

# **Columbus City Bulletin**



**Bulletin #13  
March 28, 2009**

# Proceedings of City Council

Saturday March 28, 2009



## **SIGNING OF LEGISLATION**

(Note: There was no City Council meeting on Monday, March 23, 2009. Subsequently, there is no passed or defeated legislation included in this edition.)

### **The City Bulletin Official Publication of the City of Columbus**

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# City RFPs, RFQs, and Bids

THE CITY BULLETIN  
BIDS WANTED - PURCHASING OFFICE AND OTHER DIVISIONS

**CITY OF COLUMBUS FORMAL BID OPPORTUNITIES ARE UPDATED INSTANTLY AT:**  
<http://finance.columbus.gov/AboutUs/Purchasing/VSFB.asp>

Each proposal shall contain the full name and address of every person, firm or corporation interested in the same, and if corporation, the name and address of the President and Secretary.

**EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE:** Each responsive bidder shall submit, with its bid, a contract compliance certification number or a completed application for certification. Compliance with the provisions of Article I, Title 39, is a condition of the contract. Failure to comply with this Article may result in cancellation of the contract.

**WITHHOLDING OF INCOME TAX:** All bidders are advised that in order for a contract to bind the City, each contract must contain the provisions found in Section 361.34 C.C.C. with regard to income taxes due or payable to the City of Columbus for wages, salaries and commissions paid to the contractor's employees as well as requiring those contractors to ensure that subcontractors withhold in a like manner.

**DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX:** All bidders are charged with notice of Section 5719.042 of the Ohio Revised Code and agree that if this contract is awarded to them, the successful bidder, prior to the time the contract is entered into, will submit to the City Auditor the affidavit required by said section of the Ohio Revised Code. Said affidavit, when filed with City Auditor, is thereby incorporated into and made a part of this contract and no payment shall be made with respect to this contract unless such statement has been so incorporated as a part thereof.

**LOCAL CREDIT:** For all contracts EXCEPT PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTS: In determining the lowest bid for purpose of awarding a contract not exceeding \$20,000.00, a local bidder shall receive a credit equal to five percent (5%) of the lowest bid submitted by a non-local bidder. In determining the lowest bid for purposes of awarding a contract in excess of \$20,000.00, a local bidder shall receive a credit equal to one percent (1%) or \$10,000.00, whichever is less, of the lowest bid submitted by a non-local bidder. A local bidder is a person, corporation or business which (a) has listed its principal place of business as being located within the corporation limits of the City of Columbus or the County of Franklin in official documents filed with Secretary of State, State of Ohio, or a valid vendor's license which indicates its place of business is located within the corporation limits of the City of Columbus or County of Franklin.

FOR COPIES OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING BID PROPOSALS CALL THE LISTED DIVISION

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BID OPENING DATE - April 2, 2009 11:00 am

SA003211 - PURCHASE OF PHARMACEUTICALS/FIRE UTC

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1.1 Scope: The City of Columbus, Division of Fire, seeks to establish a Universal Term contract for the purchase of pharmaceuticals on an as needed basis for use by EMS personnel. An estimated \$350,000.00 will be spent on this contract annually. The contract may be utilized by various City agencies and deliveries will be made to the respective agency's location on an as needed basis. The contract will be in effect from the date of execution through August 31, 2012.

1.2 Classification: Pharmaceuticals to be bid on include: Lidocaine Jelly, Dextrose 50%, Adenosine, Atropine, Atropine High Dose, Baby Aspirin 81 UD, Benadryl, Magnesium Sulfate, Nitro Spray, Ipratropium, Ondansetran, Dopamine, Epinephrine; Glucagen, Narcan, Vasopressin, Sodium Chloride, Albuterol INH, Reactose, Sodium Bicarb, Sodium Thiosulfate, Furosemide, Saline, Amiodarone, Children's Tylenol, Bacitracin Ointment, Accu-Checks/ Comfort Curve, Promethazine, Tetracaine, Nitro Paste, Vecuronium.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.  
ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: February 25, 2009

SA003226 - High-Skid Pavement Marking Material UTC/

1.0. SCOPE AND CLASSIFICATION

1.1. SCOPE. It is the intent of this bid proposal to provide for all agencies of the City of Columbus, a "firm offer for sale" blanket type contract(s) for the purchase of standard or high-skid resistant preformed pavement markings for asphalt or Portland cement concrete surfaces that is applied by heat or cold application and the equipment used for installation. The term of this contract will be for through December 31, 2010. Annual expenditure for this contract is estimated to be \$50,000.00.

1.2. CLASSIFICATION. The material will be durable preformed high skid resistant, heat-fused, and cold applied pavement markings to be installed on City streets and roadways.

