

Water System Name

CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL POLICY

A policy related to “cross connection control and backflow-prevention control” at:

Utah Public Water System Name: Fayette Town

State Assigned System Number: UTAH20002 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Business Name: Fayette Town

Address: 80S 100E

City: Fayette

State, Zip: Utah 84630

Phone Number: 528 5882

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PART I:

CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL AND BACKFLOW PREVENTION

(1) In accordance with the Utah Division of Drinking Water (hereafter stated as the DDW) rule Section R309.105.12; It shall be against the policy adopted herewith by the Owner of the afore stated business, operating a public drinking water system as determined by the Utah DDW, to allow at any connection supplied with water from the potable water supply to the distribution system, any of the following:

- (a) To install or use any physical connection or arrangement of piping or fixtures, which may allow any fluid or substances unsuitable for human consumption to enter the potable water distribution system, as per the currently adopted plumbing code of the state of Utah.
- (b) Any employee, agent of owner, or owner, to install, or cause to have installed, any connection, arrangement, or fixtures without a Backflow Prevention Device or approved Assembly unless arranged otherwise by the Owner or authorized representative of the Owner.
- (c) To incorrectly install, cause, or allow to be incorrectly installed, any Backflow Prevention Device or Assembly required by the currently adopted plumbing code and amendments of the state of Utah.

(2) Any person found in violation of this policy shall be subject to reprimand or other appropriate disciplinary action, as determined by the Owner or duly authorized representative.

(3) Administration of this policy shall be in accordance with the most recently approved "Cross Connection Control Program of Utah. A copy of the manual may be viewed and/or downloaded from the state Division of Drinking Water's website at drinkingwater.utah.gov

(4) Backflow prevention assemblies, as required by code, will be required to be tested at least annually. The owner, or duly authorized agent of the owner, shall prepare and maintain a Backflow Assembly Information sheet on all such devices and Test results shall be maintained for a period of no less than five (5) years.

PART II:

This policy shall take effect on (Month), (Day),(Year). A copy of the policy shall be placed in the office of the aforementioned business, and will be reviewed for all new construction projects, additions, or appurtenances to the water system, before installation.

Signed: _____

As so adopted on (date): _____

Title: _____

R309-105-12. Cross Connection Control.

(1) The water supplier shall not allow a connection to his system which may jeopardize its quality and integrity. Cross connections are not allowed unless controlled by an approved and properly operating backflow prevention assembly or device. The requirements of the International Plumbing Code and its amendments as adopted by the Department of Commerce shall be met with respect to cross connection control and backflow prevention.

(2) Each water system shall have a functioning cross connection control program. The program shall consist of five designated elements documented on an annual basis. The elements are:

(a) a legally adopted and functional local authority to enforce a cross connection control program (i.e., ordinance, bylaw, or policy).

(b) providing public education or awareness material or presentations.

(c) an individual with adequate training in cross connection control or backflow prevention.

(i) Community water systems serving a population of 500 or greater shall have a certified Cross Connection Control Program Administrator by December 31, 2020. Refer to R309-305 for specific requirements.

(ii) Community water systems serving a population less than 500 shall have a certified Cross Connection Control Program Administrator by December 31, 2022. Refer to R309-305 for specific requirements.

(iii) Non-transient non-community and transient non-community water systems may be required to have a certified Cross Connection Control Program Administrator at the Director's discretion.

(d) written records of cross connection control activities, such as, backflow assembly inventory; and

(e) test history and documentation of on-going enforcement (hazard assessments and enforcement actions) activities.

(3) Suppliers shall maintain, as proper documentation, an inventory of each pressure atmospheric vacuum breaker, spill resistant pressure vacuum breaker, double check valve, reduced pressure zone principal assembly, and high hazard air gap used by their customers, and a service record for each such assembly.

(4) Backflow prevention assemblies shall be in-line serviceable (repairable), in-line testable and have approval through third party approval agencies to be used within a public drinking water system. Third party approval shall consist of any combination of two approvals, laboratory, or field, performed by a recognized testing organization which has demonstrated competency to perform such tests.

(5) Backflow prevention assemblies shall be inspected and tested at least once a year, by an individual certified for such work as specified in R309-305. Suppliers shall maintain, as proper documentation, records of these inspections. This testing responsibility may be borne by the water system, or the water system management may require that the customer having the backflow prevention assembly be responsible for having the assembly tested.

(6) Suppliers serving areas also served by a pressurized irrigation system shall prevent cross connections between the two. Requirements for pressurized irrigation systems are outlined in Section 19-4-112 of the Utah Code.