



## WARREN COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

224 W. Stiger Street, Hackettstown, NJ 07840  
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### Soil Erosion & Sediment Control Performance Deposit

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Municipality/ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

We hereby bind ourselves to the Warren County Soil Conservation District ("District") in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to ensure faithful performance and completion of all temporary and permanent soil erosion & sediment control practices in accordance with the certified soil erosion & sediment control plan, Standards for Soil Erosion 7 Sediment Control in New Jersey and the Soil Erosion & Sediment Control Act, (NJSA 4:24-39 et seq.)

SCD Application #: \_\_\_\_\_ Project name: \_\_\_\_\_

Block(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Lot(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Municipality: \_\_\_\_\_

The applicant understands that the performance deposit is calculated in accordance with the attached fee schedule and must be maintained until satisfactory completion of all soil erosion & sediment control practices (see Conditions below) by the commencement of the next growing season (spring) / (fall) of the year \_\_\_\_\_. Upon determination of satisfactory completion, the performance deposit plus interest earned minus an administrative fee of \$250.00 shall be returned to the applicant.

Should the applicant fail to complete the final stabilization of the above referenced block(s)/lot(s) by the time period specified above, the District shall utilize the performance deposit to perform the work upon three (3) days' notice to the bonded party, which hereby consents to and guarantees access to the property by the District. A reasonable extension of time for completion may be granted at the sole discretion of the District. Should the performance deposit be insufficient to cover all the costs to the District for completion of the described soil erosion & sediment control practices, no Report of Compliance or Final Report of Compliance will be issued to the applicant until payment of all costs is made to the District.

The applicant also understands and agrees that under no circumstances will a Report of Compliance or Final Report of Compliance be issued on any lot without a performance deposit within the same project until such a time as all lots with performance deposits have been properly stabilized and a Report of Compliance or Final Report of Compliance issued.

#### Conditions

1. Final grading around buildings and all disturbed areas. Seed, fertilizer, lime and straw mulch as per the Standards for Soil Erosion & Sediment Control in New Jersey and the District certified soil erosion & sediment control plan.
2. [Other]

\_\_\_\_\_  
District Signature                      Date

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

Deposit Received (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

## Performance Deposit Fee Schedule

### Application Category

A- Soil disturbances

\$2,500 per acre

Interest will be accrued for all deposits held for longer than 31 days. Deposit principle, accrued interest, minus a \$250.00 administrative fee will be returned upon verification of proper, permanent stabilization.

Compliance Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Interest Earned: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Returned: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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### WARREN COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT REQUIREMENTS FOR PERFORMANCE DEPOSITS

1. Deposit must be **cash**, or **bank certified check** made payable to "Warren County Soil Conservation District."
2. Amount of Deposit will be calculated at \$2500 per disturbed acre, or part thereof. If project is multi-family residential, it is based on \$2500 per building. (Buildings requiring more than one C.O. must be done as a whole building even if only one C.O. is currently needed.)
3. Performance Deposit must be paid prior to scheduling inspection for Temporary Certificate of Compliance. Please allow about one week scheduling time.
4. Deposits must be posted at the District office in Hackettstown.
5. Disturbed areas must be temporarily stabilized in order for the District to issue the Temporary Certificate of Compliance. Mulch tacking agents will be required.
6. No **permanent** Certificates of Compliance for lots without a deposit will be released in those projects that have posted performance deposits, until the performance deposits have been released.
7. The normal deposit period is for the non-growing season. The periods may be extended depending on growing conditions. To avoid a deposit during the non-growing season, the soil can be stabilized permanently by putting down sod.

I have read and understand the above information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Signature