



Customer Release/Rescinding of Information Authorization Form

With the recent passing of H.B. 872, Pursuant to Section 182.052 of the Texas Utilities Code, except as provided by Section 182.054, the City of Beeville may not disclose personal information in a customer's account record, or any information relating to the volume or units of utility usage, or the amounts billed to or collected from the individual for utility usage unless the customer requests that the City of Beeville disclose the information. Additionally, a customer or a representative of the customer may receive information excluded from disclosure if the information directly relates to utility service provided to the customer and is not otherwise confidential by law.

This form enables you to request/rescind disclosure of certain information under Texas Utilities Code, Chapter 182.052. If you wish to request/rescind disclosure of your information, please check the appropriate boxes below and return this form.

Release/Rescinding of Information (pursuant to Section 182.052 (b) and Section 182.052 (d)):

Customer Name: _____ Account Number: _____

I authorize the City of Beeville Utilities Department to disclose:

my personal information

information regarding my usage, services, and billing, including amounts billed or collected for utility usage to:

Name:

Address:

Driver's License No.:

I authorize the City of Beeville Utilities Department to release my account information to the public upon written request by any member of the public.

I **Rescind** my previous request for disclosure.

Please return this form to the Utility Billing Department at 400 N. Washington St, Beeville, TX 78102. Alternatively, the authorization form can be e-mail to utilitybill@beevilletx.org. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at (361) 358-4641.

Signature of Account Holder: _____ Date: _____

Note I: Confidentiality under Chapter 182 does not prohibit a government-operated utility from disclosing personal information in a customer's account record to: (1) an official or employee of the state, a political subdivision of the state, or the United States acting in an official capacity; (2) an employee of a utility acting in connection with the employee's duties; (3) a consumer reporting agency; (4) a contractor or subcontractor approved by and providing services to the utility, the state, a political subdivision of the state, or the United States; (5) a person for whom the customer has contractually waived confidentiality for personal information; or (6) another entity that provides water, wastewater, sewer, gas, garbage, electricity, or drainage service for compensation.

Note II: If you do not want your information disclosed, you do not need to complete this form.