

South Rim Water Company Cross Connection Protection Program Bylaw

Purpose:

The purpose of this ordinance is to protect the public potable water supply from contamination or pollution by isolating within its customer's internal distribution system such contaminants or pollutants which could backflow or back-siphon into the public potable water supply system.

Duty to Implement:

South Rim Water Company shall be charged with implementing the terms of this Bylaw.

General Requirements:

All connections to the South Rim Water Company potable water system shall conform to the Uniform Plumbing Code as adopted by the State of Utah and the State of Utah Public Drinking Water Regulations.

Discontinuing Service Where Unprotected Cross Connection Exists:

Service of water to any building or location may, in the discretion of South Rim Water Company be discontinued if a backflow prevention assembly required by this Bylaw is not installed, tested, and maintained, or if a backflow prevention assembly has been removed, by-passed or if an unprotected cross connection exists at that building or location. Where the Water Division manager or the Cross Connections Compliance Officer, or his representative, determines that the risk to the South Rim Water Company is a serious threat to health or safety, then he or she may immediately terminate water service to a building or location. The Water Division may refuse to restore water service to such a building or location until such conditions or defects are corrected. The South Rim Water Company shall give reasonable notice to the customer and/or owner of the building or location of the termination of water service to a building or location, and where the consumer could not reasonably be so notified before termination, then notice shall be given promptly afterwards.

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Rules and Specifications:

All connections to the South Rim Water Company shall be subject to the requirements of the Uniform Plumbing Code, the Utah State Public Drinking Water Regulations, and County water system rules and regulations.

Record Keeping:

The South Rim Water Company shall record all installations of Backflow Prevention Devices, Assemblies and methods of cross connection correction installed by or communicated to them, as those terms are defined in the Uniform Plumbing Code and Section 102.4 of the Utah State Public Drinking Water Regulations. The Water manager or Cross Connection Compliance Officer South Rim Water Company shall maintain an inventory of all said assemblies, notify customers of annual testing requirements, and maintain test and repair records on all said assemblies.

Training of Personal:

South Rim Water Company shall meet the Utah Safe Drinking Water Regulations by having an individual attend the required training for a Cross Connection Program.

Public Education:

South Rim Water Company shall meet the Utah Safe Drinking Water Regulations by providing information about Cross Connection Control at their Annual Property Owners Meeting and providing a copy of this bylaw to each new connection owner.

On-Going Enforcement:

South Rim Water Company shall meet the Utah Safe Drinking Water Regulations by inspecting any new construction, and existing connections to make sure there are no unprotected cross connections.