

Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc.

Architectural Control Committee - New Home or Exterior Addition/Improvement Application

Dear Property Owner,

Welcome to the Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. This is the Architectural Control Committee **New Home or Exterior Addition/Improvement Application** package. All forms must be completely and accurately filled out. All HOA dues, fees, or outstanding balance must be paid in full, and any Deed Restriction violations cured prior to beginning the application process.

When submittal is completed please return to 2251 N Loop, 336W, Ste C, Conroe, TX 77304 or callee@sppellc.com. Please contact Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc., 936-521-6900 with any questions.

By submitting this Application, the property owner grants Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. Board of Directors or any representative of Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. Board of Directors full access to the site of construction or improvement for the sole purpose of ensuring that the project is executed in accordance with the submitted plans and specifications as defined in the *Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc.*

For New Construction, the City of Conroe requires 1) a building permit 2) an engineered site-specific foundation plan for all residential construction and 3) a house plan drawn or designed by an architect or designer that is registered or licensed. The house plans must be complete showing the electrical, framing, ceiling joist, rafters, exterior elevations and detail sheets, all pages must be stamped and signed by the architect or designer. These requirements are in addition to Artesian Oaks requirements.

It is the property owner's responsibility to ensure that all construction and improvements made to the property comply with the *Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Artesian Oaks*, and with all construction regulations and specifications, and any amendments thereto, imposed by the Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. or the Architectural Control Committee. Any failure of the property owner, or property owner's general contractor/builder to comply with the *Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Artesian Oaks* for the Section where their property is located, and with all construction regulations and specifications, and any amendments thereto, imposed by Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. or the Architectural Control Committee may result in forfeiture of all applicable construction or improvement deposits paid by the property owner to the Home Owners Association.

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I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS DOCUMENT AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL CONTENTS THERETO.

Date Signed: _____

Property owner(s):

Builder:

Print full name: _____ Print full name: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ Email: _____

Phone (H): _____ Phone (office): _____

Phone (cell): _____ Phone (cell): _____

Signature: _____ Signature: _____

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Date Submitted: _____

REQUIRED for ALL Applications: Building Line Setbacks: Frnt: _____ Back: _____ Rt. side: _____ Lft side: _____

Property owner(s) name(s): _____

Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. Legal Description: Section _____ Block _____ Lot(s) _____

Street Address of Construction Project: _____

Owner's Mailing Address (if different): _____

Phone (home): _____ Phone (cell): _____

Email: _____

Builder/Contractor: _____

Builder/Contractor Mailing Address: _____

Phone (office): _____ Phone (cell): _____

Email: _____

New Home Sq. ft: _____ Bdrms: _____ Baths: _____ Two-story: Y/N

Exterior Materials and Finishes: _____

Exterior Colors (paint, trim and/or brick): _____

Description of New Construction or Improvement/Addition: _____

Start Date of Construction: _____ Projected Completion Date: _____

New construction MUST be completed within 9 months.

By signing below, Owner(s) agree to comply with the minimum architectural standards for subdivision residential construction, and authorize the Architectural Control Committee (ACC) or its agents to enter upon and inspect the construction project described above for the purpose of confirming that it is in compliance with recorded Deed Restrictions and this Application. Neither the ACC nor its agents shall be guilty of trespass by reason of such entry for inspections

Owner(s) signature REQUIRED Date Builder's signature IF APPLICABLE Date

TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMUNITY MANAGER: Account In Good-Standing: Y/N Resubmission: Y/N

Complete Application (inc. samples) and ALL DEPOSITS received by HOA. Date: _____ Initial: _____

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TO BE COMPLETED BY ACC COMMITTEE:

Received complete Application/30-day approval Date: _____ Initial: _____ ACC Plans: _____

Approved; subject to: _____

NOT Approved; reason:

ACC Signature 1: _____ Signature 2: _____ Date: _____

ALL Items listed below MUST be submitted at the same time as the house plans or plans for addition/improvement. Incomplete plan packages will be returned to applicant and application process will be started anew.

- A. A complete electronic set of working blueprints of all structures to be built on the property. This applies to additions to the main dwelling and construction of attached or free-standing buildings, including workshops. Minimum roofing material requirement shall be equivalent to 20-year shingles or better. An original stamped and signed engineered foundation drawing must be included with blueprints.
- B. A complete site plan that shows the location of the home in reference to the front, side and rear building lines and utility easements. The drawing must read a scale of 1"=100' or 1'=200'. The site plan must show the location of culvert(s), driveway, outbuildings and fencing: all to be drawn relative to the home and to scale.

