

**Application for Ejector Pump Installation and Cost Sharing**  
**City of Ottawa, Illinois**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Permit No. : \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contractor's Estimate**

Contractor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach estimate with description of the work: Estimated Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner's Estimate** *(if done himself)*

Estimated Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Waiver**

This application is made with the understanding that the City of Ottawa does not guarantee the above work in any way. The applicant agrees that if a permit for this work is issued the applicant will indemnify and save harmless the City of Ottawa, Illinois against all loss, damage or expense which the City of Ottawa, Illinois may sustain, incur or become liable for, on account of bodily injury or damage to or destruction of property resulting from execution of work provided for in this application or due to or arising in any manner from the wrongful act or negligence of the applicant and/or its employees.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

Note: Please deliver or mail application to: Plumbing Inspector, Allen Stoudt  
City of Ottawa  
301 West Madison Street  
Ottawa, Illinois 61350  
Call for Inspection 815-433-0161 ext. 226

Confirm chronic backup problem: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
WWTP Supt

Pre-construction Inspection: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Plumbing Inspector

Post-construction: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Plumbing Inspector

Final Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (paid receipts must be attached)

Approved for Payment  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Engineer

one-half of cost, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$2,000

*This form must be completed and returned to the City Offices prior to the start of any work.*

CITY OF OTTAWA  
Information regarding Ejector Pump Financial Assistance Program

Municipal Code

**Sec. 106-311. Ejector Pump Program.**

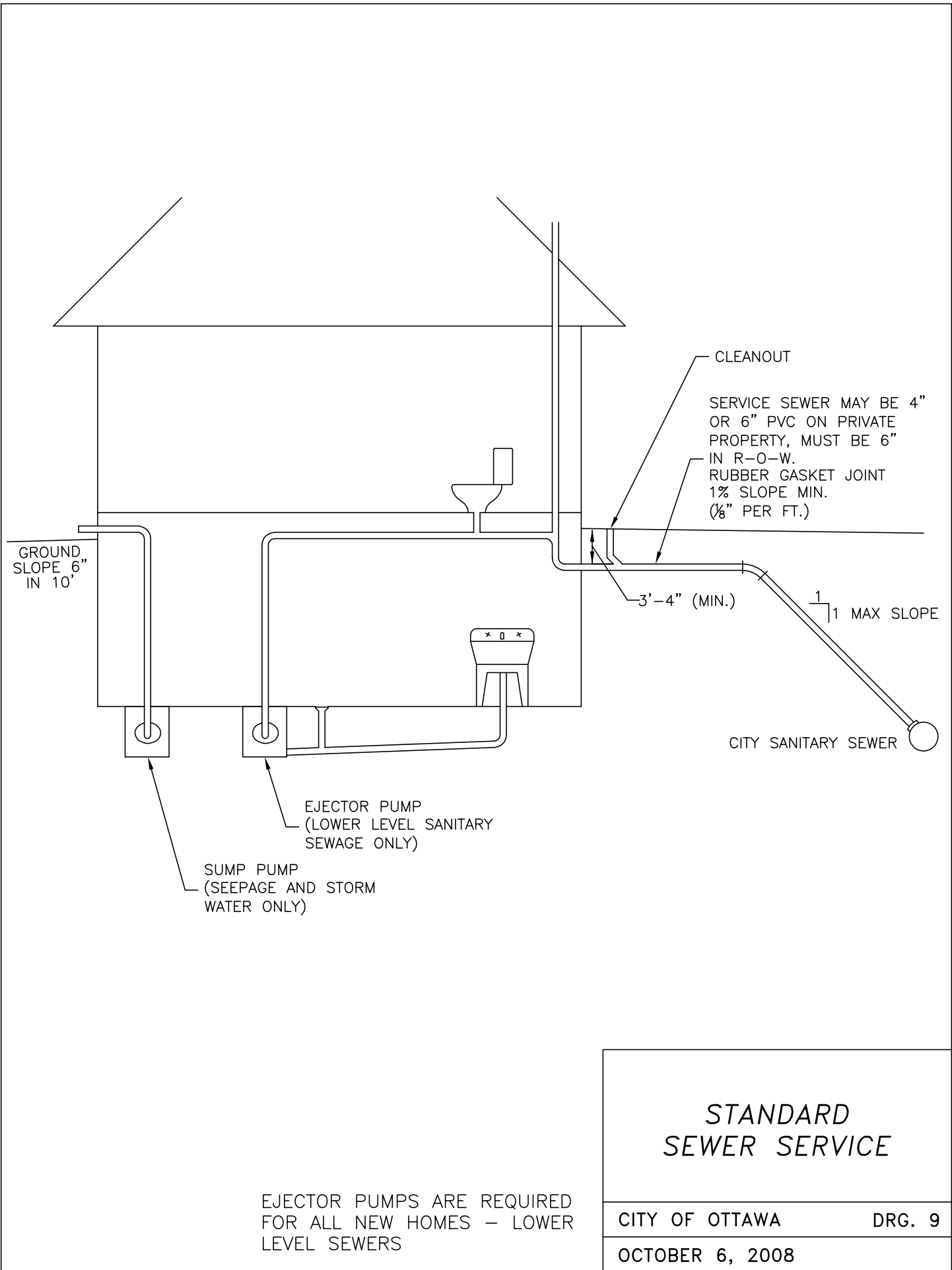
(a) The city shall set aside a limited amount of city funds each year to establish and have available a program for subsidizing the installation of ejector pumps in homes subject to chronic and/or severe flooding. Funds will be available on a "first-come-first-served" basis.

(b) Applications will be received from property owners who can establish a history of chronic and/or severe flooding. Property located in areas which were the subject of previous attempts to ameliorate flood damage by government purchase of property prone to flooding shall not be eligible for the program. The city engineer or his/her designee shall then determine whether the application shall be accepted or rejected.

(c) Property owners whose applications have been accepted shall obtain from a licensed contractor an estimate for the work to be done. Estimates shall be submitted to the city engineer. The city engineer shall then authorize the property owner to begin work. When the work has been completed according to the approved specifications and has been inspected and approved by the city engineer or his/her designee, the property owner shall submit to the city a receipt showing final payment to the contractor. In the alternative, a property owner who wishes to install an ejector pump in his/her personal residence may elect to install the ejector pump personally. In that event, the owner shall provide to the city engineer an estimate of the costs to be incurred. After the work is completed, the property owner may claim his/her reimbursement by presenting to the city engineer or his/her designee receipts showing the purchase of the necessary materials.

(d) Upon receiving proof of payment from the property owner, the city shall reimburse the property owner for one-half the cost of installing the ejector pump up to the maximum city contribution of \$2,000.00.

(Ord. No. O47-2008, 10-21-2008; Ord. No. O14-2009, 2-3-2009; Ord. No. O35-2011, 9-6-2011; Ord. No. 036-2015, 10-20-15)



## STANDARD SEWER SERVICE

EJECTOR PUMPS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL NEW HOMES - LOWER LEVEL SEWERS

CITY OF OTTAWA

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OCTOBER 6, 2008