

CHICKEN LICENSE APPLICATION

The keeping of chickens is regulated by Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-15. The keeping of backyard chickens are permitted in the Low Density Residential (RL) Planning District. Please submit the form below along with a drawing or description of the chicken coop or run, and setback distances to all property lines and neighboring residences.

Site Information						
Site Address:						
Assessor's Map/Tax Lot Number:						
Applicant						
Name:			Company Name:			
Address:						
City:	State:			ZIP Code:		
Phone:	Email:					
As applicant, I certify that I agree to abide by the license provisions of TMC Chapter 6-15 for the duration of the license term.						
Applicant's Signature:			Date:			

Every licensee must comply with the following conditions at all times:

(1) The place where the chickens are to be kept must be within a planning district that allows the keeping of chickens as a use;

(2) A maximum of four hens are permitted on any one lot;

(3) Roosters are prohibited;

(4) Harvesting or butchering of a chicken is prohibited;

(5) Chickens must be confined at all times within a chicken facility; unless, within a fenced yard and under the direct supervision of the licensee;

(6) The chicken facility must be located in the rear yard of a lot and be at least ten feet from all property lines and 25 feet from all residences;

(7) The chicken facility must not exceed 200 square feet in floor space;

(8) The chicken facility must not exceed a height of eight feet measured from the tallest part of the roof surface to the ground;

(9) The coop must have at least three enclosed sides. The fourth side may be open with the open side facing away from all neighboring property lines;

(10) The chicken facility and the place where the chickens are located must be maintained in good repair, in a clean and sanitary condition, and free of vermin, and obnoxious smells and substances that create a nuisance for adjoining property; and

(11) Chicken feed must be properly stored in a vermin-proof container or receptacle.





Coop/Run Description

Please use the space below to draw or describe:

- The length, width, and height of the chicken coop
- The distance between the chicken structure and neighboring property lines and residences

Office Use						
Case No:	Date Received:		Received by:			
Fee: Complete Review:		Receipt No:				

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