All Reflectance data must be submitted with all bids. The bidder may be required to provide standard certifications for proposed equipment and materials required for installation in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. Preference will be given to products that do not contain hazardous materials listed under 40 CFR, part 261.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.  
ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 12, 2009

BID OPENING DATE - April 7, 2009 1:00 pm

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SA003223 - OCM-CONSTRUCTION OF NEW IMPOUND LOT

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW IMPOUND LOT ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND STORAGE BUILDING FOR THE DIVISION OF POLICE AND THE PARKING VIOLATIONS BUREAU LOCATED AT 2700, 2720 IMPOUND LOT ROAD, COLUMBUS, OHIO 43207

1.1 Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus, Department of Finance and Management, Office of Construction Management, to obtain formal bids to establish a contract for CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW IMPOUND LOT ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND STORAGE BUILDING FOR THE DIVISION OF POLICE AND THE PARKING VIOLATIONS BUREAU LOCATED AT 2700, 2720 IMPOUND LOT ROAD, COLUMBUS, OHIO 43207. Work to be completed within 425 calendar days upon notification of award of contract.

1.2 Classification: Construction of a 16,858 square feet Administration building and construction of a 7,800 square feet storage building that the City of Columbus Division of Police and the Parking Violations Bureau will occupy. These buildings are designed to be placed on 27 acres of property and to accommodate 3,700 vehicles. Construction services will include general construction, site excavation, HVAC, plumbing, electrical, fire alarm, security and any items or service that is needed to construct these facilities. These buildings are to be LEED certified and must adhere to these said requirements. There will be a pre-bid meeting on Thursday, March 19, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. at the City of Columbus Police Training Academy located at 1000 Hague Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43204, Room 104. There will also be a site visit on Thursday, March 26, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. located at 1700 Impound Lot Road. (Please see attached map in the City of Columbus specifications.) This is a prevailing wage project. A 10% proposal bond/100% performance bond required. All questions and concerns pertaining to the plans and specifications shall be directed in writing to the Architect: Mull and Weithman Architects to the attention of B.J. Mull via fax (614-267-6978) or email (bjm@mw-architects.com) only prior to Tuesday, March 31, 2009 by 2:00 p.m. Addendums will be issued accordingly. The budget estimate for this project including funds for contingency, allowances and alternates is \$7,100,000.00.

Copies of said Bid Documents may be purchased at DC Reprographics located at 1072 West Fifth Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43212 beginning Monday, March 9, 2009 at a non-refundable fee of \$220.00 per set. Contact DC Reprographics via phone (614) 297-1200, fax (614) 297-1300 or the internet at ([www.dcreprographics.com](http://www.dcreprographics.com)). A plan holder's list will be published via the internet site.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.  
ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 27, 2009

BID OPENING DATE - April 9, 2009 11:00 am

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SA003197 - Sewers-Line Locating Equipment UTC

1.1 Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus, Division of Sewerage and Drainage to obtain formal bids to establish a Universal Term Contract (UTC/Blanket Type) for the purchase of Line Locating Equipment and Accessories for use by the Line Locating Section. The equipment is used for locating water, sewer and power lines. It is estimated that \$45,000.00 will be spent annually on this contract. The proposed contract shall be in effect for two (2) years from the date of execution by the City to and including June 30, 2011.

1.2 Classification: The contract(s) resulting from this bid proposal will provide for the purchase of Fisher Labs Ferrous/Non Ferrous Metal Detectors (Model FP ID 2100) with carrying case or an approved equal; and, the purchase of Rycom Instruments/Cable Pipe and Fault Locators (Model 8879-RF/CP) with carrying case or an approved equal and Flexible/Rigid Couplers.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 12, 2009

SA003219 - Sewers - Isco Equipment & Services UTC

1.1 Scope: The City of Columbus, Division of Sewerage and Drainage, Pre-Treatment Section is obtaining bids to establish a contract for the purchase of Teledyne Isco Wastewater Monitoring Equipment, Service and Consumables for use in the monitoring of industrial wastewater. It is estimated that \$45,000.00 will be spent annually on this contract. The proposed contract shall be in effect from the date of execution by the City to and including September 30, 2011.

