

2025 ANNUAL SUMMARY REPORT CROSS CONNECTION & BACKFLOW PREVENTION

Water System Name & PWS ID#: COTTAGE GROVE, CITY OF, 41-00236

System Size: Large System, 300+ connections

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Customer Base

Who does your water system serve? **Count each service connection only once**, include connections with and without a backflow assembly.

Number of **residential connections** in your water system: 3525

Number of any **high hazard connections** in your water system: 42

Number of **other types of connections** not listed above: 409

Total number of service connections: 3976

An **enabling authority** is required for all community water systems. The enabling authority allows for a water system to discontinue service for various reasons. A sample enabling authority is available for small water systems on our website: www.healthoregon.org/crossconnection. If you have not submitted an enabling authority to the State, please complete one and submit it as soon as possible.

Does your water system have an enabling authority? Yes

Was your enabling authority revised within the last year? No

This section is for LARGE SYSTEMS ONLY (Large = 300+ Service Connections)

Certified Cross Connection Specialist Information:

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Does your WS have a current written backflow prevention program plan?

Yes

Does the backflow prevention plan include the following:

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| 1. A list of premises where health hazard cross connections exist, including, but not limited to, those listed in Table 46 (High Hazard Table). | <u>Yes</u> |
| 2. Procedure for continually evaluating the degree of hazard posed by a water users premises. | <u>Yes</u> |
| 3. Procedure for notifying the water user if a non-health hazard or health hazard is identified, and for informing the water user of any corrective action required. | <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. The type of protection required to prevent backflow into the public water supply, commensurate with the degree of hazard that exists on the water user's premises. | <u>Yes</u> |
| 5. A description of what corrective actions will be taken if a water user fails to comply with the water suppliers cross connection control requirements. | <u>Yes</u> |
| 6. Current records of approved backflow prevention assemblies installed, inspections completed, test results, and verification of current backflow assembly tester certification. | <u>Yes</u> |
| 7. A public education program about cross connection control. | <u>Yes</u> |

Assembly Data

Reduced Pressure Backflow Prevention Assemblies (RP, RPBA, & RPDA)

Are there any RPs installed in your water system?	Yes
How many assemblies are installed in your water system?	135
How many assemblies were tested?	134
How many assemblies passed their annual test?	123
How many assemblies failed their annual test?	11

Comments: We had one new RP installed on a new construction project.
~~There was one RP that did not get tested until January, after the 2025 deadline, due to tester's inability to find the prior report. They went to the site and retested when the report was not found.~~

Double Check Backflow Prevention Assemblies (DC, DCVA, & DCDA)

Are there any DCs installed in your water system?	Yes
How many assemblies are installed in your water system?	1769
How many assemblies were tested?	1767
How many assemblies passed their annual test?	1731
How many assemblies failed their annual test?	36

Comments: There were (64) new DCs installed, (1) RP that was replaced with a DC, and there were (10) additional Irrigation DC's found by testers that were on site to test the Premise Isolation.
~~There were (2) DCs that a tester was not able to locate test reports from 2025, so they returned and tested in January 2026 in order to provide a current test report.~~

Pressure Vacuum Breaker Assemblies (PVB, PVBA, & SVBA)

Are there any PVBs installed in your water system?	Yes
How many assemblies are installed in your water system?	42
How many assemblies were tested?	42
How many assemblies passed their annual test?	39
How many assemblies failed their annual test?	3

Comments: There was one residential customer that removed all of their irrigation system and, therefore, disabled the PVB backflow on their property, resulting in one less PVB.
