

DIVISION 2.

CROSS CONNECTIONS

Sec. 20-64. Cross connection rules adopted.

The village adopts by reference the water supply Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality being R325.11401 to R325.11407 of the Michigan Administrative Code.

(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.001; Ord. No. 514, § 1, 7-1-1976; Ord. of 10-9-2000, § 1)

Sec. 20-65. Inspections.

It shall be the duty of the village water department to cause inspections to be made of all properties served by the public water supply where cross connections with the public water supply is deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and re-inspections based on potential health hazards involved shall be as established by the village council and as approved by the state department of environmental quality.

The testable backflow prevention assemblies shall be tested at the time of installation or relocation and after any repair. Subsequent testing of devices shall be conducted at a time interval specified by Village of Lyons DPW and in accordance with Michigan Department of Environmental Quality requirements. Only individuals that hold a valid Michigan plumbing license and have successfully passed an approved backflow testing class shall perform such testing. Each tester shall also be approved by the Village of Lyons DPW. Individual(s) performing assembly testing shall certify the results of his/her testing.

(Comp. Ords. amended 2-15-2016, eff 2-20-2016; amended 1-18-2016, eff: 1-23-2016, 1999, § 81.002; Ord. No. 514, § 2, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-66. Right of entry; information.

The representative of the village shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply system of the village for the purpose of inspecting the piping system thereof for cross connections. On request the owner, lessees or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the inspection agency any pertinent information regarding the piping system on such property. The refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, shall be deemed evidence of the presence of cross connections.

(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.003; Ord. No. 514, § 3, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-67. Discontinuing water service.

The village is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property wherein any connection in violation of this division exists, and take such other precautionary measures deemed necessary to eliminate any danger on contamination of the public water supply system. Water service to such property shall not be restored until the cross connection has been eliminated in compliance with the provisions of this division.

(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.004; Ord. No. 514, § 4, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-68. Cost.

The costs of any necessary testing, the installation of any protective device, or the taking of any corrective action pursuant to this division shall be paid by the owner, lessee or occupant of the premises served, who may, at his option:

- (1) Install or cause to be installed, such protective device pursuant to this division and any applicable plumbing code, subject to inspection by the village water department before use; or
- (2) Contract for the installation thereof with the village water department, which is hereby authorized and directed to install or cause to be installed said protective devices and bill the customer therefor at the actual cost of materials and labor.

(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.005; Ord. No. 514, § 5, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-69. Protection of potable water; labeling unsafe water.

The potable water supply made available on the properties served by the public water supply shall be protected from possible contamination as specified by this division and by the state plumbing code. Any water outlet which could be used for potable or domestic purposes and which is not supplied by the potable system must be labeled in a conspicuous manner as:
WATER UNSAFE FOR DRINKING.

(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.006; Ord. No. 514, § 6, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-70. Supplementary to state plumbing code.

This division does not supersede the state plumbing code but is supplementary to it.
(Comp. Ords. 1999, § 81.007; Ord. No. 514, § 7, 7-1-1976)

Sec. 20-71. Penalty.

That any person or customer found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or any written order of the Village of Lyons and/or DPW, in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 for each violation. Each day upon which a violation of the provisions of this act shall occur shall be deemed a separate and additional violation for the purpose of this ordinance.

(approved 1-18-2016, eff: 1-23-2016)

Secs. 20-72--20-102. Reserved.