1.2 Classification: This bid proposal and the resulting contract will provide for the purchase of Teledyne Isco Wastewater Bubbler Flow Meters, Model 4230; Teledyne Isco Wastewater Samplers, Model 3700; Nickel Cadmium Battery for Teledyne Isco Samplers 60-1684-040, Model 934; five station battery charger for use with Teledyne Isco Samplers 68-3000-965, Model 965, on as needed basis. Bidders are asked to quote on service per hour rate, equipment and percentage discount off list price for consumables. Furthermore, bidders are asked to submit a price list for consumables with prices that include any percentage discount already calculated into the price.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 04, 2009

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SA003228 - MISCELLANEOUS MEDICAL SUPPLIES UTC

1.1 Scope: The City of Columbus, Division of Fire, is obtaining formal bids to establish an option contract(s) with a "Catalog" firm offer for sale of various miscellaneous medical supplies through June 30, 2012. The bidder shall submit its standard published catalog(s) and/or discounts to the listed prices. The city may purchase item(s) or group of like item(s) in the catalog and/or price list from the successful bidder after a purchase order for the listed items is issued. Awards could potentially be made to multiple suppliers for multiple years. The contract may be utilized by various City agencies and deliveries will be made to the respective agency's location on an as needed basis.

1.2 Classification: The contract(s) resulting from this bid proposal will provide for the option to purchase and/or delivery of miscellaneous medical supplies categorized as airway, bandages, IV supplies, infection control, head immobilizations and other miscellaneous items. The inability of the City to verify pricing on the Proposal Page Worksheet(s) or the inability of the bidder to provide its standard published catalog(s) and/or discounts to the listed prices will result in rejection of the bid. The inability of the bidder to provide verifiable bids for less than seventy-five percent (75%) of the listed items in a particular group or the inability of the bidder to propose

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 17, 2009

SA003229 - LAND REDEVELOPMENT - DEMOLITION SERVICES

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DEMOLITION SERVICES - LAND REDEVELOPMENT OFFICE/NSP PROGRAM

1. SCOPE AND CLASSIFICATION

1.1. Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus, Department of Development, Land Redevelopment Office to obtain bids to establish contract(s) through the Neighborhood Stabilization Program for all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to complete demolition and site clearing services within the municipal boundaries of the City of Columbus. The proposed contract shall be in effect from April 15, 2009, or the contract execution date, whichever is later, and will be for one year.

1.2. Classification:

1.2.1. Proximity: All bidders must demonstrate (by means of providing the information requested herein) the ability and means to respond to the specifications within the response times stated.

1.2.2. Bid Structure: Bidders are requested to submit a cost per cubic foot. City makes no warranties or representations that the estimate quantity, or any quantity at all, will be ordered by the City, even though bidder's proposal is accepted by the City and a firm offer for sale executed.

1.2.3. Bidder Qualifications: Bidders are required to submit documentation stating their experience in contracts with this scope of service. A minimum of three years experience in contracts of similar size is required.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov> <<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov/>> ) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 20, 2009

SA003231 - FLEET/VEHICLE RENTAL

1.1 Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus to obtain proposals to establish a Universal Term Contract(s) (UTC) to supply the rental of various types of vehicles on an as-needed basis for \_\_\_\_\_ hourly, half day, daily, weekly, or monthly periods. This UTC contract(s) will supply the service of vehicle rentals up to and including November 30, 2011.

1.2 Classification: The contract(s) resulting from this bid proposal will provide for the option of \_\_\_\_\_ vehicle rentals per bid document.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 24, 2009

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SA003232 - SPECIALTY EQUIP PARTS,SUPPLIES / FLEET

1.1 Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus to obtain formal bids to establish an option contract(s) with a "Catalog" firm offer for sale of various Specialty Equipment Parts, Supplies and Accessories for the Fleet Management Division. The City may purchase any item(s) or group of like item(s) in the catalog and/or price list from the successful bidder after a purchase order for the listed items is issued. The City estimates it will spend approximately one-hundred-fifty thousand (\$150,000.00) annually under the terms of the resulting contract(s) through November 30, 2011.

1.2 Classification: The bidder shall submit its standard published catalog(s) and/or website which must identify all parts available. The contract(s) resulting from this bid proposal will provide for the option of the purchase and delivery of Specialty Equipment Parts, Supplies and Accessories for various pieces of equipment per bid document.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 25, 2009

SA003230 - PUB SERV/CITYWIDE ADA RAMPS 2009

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1.1 Scope: The City of Columbus, Department of Public Service, is receiving proposals until 3:00 P.M., April 9, 2009, for ADA Curb Ramps - Citywide ADA Curb Ramps 2009, CIP No. 530087-100005, 1648 Drawer A. Proposals are being received at Department of Public Service, Office of Support Services, 90 W. Broad St., Room 301, Columbus, OH, 43215. The scope of the project shall consist of building ADA curb ramps at various locations in Columbus and such other work as may be necessary to complete the contract in accordance with the plans and specifications. These are high priority ramps from the 311 Call Center. The contract duration is 30 calendar days. The City will issue a Notice to Proceed on or about June 2, 2009.

