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Marcola Water District
Cross Connection Program
Written Program Plan Development

March, 1995

Marcola Water District serves approximately 200 customers in the unincorporated area of Marcola, Oregon. The majority of these customers are residential, with a small number of commercial and industrial customers in town. Contract services have been arranged with the Rainbow Water District to provide backflow inspection. A cross connection control resolution was enacted in February, 1995. We are currently conducting the initial inspection of commercial and industrial customers within the system in order to develop a listing of facilities and their hazard level. We plan to require backflow protection wherever needed, and to schedule subsequent testing and inspection of these connections as determined by their level of hazard.

CROSS CONNECTION POLICIES
Marcola Water District
Resolution 95-01

WHEREAS, the Marcola Water District Board recognizes that it has a responsibility to provide its customers at the service connection with water that is safe under all foreseeable circumstances. Thus, in the exercise of this responsibility, the Marcola Water District must take responsible precautions to protect the Utility's water distribution system from the hazards originating on the premises of its customers that may degrade and contaminate the water in the public water supply system.

WHEREAS, the purpose of this resolution is to set the policy for regulating cross-connections within the public water supply system. Cross connections are actual or potential interties within a plumbing system where contaminated water may enter the domestic water supply system.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Marcola Water District Board:

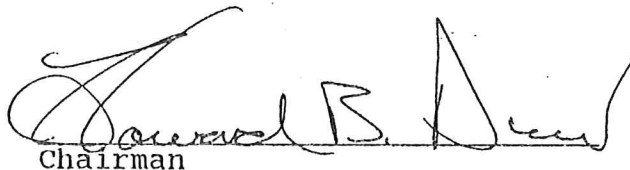
- Section 1. That the Marcola Water District adopts by reference the Oregon Administrative Rules Chapter 333, Sections 61-070 through 61-071 and subsequent applicable rules.
- Section 2. That it shall be the duty of Marcola Water District to cause inspections to be made of all properties served by the public water supply where cross connection with the public water supply is deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and re-inspections based on potential health hazards involved shall be established by Marcola Water District
- Section 3. That upon due notice to the property owners involved. the representative of the Marcola Water District shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time, any property served by the connection to the public water supply system operated by the Marcola Water District for the purpose of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof for cross connections. On request of the Marcola Water District, the owner, lessees or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the inspection agency any pertinent information regarding the piping system or systems on such property. The refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, shall be deemed an indication of potential cross connections and associated threat to public health.
- Section 4. That the Marcola Water District is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property wherein any connection in violation of this resolution exists, and to take such other precautionary measures deemed

necessary to eliminate any danger of contamination of public water supply system. Water service to such property shall not be restored until the cross connections(s) have been eliminated in compliance with the provisions of this resolution.

Section 5. That this resolution does not supersede local plumbing codes or state uniform plumbing codes and their subsequent revisions, but is supplementary to them.

ADOPTED by a vote of 5 for and 0 against, this 15 day of January, 1995.

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Raymond B. New

Chairman

ATTEST:

Cheryl New
Secretary