

2026 HYDRANT USE PERMIT



Byron-Gaines Utility Authority
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SEASON	PERMIT NO.
*VALID 4/1/2026 THRU 11/14/2026 ONLY	26-

HYDRANT LOCATION _____
 DATE (S) OF USE _____ Seasonal

FILL HOURS 8AM-4PM

 APPLICANT NAME _____
 STREET ADDRESS _____
 CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
 PHONE # _____

TYPE OF PERMIT REQUESTED & ASSOCIATED FEE DUE:

- One day use:** **\$60.00** (Must fill at the BGUA-RPZ Provided)
- Seasonal use:** **\$190.00** Minimum* (Must fill at the BGUA-RPZ Provided) *call in fills
\$50.00 Admin fee plus usage minimum. Usage over 46,000 g will be billed at a rate of \$3.65 per 1,000 g.
 High water users will be invoiced monthly. The monthly invoice will include the \$190 plus usage over 50,909 g.
- Seasonal Use: Construction** **\$240.00** Minimum* (Meter and RPZ Required)
\$100.00 Admin fee plus usage minimum. Usage over 46,000 g will be billed at a rate of \$3.65 per 1,000 g.

DEPOSIT FEE FOR USE OF BGUA EQUIPMENT:

- \$500.00** (Deposit less usage and/or damages will be refunded upon inspection of equipment and project/hydrant)
If using your own equipment, must provide a "passed" test form from the current year.

- ◆ I hereby accept responsibility for all damage that I may cause while using a Township hydrant. I will not hold Byron-Gaines Utility Authority, Byron Township or Gaines Charter Township or any of their employees responsible for personal injury or damage incurred resulting from my use of the hydrant.
- ◆ I hereby agree to use an RPZ (reduced pressure zone) backflow preventer at all times in conjunction with my hydrant use.
- ◆ I am aware improper or unauthorized hydrant use may result in penalties.

RULES & REGULATIONS FOR NON-FIREFIGHTING HYDRANT USE

1. All appurtenances shall be removed from the hydrant and moved to inside storage at the end of each working day.
2. Hydrants shall be opened and closed with a proper hydrant wrench. In no case shall pipe wrenches be used for this purpose.
3. All caps shall be replaced when appurtenances are removed.
4. Damage to the hydrant, whether or not it is the fault of the permit holder, shall be reported to the BGUA immediately.
5. The permit holder is liable for all damage to the fire hydrant, equipment, and/or water main that are caused by improper hydrant and/or equipment use.

Meter ID & RPZ #		Hydrant Wrench	Y / N		
Beginning Read:		Meter Stand	Y / N		
Ending Read:					

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PRINTED NAME: _____

BGUA OFFICE USE ONLY		
Issued by (BGUA):	Date Equip Returned:	
Hyd Ckd By:	Total Usage	
Date:	Usage Over Minimum	
OK? Y / N	Comments:	Amount Due (\$3.65 per 1000g)

*Weather Dependent (could be earlier)