1.2 Classification: Prevailing wage rates apply. The bidder is required to submit a proposal bond in the form provided in the Bid Submittal documents. The amount of the guaranty shall be expressed in dollars and cents or as a percentage of the bid amount, and shall not be less than ten (10) percent of the bid, including all alternates submitted which increases the bid. Each offeror shall submit with its proposal an active City of Columbus Contract Compliance Certification Number, or a completed application for certification. Plans can be purchased at 109 N. Front St, Room 301 for \$10.00. There will not be a pre-bid meeting for this project. All questions concerning the project are to be sent to [capitalprojects@columbus.gov](mailto:capitalprojects@columbus.gov). The last day to submit questions is March 31, 2009. Responses will be posted on the Vendor Services web site as an addendum and an e-mail will be sent to each firm who purchased plans. Phone calls will not be accepted.

For additional information concerning this bid go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov/e-proc/>) and view this solicitation number in the "open solicitations" listing.

Additional information:

It is highly recommended that proposals are hand delivered and not mailed as US Mail is not delivered directly to this building.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 21, 2009

BID OPENING DATE - April 23, 2009 11:00 am

SA003233 - Wallace & Tiernan Parts UTC

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BIDS WANTED - PURCHASING OFFICE AND OTHER DIVISIONS

1.1 Scope: It is the intent of the City of Columbus, Department of Public Utilities, Division of Power & Water to obtain formal bids to establish a Universal Term Contract for the purchase of Parts for Wallace & Tiernam equipment for use by any City Agency for repair Wallace & Tiernam equipment through May 31, 2011.

1.2 Classification: This bid proposal and the resulting universal term contract will provide for the purchase and delivery of Wallace & Tiernam Parts. The City of Columbus will provide all installation requirements.

For additional information concerning this bid, including procedures for obtaining a copy of the bid document(s) and how to submit a proposal, you must go to the City of Columbus Vendor Services web page (<http://vendorservices.columbus.gov>) and view this bid number in the open solicitations listing.

ORIGINAL PUBLISHING DATE: March 26, 2009

# Public Notices

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The link to the **Columbus City Health Code** pdf shall constitute publication in the City Bulletin of changes to the Columbus City Health Department's Health Code. To go to the Columbus City Health Code, click [here](#) (pdf).

The Columbus City Code's "**Title 7 -- Health Code**" is separate from the Columbus City Health Code. Changes to "Title 7 -- Health Code" are published in the City Bulletin. To go to the Columbus City Code's "Title 7 -- Health Code," click [here](#) (html).

**City of Columbus  
City Bulletin Report**

Office of City Clerk  
90 West Broad Street  
Columbus OH 43215-9015  
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**Title OFFICIAL NOTICE  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Civil Service Commission Notice

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**Contact Telephone Number:** 614.645.7531

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**Body**

OFFICIAL NOTICE  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

APPLY ON-LINE 24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK OR APPLY IN PERSON 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. MONDAY, WEDNESDAY or THURSDAY.

The Civil Service Commission continuously administers competitive examinations. Information regarding examinations, for which the Civil Service Commission is currently accepting applications, is located on our website at [www.csc.columbus.gov](http://www.csc.columbus.gov) <<http://www.csc.columbus.gov>> and is also posted at the Commission offices located at 50 West Gay Street, 6th Floor, Columbus, Ohio. Please note that all visitors to the Beacon Building are required to produce a picture ID, authenticating their identity, in order to visit the applications area. Applicants interested in City jobs should check our website or visit the Commission offices.

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**Current Status:** Clerk's Office for Bulletin

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** 2009 Meeting Schedule - City of Columbus Records Commission

**Contact Name:** Toya Johnson, Records Commission Coordinator

**Contact Telephone Number:** 645-7293

**Contact Email Address:** tjjohnson@columbus.gov

**Body**

**CITY BULLETIN NOTICE  
MEETING SCHEDULE  
CITY OF COLUMBUS RECORDS COMMISSION**

The regular meetings of the City of Columbus Records Commission for the calendar year 2009 are scheduled as follows:

**Monday, February 2, 2009**

**Monday, May 4, 2009**

**Monday, September 21, 2009**

These meetings will take place at: City Hall, 90 West Broad Street, 2nd Floor, in the City Council Conference Room (226). They will begin promptly at 10:00 am.

Every effort will be made to adhere to the above schedule, but the City of Columbus Records Commission reserves the right to change the date, time or location of any meeting; or to hold additional meetings. To confirm the meeting date, time and locations or to obtain agenda information, contact the Office of the City of Columbus Records Commission Coordinator at (614) 645-7380.

