Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services



Application for Waiver from Construction Standards for Public Water Systems

Revised March 2025

Water System Name: Portland Water Bureau	PWS ID:	00657
Project or Facility: NW Kearney	County:	Multnomah
Need for waiver identified: Water System Survey	Date of Survey:	
☐ Plan Review # Exempt		
Construction standard requested to be waived: OAR 333-061-1	0050 (9)(h) water s	ewer separati

Construction standard requested to be waived: OAR 333-061-0050 (9)(b) water sewer separation

As provided under OAR 333-061-0055, OHA may grant waivers from the construction standards prescribed by these rules:

- (a) When it is demonstrated to the satisfaction of OHA that strict compliance with the rule would be highly burdensome or impractical due to special conditions or causes; and
- (b) When the public or private interest in the granting of the waiver is found by OHA to clearly outweigh the interest of the application of uniform rules; and
- (c) When alternate measures are provided which, in the opinion of OHA, will provide adequate protection to the health and safety of the public including the ability to produce water which does not exceed the maximum contaminant levels listed in rule 333-061-0030.

Describe situation that conflicts with the standard. A proposed 8" water pipe and a proposed sanitary sewer pipe are being installed in NW Kearney. Where they must connect back into existing from 0+13 to 0+33, they will have only 4-5' of parallel horizontal separation, creating a Zone 2 conflict. Describe why meeting the standard is highly burdensome or impractical. The proposed pipes must connect back to the existing infrastructure, requiring fitting into those alignments. The sewer pipe is being installed with a 6" offset into the manhole to maximize distance between them.

Describe proposed alternate measure that provide adequate protection to public health and safety. The proposed water pipe will be encased in CLSM. Additionally, the sanitary sewer pipe will be constructed of pressure pipe.

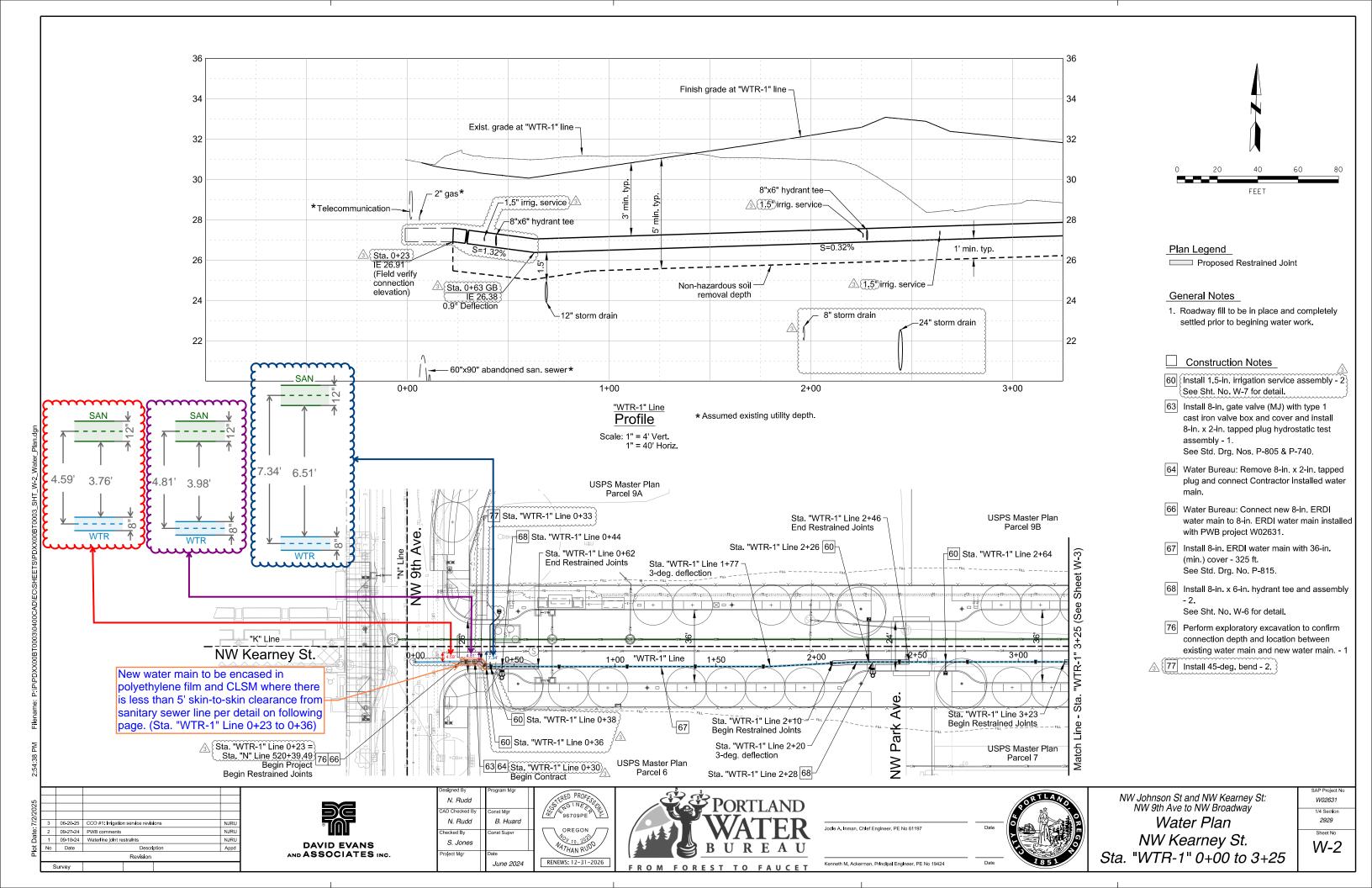
EMAIL this form along with plans of proposed waiver request and additional supporting information to your regulator or dws.planreview@odhsoha.oregon.gov. If you are unable to send your documents electronically, please contact OHA before mailing them.

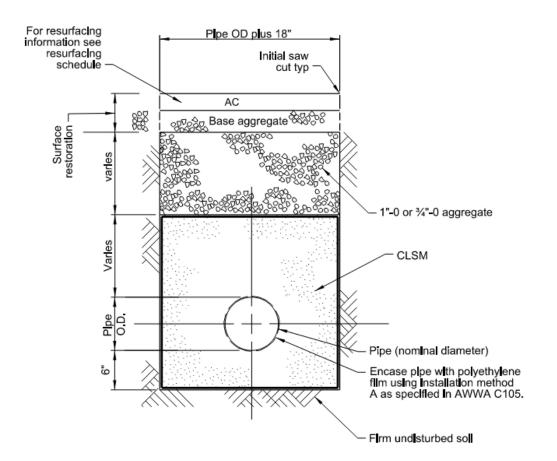
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Comments:		
Attachments (describe): Improvement plans	
	OHA Use Only	
Waiver ID: 546-	2025	
Entered into waiv	er database 🗸	
Plan Review (Coordinator's notes:Proposed encasement the Zone 2 conflict.	with CLSM is an appropriate remedy for
After due conside 061-0050 is hereb	ration the above requested waiver from the ey:	construction standards of OAR 333-
Approved Denied	Comments:	
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Technical Service OHA Drinking W	es Unit or Regional Manager Vater Services	Date
Waiver database	updated 🔀	





Note:

Encase existing utilities exposed within waterline trench in CLSM.

Street Trench Section for CLSM Encasement