Enabling Ordinance or Enabling Authority Cross Contamination/Backflow



Cross Connection
Drinking Water Program

Date of Water System approval to fulfill this Document was made thru an Addition to the Bylaws of Idleway Improvement District, Inc., Article XII, Enabling Authority, as follows.

Authority was given and approved by the members at the annual meeting of, September 14, 1996, and confirmed and approved by directors September 14, 1996, to be able to shut members water off if cross connection valve is warranted.

I the undersigned as the duly appointed Secretary of Idleway Improvement District, Inc., declare this amendment to be to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct and complete.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1996 It was signed by Edna Smith, Secretary

Idleway Improvement District, Inc. Enabling Ordinance or Enabling Authority for Small Water Systems Cross Contamination/Backflow

Idleway Improvement District, Inc. Water System PWS ID #4101208

The purpose of this ordinance is to protect the health of the people served by this water system by preventing contaminants from flowing backwards into the water supply. To accomplish this, these rules are in compliance with OAR 333-061-0070 thru 333-061-0074. This includes installation, maintenance and testing of backflow prevention devices and assemblies; as well as other rules to report backflow data to the Oregon Health Authority every year.

Actual or potential cross connections are prohibited. If a potential exists for a cross connection and this is necessary, the water system must be protected by an appropriate backflow prevention device or assembly. Most high hazards or health hazard are specified in the above listed Oregon Administrative Rules. They should be given the highest priority by this water system.

Idleway Improvement District, Inc. has the right to refuse or terminate water service to any customer who does not install a backflow device or assembly, when necessary, test at least annually and repair if necessary the backflow devices on the customer's property.

Idleway Improvement District, Inc. reserves the right to demand a backflow device at the customer's side of the water meter if access is not allowed to determine if a backflow device or assembly is necessary.

Idleway Improvement District, Inc. will allow a reasonable time to achieve compliance with our rules, but should a backflow incident occur, the water system has the right to terminate service immediately and restore it only after compliance.