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**Title**

**Public Notice**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Collection of Delinquent Debt

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**Contract Telephone Number:** (614) 645-3753

**Contract E-mail:** [DJHanket@columbus.gov](mailto:DJHanket@columbus.gov) <<mailto:DJHanket@columbus.gov>>

**Body**

**OFFICIAL NOTICE**

**RULES AND REGULATION NO. 09-01**

**BY THE ORDER OF THE**

**DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC UTILITIES**

**Collection of Delinquent Debt**

Pursuant to the Authority granted under Columbus City Codes Chapters 1101, 1145 and 1149, the Director of the Department of Public Utilities hereby adopts, establishes and publishes this rule and regulation to be effective at the earliest date allowed by law.

“In accordance with Ordinance No. 0130-2009, any Department Director, elected Official, or their designee, who is charged with the responsibility of collecting monies owed the City of Columbus, may refer that debt to an outside collection agency and impose the cost of said collection agency services to the delinquent debtor. As the Director of Public Utilities charged with the responsibility of collecting delinquent debt, I intend to impose said fees on delinquent debtors. This rule will become effective as of April 1, 2009”.

By Order Of:

Tatyana Arsh, P.E.

Director

Department of Public Utilities

**Legislation Number:** PN0059-2009

**Drafting Date:** 03/02/2009

**Current Status:** Clerk's Office for Bulletin

**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** 2009 Recreation and Parks Committee/Administration Committee Meeting Notice

**Contact Name:** Carl Williams

**Contact Telephone Number:** (614) 645-2932

**Contact Email Address:** [CGWilliams@columbus.gov](mailto:CGWilliams@columbus.gov)

**Body**

Council Member Priscilla R. Tyson will host a Recreation and Parks Committee Meeting on the dates listed below. Unless otherwise noted, the meetings will begin at 5:30 P.M. in City Council Chambers, located on the second floor of City Hall, 90 West Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio.

A valid picture ID is needed to enter City Hall. Members of the general public wishing to address the meeting must fill out a speaker slip. These speaker forms will be made available in Council Chambers from 5:30 until 6:00 P.M. on the day of the meeting.

- Thursday, April 16, 2009
- Thursday, May 21, 2009
- Thursday, June 18, 2009
- Thursday, July 16, 2009
- Thursday, September 17, 2009
- Thursday, October 15, 2009
- Thursday, November 19, 2009

*Meeting dates and times subject to change*

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**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Published Columbus City Health Code

**Contact Name:** Richard Hicks

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**Contact Email Address:** [rickh@columbus.gov](mailto:rickh@columbus.gov)

**Body**"The Columbus City Health Code is updated and maintained by the Columbus Health Department.

To view the most current City Health Code, please visit:

<http://www.publichealth.columbus.gov/>

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**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** DPU/DOPW R&R 09-01, Abandoned Water Service Taps

**Contact Name:** Jeffrey W. Deep

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**RULE AND REGULATION NO. 09-01                      February 2009**  
**Division of Power and Water**  
**Department of Public Utilities**

**SUBJECT: Abandoned Water Service Taps -**

Pursuant to the authority granted under Columbus City Codes Chapter 1101, the Director of the Department of Public Utilities hereby adopts, establishes, and publishes this rule and regulation to be effective at the earliest date allowed by law. This rule and regulations supersedes Division of Power and Water rule and regulation entitled: "Abandoned Water Service Tap Credit", published February 18, 2006 as Rule and Regulation 06-01. This rule and regulation is in addition to any established requirements that have not been superseded or rescinded by this or any previous act.

**APPLICATION:**

Any water service taps located within the City of Columbus corporation limits that are to be abandoned as part of a residential, commercial or industrial redevelopment of a property.

**GENERAL REGULATION:**

**Section I: Credits**

To aid in the redevelopment of a property within the City of Columbus, the Division of Power and Water will absorb a portion of the cost incurred by the property owner or developer for the removal of existing water service taps that are designated to be abandoned per the Division of Power and Water Administrator or designee. Compensation will be a fixed amount of two-thousand, two hundred fifty dollars (\$2,250.00) per abandoned tap paid to the property owner or developer. Payment will be made after inspections are completed and approved.

**Section II: Specifications**

Tap abandonment shall be performed per Construction and Material Specifications, City of Columbus (CMSC) or as described by Director of Public Utilities.

If an existing property requires a new, larger water service tap and service to be installed, the property owner shall submit, as a part of the water service plan, a detailed description of the following events: how the property's current water service will be maintained during installation of the new water tap and service; how the new water meters and backflow prevention devices will be installed; and arrangements to handle the abandonment of the current water service tap. Replaced meters shall be returned to the Division of Power and Water. This work shall be completed within a fourteen (14) calendar-day period, commencing when the water service permit fees are paid. Failure to complete any portion of this plan will result in termination of water service to the property. Abandonment and installation of water service taps require approval by the Division of Power and Water Administrator or designee.

