

BEEKEEPING INFORMATION

REQUIREMENTS:

(See Subsection 15.04.350 for specifics types of bees allowed and other details and requirements)

- Lot size **must be at least** 1/3 of an acre (13,200 sq. ft.)
- Property must be zoned R-1 to R-3, or on a privately owned recreationally zoned property
- Hive(s) **must be** located in the **rear** yard
- Hive(s) **must be** placed **at least** 25' from side and back lot lines
- Hive(s) **must be at least** 50' from any recreation area (**plus** a 5' perimeter from the recreation item) or principal building on abutting properties
- Hive(s) entrance **cannot** face neighboring property's principal structure or recreation area
- **No more than two hives** can be on a minimum sized lot (1/3 acre) Additional permanent hives may be allowed at a rate of one per each additional half acre
- Water supply **must be** available from a solid surface (some examples: corks, branches, and pebbles in the water) within 10 feet of hive entrance(s)

WHAT TO SUBMIT:

- Application - completed and signed by property owner and notarized
- Permission form signed by all abutting property owners
- Survey showing requested location of hive(s)
- Payment of \$63.00 (cash or check made payable to City of Brookfield)