

CULVERT REPLACEMENT APPLICATION



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Water Pollution Control
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Name

Address of Property

City, State

Zip

Phone

E-mail

If you make below the HUD 80% Income Limit* you could qualify for additional funding assistance.

- Check if you believe you might qualify based on the standards listed below and/or might want more information.

80% Income Limit*	1 Person	2 Person	3 Person	4 Person	5 Person	6 Person	7 Person	8 Person
	\$46,350	\$52,950	\$59,550	\$66,150	\$71,450	\$76,750	\$82,050	\$87,350

*Income limit is determined by HUD and may change from year to year.

Culvert Replacement Program

Purpose

The City of Topeka accepts applications to replace old culverts. The property must be classified as owner-occupied residential. Property owner must purchase the culvert prior to Water Pollution Control (WPC) staff installation, unless homeowner qualifies for financial assistance. The property owner must not have outstanding permit or code violations and no outstanding indebtedness to the City.

Note: Funding is limited and is available on a first come, first serve basis. The total number of culvert installations per year will be limited to twenty (20).

General Qualifying Criteria

Homeowners may qualify to have the City purchase the culvert under the following guidelines:

- Applicant first must meet all qualifications of the culvert program.
- Applicant household income must not exceed 80% of the current annual median household income as determined by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for Topeka.
- The cost of the culvert would be a deferred mortgage loan recorded against the property to secure the City's interest in the property.
- If the property is sold, traded, transferred or refinanced within 5 years, the loan is due in full to the City of Topeka. After 5 years, the City will remove/forgive the lien upon notification by the property owner.
- If the cost of the culvert is under \$1,000, the work will be done as a grant that does not need to be repaid.