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

RICHARD C. WESTERFIELD, Ph.D., P.E.                      Date  
ADMINISTRATOR

DIVISION OF POWER AND WATER

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

TATYANA ARSH, P.E.                      Date  
DIRECTOR  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Published in City Bulletin:

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**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Clintonville Area Commission Meeting - 4/9/09

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**Body**

Public Notice - Clintonville Area Commission

The April meeting of the Clintonville Area Commission will be held Thursday, April 9, 2009. The meeting will be held in the Whetstone Community Center, not the Whetstone Library and will begin at 6:45 pm not 7 pm. The Community Center is located at 3923 North High Street.

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**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** DPU DOPW R&R 09-02 Cross-Connection Control

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**Body**

Please see attachment.

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**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** DPU DOPW R&R 09-03 Water System Capacity Charge Credits

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**Body**

**RULE AND REGULATION NO. 09-03                      February 2009**  
**Division of Power and Water**  
**Department of Public Utilities**

**SUBJECT: Water System Capacity Charge Credits (CCC Reference: 1105.17)**

Pursuant to the authority granted under Columbus City Codes Chapter 1101, the Director of the Department of Public Utilities hereby adopts, establishes, and publishes this rule and regulation to be effective at the earliest date allowed by law. This rule and regulation is in addition to any established requirements that have not been superseded or rescinded by this or any previous act.

**APPLICATION:**

Any existing tap that is replaced with a new one, in conjunction with the redevelopment of commercial, industrial or residential properties involving two or more tax parcels within the City of Columbus distribution system, including retail contract areas. This rule and regulation does not pertain to wholesale contract areas.

**GENERAL REGULATION:**

Whenever commercial, industrial or residential properties are redeveloped and the redevelopment involves two or more tax parcels, the tax parcels shall be combined into one tax parcel in order to receive credit for the system capacity charges from the tap(s) being abandoned.

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
RICHARD C. WESTERFIELD, Ph.D., P.E.                      Date  
ADMINISTRATOR  
DIVISION OF WATER

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
TATYANA ARSH, P.E.    Date  
DIRECTOR  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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**Drafting Date:** 03/10/2009

**Current Status:** Clerk's Office for Bulletin

**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**To authorize the Director of Public Safety to impose an administrative fee to cover the costs of delinquent debt collection upon a delinquent debtor.

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Imposition of Collection Fee

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**Body**In accordance with ordinance No. 0130-2009 any Department, elected official or their designee, who is charged with the responsibility of collecting monies owed the City of Columbus, may refer that debt to an outside collection agency and impose the cost of said collection agency services to the delinquent debtor. As the Director charged with delinquent debt, I intend to impose such fees on delinquent debtors. This rule will become effective as of April 1, 2009.

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**Legislation Number:** PN0079-2009

**Drafting Date:** 03/11/2009

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**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

In accordance with Ordinance No. 0130-2009, any Department Director, elected Official, or their designee, who is charged with the responsibility of collecting monies owed the City of Columbus, may refer that debt to an outside collection agency or maintain and process the debtor accounts within their Department and impose the cost of said collection services to the delinquent debtor, if referred to an outside agency. As the Director charged with the responsibility of collecting delinquent debt under Section 223.02 of the Columbus City Codes, I intend to impose said fees on delinquent debtors. This rule will become effective as of April 1, 2009.

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**Drafting Date:** 03/17/2009

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**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Department of Development collection of delinquent debt

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**Body**

**Collection of Delinquent Debt**

The Director of the Department of Development hereby adopts, establishes and publishes this rule and regulation to be

effective at the earliest date allowed by law.

"In accordance with Ordinance No. 0130-2009, any Department Director, elected Official, or their designee, who is charged with the responsibility of collecting monies owed the City of Columbus, may refer that debt to an outside collection agency and impose the cost of said collection agency services to the delinquent debtor. As the Director of Development charged with the responsibility of collecting delinquent debt, I intend to impose said fees on delinquent debtors. This rule will become effective as of April 1, 2009".

By Order Of:

Boyce Safford, III, Director  
Department of Development

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**Legislation Number:** PN0081-2009

**Drafting Date:** 03/18/2009

**Current Status:** Clerk's Office for Bulletin

**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Public service & transportation public hearing -Administration's proposal to address yard waste collection

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**Body**

Council member Hearcel F. Craig, public service & transportation committee chair, will convene a public hearing on Thursday, April 2, 2009 at 5:30 PM in City Council Chambers to hear the Administration's proposal to address yard waste collection.

Those who wish to address Council are welcome to fill out a speaker slip at City Hall on the day of the meeting. As per the rules of Council, each speaker will be limited to three (3) minutes to address Council.

