



# City of Lookout Mountain Georgia

## Permit Application for Residential Keeping and Raising of Chickens

### Applicant Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Co-Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State ZIP Code

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Property Information

Map and Parcel Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exact Acreage: \_\_\_\_\_

### Number Of Chickens

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### Acknowledgment

*The undersigned Applicants acknowledge that they have read the City of Lookout Mountain's Ordinance No. 311 which sets forth terms, conditions and limitations regarding the keeping and raising of chickens in the City's Single Family District. The undersigned Applicants each agree to comply on an ongoing basis with all terms, conditions and limitations set forth in Ordinance No. 311 and to pay all applicable fees as the City Council from time to time prescribe for the keeping and raising of chickens. Among other things, each of the undersigned Applicants acknowledges and agrees:*

- Any permit for the keeping and raising of chickens must be renewed by January 30 of the year following the year for which the permit is issued. If not renewed by February 28, the permit will automatically be terminated.*
- Ordinance No. 311 only permits the keeping and raising of hens in the City's Single-Family District. The keeping or raising of roosters is not permitted in any zoning district of the city.*

- Chickens may only be kept and raised in Rear Yards as defined in the City's Zoning Ordinance and shall not be kept or allowed to run free in any portion of a Front Yard or Side Yard. The Rear Yard where chickens are kept or raised must be fully enclosed with fencing which has been duly approved and constructed in full compliance with the City's Zoning Ordinance.
- Coops for chickens must be constructed on the property and must be approved before any permit is issued. Specific requirements for coops are set forth in Ordinance No. 311 (Subsection (g) on pages 4-5).
- Chickens must be kept inside their coops, secure from predators, from sunset to sunrise.
- No chickens may be slaughtered within the city limits.
- No chickens or the eggs which they produce may be sold or bartered on the property of any permit holder.
- Ordinance No. 311 contains a two-year Sunset Provision. If before the expiration of the two-year period the ordinance is not renewed and continued by the City Council, the Ordinance will be considered repealed, and the keeping and raising of chickens will no longer be permitted in the City's Single-Family District. Ordinance No. 311 is also subject to repeal at any time prior to the expiration of the two-year Sunset period if the City Council determines that such repeal is in the best interest and public welfare of the City of Lookout Mountain.

The undersigned Applicants, being first duly sworn, swear or affirm that the information contained in the foregoing Application is true and correct and that they will on an ongoing basis abide by and comply with all terms, conditions and limitations of the City of Lookout Mountain's Ordinance No. 311 and any amendments to that Ordinance.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this  
the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**Office Use Only**

Fee Paid:

Inspection Complete:

Inspectors Signature:

Fee Amount: