

CHAPTER 25 – WATER, SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Sec. 25-65. Water; Reclaimed Water Service; customer responsibility.

(a) The customer shall provide connections and appurtenances from the point of delivery after approval of the construction specifications (i.e., connections and appurtenances) by the Utilities Department, at the customer's own cost and without reimbursement in any form by the City as set forth in this subsection.

- (1) The customer shall be responsible for scheduling an inspection of the connection assembly with the Utilities Department upon completion of the installation.
- (2) The customer shall not tamper with or modify or connect any unauthorized hose, fitting or fixtures to the connection assembly.
- (3) The customer shall be responsible for all maintenance including equipment, etc. associated with receiving reclaimed water from the point of delivery to the customer's property line and beyond.

(b) The customer shall restrict the use of reclaimed water for such uses as promulgated by the Utilities Director who may take into account the Class level of the user and state law. The customer shall post such signage as determined appropriate by the Utilities Director advising customers of such facilities and the public that reclaimed water is being used on the property.

(c) The customer will not allow the reclaimed water to:

- (1) Enter dwelling units for toilet flushing or other potable uses;
- (2) Be plumbed for consumption by humans or animals;
- (3) Interconnect with another water source;
- (4) Sprinkle edible crops or gardens;
- (5) Contact humans or animals for recreation;
- (6) Flow through unapproved types of connections as determined by the Utilities Director;
- (7) Fill swimming pools;
- (8) Be resold (i.e., the act of selling reclaimed water again);

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(9) Be used for any purpose in violation of regulations promulgated by the Utilities Director governing such use; and

(10) Be used in any way that violates state or federal law.

(d) It shall be unlawful for any individual or customer to tamper with City property to receive reclaimed water in a manner inconsistent with this Chapter.

(e) It shall be unlawful for any individual or customer to interfere in any way with any officer, employee or agent of the City charged with management, construction, operation, inspection, testing or maintenance of the reclaimed water system in the discharge of their duties.

(f) It shall be unlawful for any individual or customer to receive reclaimed water from the City reclaimed water distribution system on any parcel unless the City shall have placed or directed the placing of a reclaimed water meter upon such parcel. It shall be the responsibility of the Utilities Director to approve or decline each application for reclaimed water. The Utilities Director shall direct the type and size of any reclaimed water meter to be installed in the turnout based on the proposed quantity of reclaimed water to be used. It is the responsibility of the customer to pay for the meter, however the meter shall remain the property of the City.

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