**Date: Thursday, April 2, 2009**

**Time: 5:30 PM**

**Location:**

**City Hall**

**Columbus City Council Chambers**

**90 West Broad Street**

**Columbus, OH 43215**

Free parking is available after 5:00 PM in the City Hall surface lot at Gay and Front Streets.

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**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** City Council Zoning Agenda for 03/30/2009

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**Body**

**REGULAR MEETING NO. 12**

**CITY COUNCIL (ZONING)**  
**MARCH 30, 2009**  
**6:30 P.M.**  
**COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**ROLL CALL**

**READING AND DISPOSAL OF THE JOURNAL**

**EMERGENCY, TABLED AND 2ND READING OF 30 DAY LEGISLATION**

**ZONING: TYSON, CHR. CRAIG GINTHER MILLER PALEY TAVARES MENTEL**

**0464-2007**

To grant a Variance from the provisions of Sections 3349.03, I, Institutional District Use and 3309.14, Height districts, of the Columbus City Codes for the property located at 2305 MCCUTCHEON ROAD (43219), to permit a monopole telecommunication antenna with a reduced setback in the I, Institutional District. (Council Variance #CV06-063).

**0236-2009**

To rezone 4871 WARNER ROAD (43081), being 43.73± acres located on the south side of Warner Road, 1400± feet east of Ulry Road, From: PUD-6, Planned Unit Development District, To: PUD-8, Planned Unit Development District (Rezoning # Z08-030).

**0304-2009**

To rezone 5040-5120 NIKE DRIVE (43026), being 4.02± acres located at the northwest corner Nike Drive and Atlas Street, From: L-M-2, Limited Manufacturing District, To: L-M, Limited Manufacturing District (Rezoning # Z08-070).

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**Drafting Date:** 03/25/2009

**Current Status:** Clerk's Office for Bulletin

**Version:** 1

**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** German Village Commission

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**Body**

German Village Commission

**Special Meeting**

In accordance with Code City Chapters 3116 and 3119 and the German Village Commission Bylaws, a Special Meeting has been scheduled to discuss 866 South Third Street.

Tuesday, March 31, 2009

12:30p.m.

109 N. Front Street

1st Fl. Conference Room

A sign language interpreter will be made available provided the Historic Preservation Office has at least 48 hours notice

before the meeting. Call 645-8036 to make the arrangements

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**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** Columbus Art Commission Hearing

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**Body**

**Public Hearings -- Columbus Art Commission**

The Columbus Art Commission is scheduled to hold two meetings in April 2009:

- Business Meeting (no applications heard)  
8:30 to 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 8, 2009  
At the King Arts Complex, 867 Mt. Vernon Ave., Columbus OH
- Regular Commission Meeting  
6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 23, 2009  
At the Columbus Health Department room 119-C, 240 Parson's Avenue, Columbus OH

For more information contact: Lori Baudro, AICP at 645-6986 or lsbaudro@columbus.gov

A sign language interpreter will be made available provided the Planning Division has at least 48 hours notice before the meeting. Call 645-6986 to make arrangements.

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**Matter Type:** Public Notice

**Title**

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** City Council Zoning Agenda for 04/06/2009

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**Body**

**REGULAR MEETING NO. 14**

**CITY COUNCIL (ZONING)**

**APRIL 6, 2009**

**6:30 P.M.**

**COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**ROLL CALL**

**READING AND DISPOSAL OF THE JOURNAL**

**EMERGENCY, TABLED AND 2ND READING OF 30 DAY LEGISLATION**

**ZONING: TYSON, CHR. CRAIG GINTHER MILLER PALEY TAVARES MENTEL**

**0010-2009**

To rezone 2150 EAST POWELL ROAD (43240), being 8.1± acres located 790± feet north of Gemini Place, 265± feet southwest of the western terminus of England Drive, From: R, Rural District, To: L-C-4, Limited Commercial District. (Rezoning # Z08-047)

**0284-2009**

To amend Ordinance #1163-2007, passed on July 23, 2007 (CV07-030), for the property located 777 MOUNT VERNON AVENUE (43203), by amending Section 1 to modify the building line. (CV07-030A)

**0324-2009**

To grant a Variance from the provisions of Sections 3356.03, C-4 Permitted Uses; 3342.15, Maneuvering; 3342.19, Parking space; and 3342.28, Minimum number of parking spaces required, of the Columbus City codes; for the property located at 1733 WEST THIRD AVENUE (43212), to permit a dwelling on the ground floor with reduced parking requirements in the C-4, Commercial District (Council Variance # CV08-042).

