*City of Jackson*

**PERMIT APPLICATION** No._____

## PLANTING OF MANAGED NATURAL LANDSCAPE on PRIVATE PROPERTY

NAME_____ DATE _____

ADDRESS_____ PH.#_____

ADDRESS FOR PLANTING IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE: _____

***(On the reverse side, please draw managed landscape design with dimensions) ***

A "managed natural landscape" means a planned, intentional, and maintained planting of native or nonnative grasses, wildflowers, forbs, ferns, shrubs, or trees, including but not limited to rain gardens, meadow vegetation, and ornamental plants.

**Before approval of the permit, the applicant understands and agrees to the following:**

1. **If managed natural landscapes are not maintained by the property owner or renter, the city has the authority to enter upon premises to maintain the same according to city ordinances.**
2. **Managed landscapes shall be planted at least 10 feet from any fire hydrant or water shutoff valve.**
3. **Call GOPHER STATE ONE (1-800-252-1166) at least 48 hours in advance of planting if digging more than 12" down. (Failure to do so could result in a $500 fine, plus replacement of utilities that are damaged.)**
4. **No planting shall take place until this application is signed by the City Administrator.**

NOTE: *Managed natural landscape permits are subject to the regulations outlined in Minnesota Statute 412.925 and do not include turf-grass lawns left unattended to return to a natural state. Ordinance 92.25 "Weed Ordinance" is amended to the extent necessary to comply with Minnesota Statute 412.925.*

DATED:_____ _____

Applicant Signature

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**FOR OFFICE USE**

Reviewed by: Electric Dept._____ Sewer Dept. _____

Water Dept. _____

Comments:_____

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**I hereby (approve) (deny) this application.**

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City Administrator Date

If application for permit denied, reason for action:_____

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