screen and depth settings. Screen Specf Capac(sqft/ lineal ft) from manufact Doubling a screen length increases the well yield 100%, doubling a well diam incr it only 10%					
17	Fittings	Filter pack around the outside of screen for filtration and stabilization of borehole. To reduce the possibility of corrosion the well screen & fittings should be of the same material	3.2.5.7				

WELL APPURTENANCES AND PUMP SPECS							
	<u>Wellhead Completion</u>						
18	Well Caps	Caps shall be weathertight, vermin proof, provide for venting, tightly secured to casing				R 157a	
19	Seals	Reason for using drawdown seals shall be stated (pollution barriers, eliminate aeration to control iron prec; increase well effic and yield; protect submersible pump from running dry)			P 8 (19)		
		Drawdown Seal are acceptable if 25 ft below the established GS, as close to pump intake as possible, and at least 5 ft above the screen			P 8 (19)		
20	AboveGrade	Connection into the top or side of the well casing > 12" above the GS, or floor of pump house 2 ft above the100 yr flood, or above max flood elev, whichever is higher		R 825(1)	P 8 (21)	R 141	
		Connect may be: threaded,welded,rubber expansion seal,bolted flanges,well cap,pump base				R 141	
		Clamps-on units are not recommended for wells with capacities > 50 gpm			P 8 (21)(a)		
21	BellowGrade	Approved pitless adapter per cited references (for submersible pumps)	3.2.7.5		Part 8 (21/22)	R 142(1)	
22	Casing Vents	Provisions shall be made for venting the well casing to atmosphere. Vents shall be screened & pointed downward.	3.2.7.6	R 828		R 157	
		Min sizes vents per Rule. Screening not less than 20-mesh/inch and not more than 30-mesh per inch screen. Vent open area >50%				R 157(1&2)	
		For Vertical Turbine Pumps vents into the side of the casing may be necessary.					
23	Water Level	Provisions shall be made for periodic measurement of water levels in the completed well	3.2.7.7	R 829	P 8 (25)		
24	Sample Tap	A raw water sample tap shall be provided for each well		R 828(2)		R 158	
	<u>Pump Specifications - see pump & motor check sheet</u>						
ABANDONED WELL PLUGGED							
25		For (R) wells, Is the old well abandoned and plugged ? (Y/ N) - If not, check for explanation	3.2.5.14	R 832		R 169	
		For (R) wells, check plug method & verify that abandonment well-log (AW) is submitted		R 832		R 175(3)	
		Well Diam and Well Depth of Abandoned Well - Verify if Well Equipped					
		Verify if pumping equipment and/or well casing has been removed				R162(2)	
WELL DISINFECTION / Water Quality Test							
26		In accordance with AWWA C654. After completion of work and after install of pump	3.2.5.12	R 831		R 161(1)	
		Microbiological Analysis		R 831(2)		R 161(2)	
		Physical and Chemical Analysis					
		Radiological Analysis					
27	CONSTRUCTION PERMIT NUMBER AND ISSUE DATE						