

SADDLEWOOD WELL PERMITS

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After an extensive search of the Division of Water Resources web site I have found the following facts:

1. 58% of the property owners in the filling No 1 of the Saddlewood Subdivision do not have their names on their well permits.
2. 46% of the property owners in the filling 2 of the Saddlewood Subdivision do not have their names on their well permits.
3. In all 51% of the property owners do not have their names on their well permits.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT EVERY RESIDENT CHANGE THE NAME ON THEIR WELL PERMIT TO THEIR OWN. 1ST IT IS REQUIRED BY LAW, 2ND IT IS EASY AND ITS FREE, AND 3RD it would prevent your well permit from being clouded in the event of any dispute over your well permit and it must be done before you can sell your property.

How to get the form required to change your name and address.

- Go to the Colorado Division of Water Resources Web site
<http://water.state.co.us/>
- On the left side of the page, click on [Ground water Information & Well Permitting](#)
- In the first paragraph click on the word [forms](#).
- Click on the form [GWS-11, CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP/ADDRESS. CORRECTION OF THE WELL LOCATION.](#)(Revised 6/2006 Adobe Acrobat (pdf) Format)
- Print the form.

HOW TO FILL OUT THE NEW FORM

- If you have a copy of the original well permit, with incorrect name and/or address on it, use the data listed on it to fill out the new form. Remember to change the name and address on the form.
- Mail the new form to the address shown on the form.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A COPY OF YOUR WELL PERMIT

- Go to the Colorado Division of Water Resources Web site
<http://water.state.co.us/>
- On the right side of the page, click on [DWR Online Mapping \(Well Permit Locator\)](#)
- Click on [Accept](#)
- Click on [Search](#)
- Fill in our well permit number and click on [Find Wells](#).
- Click on the small [circle with an "T"](#) in it
- Right click on data and print.
- Use this data to fill out the new well form, remember to change the name and address on the form.
- Mail the new form to the address shown on the form.

If you have any questions please feel free to call **Ralph Swartz (Board Member)** @ **303-646-5477** and **I will help you. I have spent several hours researching this information.**