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**Jordan Watershed Riparian Buffer Notice of Exemption**

**TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL**

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| Parcel Identifier Number (PIN): |  | Date: |  |

**Section A: Property Information**

**Section A: Project Information**

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| Property Address: |  | | |
|  |  | Zip Code: |  |
| Project Description: |  | | |
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**Section B: Applicant / Owner Information**

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|  | **Owner** | | |  |  | | |
| Name: | |  | | | | | |
| Address: | |  | | | | | |
| City: | |  | State: |  | | Zip Code: |  |
| Phone: | |  | Email: |  | | | |

The undersigned applicant hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, all information supplied with this Notice is true and accurate and that the exempt uses or activities shall be designed, constructed and maintained to minimize soil disturbance and to provide the maximum water quality protection practicable, including construction, monitoring, and maintenance activities.

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| Signature: |  | Date: |  |

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| Please provide the following information (if applicable) | |
|  | Survey |
|  | Site Plan |
|  | Drawings |
|  | Photographs |
|  | Other |

**Section C: Use or Activity Information**

Please check all uses or activities that apply

(Refer to Section 5.18.7 Requirements for Uses and Activities of the Chapel Hill Land Use Management Ordinance for additional description and requirements of the uses or activities.)

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|  | Dam maintenance activities |
|  | Fences that do not result in removal of trees1 |
|  | Fertilizer application: one-time application to establish vegetation |
|  | Grading and revegetation in Zone Two |
|  | Historic preservation |
|  | Playground equipment on single family lots not resulting in removal of vegetation |
|  | Scientific studies and stream gauging |
|  | Any of the following vegetation management:  • Emergency fire control measures provided that topography is restored  • Mowing or harvesting of plant products in Zone Two  • Planting vegetation to enhance the riparian buffer  • Pruning forest vegetation provided that the health and function of the forest vegetation is not compromised  • Removal of individual trees that are in danger of causing damage to dwellings, other structures or human life, or are imminently endangering stability of the streambank.  • Removal of individual trees which are dead, diseased or damaged.  • Removal of poison ivy  • Removal of invasive exotic vegetation as defined in: Smith, Cherri L. 1998. Exotic Plant Guidelines. Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources. Division of Parks and Recreation. Raleigh, NC. Guideline #30 |
|  | Single family residential water wells |

1 ‘Tree’ means a woody plant with a DBH equal to or exceeding five inches or a stump diameter exceeding six inches.