For additions/improvements an accurate hand-drawn site plan that shows the location of the proposed additions/improvements in reference to the existing home and all building lines and utility easements; and in relation to existing improvements such as driveway/walkways; outbuildings and fencing is sufficient.

- C. Color samples of all exterior materials and finishes must be submitted. Samples of brick, stone, siding, shingles, trim, exterior paint colors and brands, and fencing are required at the time the application package is submitted. **Incomplete plan packages will be returned in their entirety and the application process starts anew.**
- D. Copies of Builder's liability and other insurance policies related to proposed project. Proof of builder's liability insurance may be required prior to approval of proposed addition/improvement project, based on size and scope of work.

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E. Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. ACC deposits for ALL new homes and additions/improvements are as follows:

- a) \$100.00 Non-Refundable Application Processing Fee (includes addition or improvement projects with poured cement foundation.)
- b) \$300.00 for new construction Non-Refundable onetime Fee).

Other (please specify) _____
Deposit to be determined by HOA Board.

F. Make all checks payable to: *Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc.*

TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMUNITY MANAGER:

Application Fee: Chk #: _____ Amount: _____ Date received: _____

New Construction Fee Chk #: _____ Amount: _____ Date received: _____

APPROVAL: The ACC has thirty (30) calendar days from date of receipt of a complete application to respond. If additional information is required by the ACC, the thirty (30) day processing period commences upon receipt of the requested information. It is the owner's responsibility to ensure that scheduling for implementation of the proposed construction project allows for the full ACC approval period. Artesian Oaks ACC applications remain valid for one (1) year.

Please direct questions about requirements for Architectural Control Committee approval to the Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. Association Manager. It is the responsibility of the owner and builder to familiarize themselves and comply with the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Artesian Oaks applicable to the Section where their construction project is located.

CULVERTS: Prior to any construction, and after lot clearing, each home site must have the permanent driveway culvert(s) set with the proper amount of overbase to prevent erosion and damage to ditches.

STREET ADDRESS: Owner or Builder shall post and maintain street address sign for duration.

PORTABLE TOILET: Owner or builder shall provide a portable toilet for construction personnel working on any project lasting longer than five (5) days.

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TRASH DISPOSAL: Owner or builder shall provide onsite trash container for all construction debris. Minimum required size is 30 yard roll-off box. Trash container is considered full when contents reach the top of the container. Owner or builder must call for pick-up and replacement before debris is piled above upper edge of container. **No burning of debris or construction materials is permitted.**

ELECTRICAL SERVICE: Builder shall install a temporary electrical pole prior to construction and maintain it until permanent electrical service has been connected.

CEMENT/GUNITE TRUCK WASHOUT: Texas Department of Environmental Quality prohibits discharge of concrete mixtures directly onto the ground. Chutes and hoses of cement and trucks shall be washed out into designated plastic-lined cement boxes ONLY. Hardened cement shall be disposed off in roll-off box/trash container.

DEBRIS FENCE: Owner or builder shall provide onsite debris fencing (orange fence) to contain construction trash and prevent materials from blowing onto adjacent properties.

WORK HOURS and NOISE: Construction is permitted between the hours of 7:00am to 7:00pm Monday through Saturday. Sunday construction hours are from 9:00am to 5:00pm. Noise pollution is considered a nuisance, as defined by the *Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Artesian Oaks*. Complaints from neighboring property owners will be taken seriously. The owner and builder will be notified of the nuisance violation, and may be fined accordingly.

DELIVERY and TRANSPORTATION: Delivery vehicles and other construction traffic shall travel on dedicated roads **ONLY**. Contractors shall obey posted speed limits; maintain lane control, use extreme care when passing residents' driveways and mailboxes. Construction vehicles may not cross or park on other lots or common areas within the subdivision.

FINAL SITE CLEANING: When construction is completed, Owner and Builder are responsible for full and complete site clean-up, which includes trash pick-up, construction debris removal, sign removal, **BROOM CLEAN** full street frontage of lot and driveway. All landscaping containers and pallets, excess mulch and gravel shall be removed.

DISCLAIMER: *The Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc. is not responsible for accidents, injuries, damages, or losses that may occur on any building site. Safety is paramount during construction. Owner and builder are responsible to ensure that the construction site is cleaned and secured daily.*

Thank you,
Artesian Oaks Maintenance Fund, Inc., Architectural Control Committee