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PLUMBING PERMIT INFORMATION

The City of Conroe has adopted the International Plumbing Code, 2009 Edition. The City of Conroe has amendments to the IPC that may be online at www.cityofconroe.org or Municode at https://www.municode.com/library/tx/conroe/codes/code_of_ordinances.

Persons performing plumbing in the City of Conroe as defined by the Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners, shall be licensed thru the State of Texas.

All plumbing licenses and apprenticeship cards shall be carried at all times while performing plumbing and shall be available for inspection upon request by the City Inspectors. All plumbing companies doing business in the City of Conroe must be registered with the City. All company trucks on work sites must have appropriate signage.

Only Responsible Master Plumbers can secure permits. A valid insurance certificate in the amount of \$300,000.00 in commercial general liability for property damage or bodily injury must be on file in the inspection office before a permit may be secured. Plumbing permits are only issued after a building permit is issued, unless it is a repair job. Permits are generally issued immediately upon request, providing that all requirements are met.

To secure a plumbing permit, please complete and submit the Trade Permit Application and the required fee as set forth in Appendix A of the Conroe Code of Ordinances to the Permit Department.

Gas tests are required on all new structures, and any time the gas company removes a gas meter. The test shall be conducted by pressurizing the entire system with air to 10 PSI for duration of 15 minutes. The pressure shall be monitored with an approved diaphragm gauge having a 3 ½ face, and a maximum pressure rating of 15 PSI.

To receive updates from Community Development and the Building Department sign up for the *Builders And Developers* (BAD) List at <http://cityofconroe.org/departments/community-development/contractors-developers>.

Specific technical questions in regard to any project, material, or method should be addressed to City Building Inspectors, either in writing or by telephone: (936) 522-3610.

Always check City Ordinances before you do work.