



## FREEHOLD BOROUGH RESIDENTIAL CHICKEN PERMIT APPLICATION

**LICENSE FEE: INITIAL: \$50**

**RENEWAL: \$20**

Site Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Dwelling:

\_\_\_\_ Single family \_\_\_\_ Two-family \_\_\_\_ Multi-family \_\_\_\_ Townhouse \_\_\_\_ Apt./Condo \_\_\_\_

**Applicant Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Coop/Enclosure Information:**

Number of chickens (max 6 hens): \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions of chicken coop: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of coop/enclosure: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe how chickens will be protected from predators and rodents:

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Describe how food and waste for chickens will be maintained:

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**THE FOLLOWING MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH APPLICATION**

Please submit a scaled sketch with proposed improvements for your chickens. The sketch shall include:

- Location and size of your lot
- Location and size of your house
- Location, size and type of all structures and containment areas for the chickens (coop, pen and fencing)
- Setbacks of chicken structure
- Proof of the completion of an appropriate educational course on the proper keeping of backyard chickens

### PERMITEE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

By initialing the following items and providing signature below, you acknowledge that you understand the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ No person may keep a rooster.
- \_\_\_\_\_ There shall be no butchering of chickens on site.
- \_\_\_\_\_ No eggs shall be sold or made available for public consumption.
- \_\_\_\_\_ No person may allow chickens to fly or range freely outside an enclosure.
- \_\_\_\_\_ No person may keep chickens inside a building used wholly, or in part , for dwelling purposes.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken enclosures must be clean, dry, odor-free and kept in neat and sanitary conditions at all times.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chickens must be provided a secure coop/henhouse that meet Ord. 8.56.6D(5).
- \_\_\_\_\_ All food and water stored for use of the hens shall be kept in a rodent and predator proof container.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The keeping of chickens shall be in such a manner as to not create a public nuisance.

I have read and understand the conditions under which I may keep chickens, as set forth in this application and **Freehold Borough Ordinance 8.56.280** and I agree to abide by these conditions. Failure to remain compliant will be subject to a fine or the removal of all chickens and chicken-related structures.

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Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Property Owner Name (if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

#### OFFICE USE ONLY

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Board of Health Approval: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

\$50 or \$20 License Fee Paid: Cash: \_\_\_\_\_ Check: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

License Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_