



TOWN OF TROCHU
URBAN HEN KEEPER APPLICATION

App #:	_____
Date:	_____
Fee:	_____

Applicant (must reside at same property as hens): _____

Civic Address: _____

Phone: (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

Email: _____

Property Owner (if different from Applicant): Name: _____

Contact Information: _____ Signature: _____

Number of hens: _____ (Min. of 2, max. of 4) Premises ID#: _____

Training/Experience:

(Please list any experience and/or training you have taken for hen keeping, see end of form for options.)

Please provide a sketch of your back yard and show where you plan to place the coop/run. Include coop/run size, distances from lot lines, and distances from other structures.

NOTE: See the Urban Hen Bylaw for current size and placement restrictions regarding your coop.

Town staff will review and evaluate applications as they are submitted. Once an Urban Hen License has been approved, Town staff will notify both the applicant and the owners of adjacent properties of this approval.

By signing this form, you are affirming to the following as a participant in the Urban Hen Pilot Program:

- You agree to adhere to the Urban Hen Bylaw most current on the date of your application
- You agree to pay any fines resulting from failure to comply to these Bylaw regulations
- You authorize the Town of Trochu or designate to, after reasonable notice, enter your property for the purpose of observing your coop/run setup and gathering feedback from both yourself and your neighbors.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

The information on this form is collected under the authority of Section 33 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Land Use Bylaw and is used solely for Planning, Sustainability, and Municipal Enforcement purposes. Questions about collection of this information can be directed to the Town of Trochu, contact information can be found below.

For questions or additional information, please contact the Town at:

Town of Trochu

PO Box 340

Trochu, AB

T0M 2C0

or

403-442-3085

or

Toni.nelson@townoftrochu.ca

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Approved to participate by: _____ Date: _____

Additional Notes: _____

Premises Identification Number (PID)

To be approved for a Hen Keeping License, you will need a Premise Identification (PID) number which you can get for free from the Government of Alberta.

partners.agric.gov.ab.ca/pid/welcome.page

“If you own livestock, poultry or other animals in captivity as defined in Alberta’s Premises Identification Regulation, and the animal is kept at a premises other than a commingling site such as a stable, you need to apply for a PID Account and obtain at least one PID Number associated to where the animal(s) are located.”

You can go to the link above or search “Alberta PID” online to apply for a PID. We can also print you a paper copy of the PID Application if you prefer.

When applying online, using a Land Identification Numeric Code (LINC Number) method allows a PID Number to be issued immediately because it is the most accurate way of identifying a parcel of land location. Other application submission methods require a manual review and validation. If you’re not sure of your LINC Number, we can provide it.

Available Training Courses

Alberta Farm Animal Care (AFAC)

Backyard Chicken and Small Flock Care Workshop

www.afac.ab.ca/resources/urban-hen/

(Email info@afac.ab.ca if there are no training dates available)

River City Chickens - Chickens 101 Online

www.rivercitychickens.org/classes--events.html

Urban Hen Training

www.facebook.com/urbanheneducation

*If you have taken another source of training,
please provide more details and links in the Education & Training box on Page 1*