**0343-2009**

To grant a variance from the provisions of Section 3353.03, Permitted uses; of the City codes, for the property located at 133 NORTH GUILFORD AVENUE (43222), to permit two single-family dwellings in the C-2 Commercial District. (CV08-044).

**0350-2009**

To grant a Variance from the provisions of Sections 3332.039, R-4, Residential district; 3332.15, R-4 area district requirements; 3332.19, Fronting on a public street; 3332.25, Maximum side yard required; 3332.26, Minimum side yard permitted; 3342.17, Parking lot screening; and 3342.28, Minimum number of parking spaces required, of the Columbus City Codes; for the property located at 90 EAST FIFTH AVENUE (43201), to allow a parking lot with dumpster area as a primary use with no frontage on a public street ("Parcel A"), and to conform a five-unit apartment building with reduced development standards ("Parcel B") in the R-4, Residential District (Council Variance # CV09-001).

**0458-2009**

To rezone 2195 SOUTH HIGH STREET (43207), being 0.79± acres located at the southwest corner of the intersection of South High Street and Becker Lane, From: M-2, Manufacturing and SR, Suburban Residential Districts, To: M, Manufacturing District (Rezoning # Z08-045).

**0475-2009**

To rezone 2575 SOUTH HIGH STREET (43207), being 0.85± acres located west of the intersection of Loxley Drive and South High Street. From: C-5, Commercial District. To: C-4, Commercial District. (Rezoning # Z08-058)

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Title

**Notice/Advertisement Title:** 2009 REGULAR MEETINGS OF COLUMBUS RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION

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Body  
EXHIBIT A

#### NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETINGS

#### COLUMBUS RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION

The Recreation and Parks Commission, appointed and organized under the Charter of the City of Columbus, Section 112-1 is empowered to equip, operate, direct and maintain all the existing recreational and park facilities. In addition, said Commission exercises certain powers and duties as specified in Sections 112-1 and 112-2 of the Columbus City Charter.

Please take notice that meetings of the Recreation and Parks Commission will be held at 8:30 a.m. on the following dates and locations (unless otherwise posted):

**Wednesday, January 14, 2009 -1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, February 11, 2009 -1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, March 11, 2009 -- 1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, April 8, 2009 -- 1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, May 13, 2009 - 1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, June 10, 2009 - Gillie Recreation Center, 4625 Morse Centre Drive, 43229**  
**Wednesday, July 8, 2009 - Westgate Shelterhouse, 3271 Wicklow Road, 43204**  
**August Recess - No meeting**  
**Wednesday, September 9, 2009 - Schiller Recreation Center, 1069 Jaeger Street, 43206**  
**Wednesday, October 14, 2009 - Mentel Golf Course, 6005 Alkire Road, Galloway, 43119**  
**Wednesday, November 11, 2009 - 1111 East Broad Street, 43205**  
**Wednesday, December 9, 2009 - 1111 East Broad Street, 43205**



**RULE AND REGULATION 09-02**  
**Division of Power and Water**  
**Department of Public Utilities**

**February 2009**

**SUBJECT: CROSS-CONNECTION CONTROL**

Pursuant to the authority granted under Columbus city Codes Section 113.01, the Director of the Department of Public Utilities hereby adopts, establishes, and publishes this rule and regulation to be effective at the earliest date allowed by law. This rule and regulation supersedes Division of Water Rule and Regulation 2000-1, published August 19, 2000, in the *City Bulletin* of Columbus, Ohio. This rule and regulation is in addition to any established requirements that have not been superseded or rescinded by this or any previous act.

Cross-connection control is intended to prevent the contamination or pollution of the public and consumer's potable water system. The rule and regulation addresses the elimination of control of existing cross-connections, actual or potential, between the systems, plumbing fixtures and sources or systems containing substances of unknown or questionable safety. Cross-connection control devices allow for the protection of public water supply system by isolating within the consumer's water system any contaminants or pollution which could backflow through the service connection.

**APPLICATION**

This Rule and Regulation shall apply to all properties served by the public potable water supply system of the City of Columbus.

**I. WATER SYSTEMS**

- A. For the purposes of this Rule and Regulation, the water system shall be considered as consisting of two parts; the public water supply system and the consumer's water system.
- B. The public water supply shall consist of the source facilities and distribution system, and shall include all the facilities of the potable water system under the control of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water up to the point where the consumer's water system begins.
- C. The source shall include all components of the facilities utilized in the production, treatment, storage, and delivery of water to the public water distribution system.

Utilities Complex	910 Dublin Road	Columbus, Ohio 43215
Director's Office	614/645-6141 FAX: 614/645-8019	TDD: 614/645-6454
Power and Water Division	614/645-7020 FAX: 614/645-8177	TDD: 614/645-7188

Fairwood Complex	1250 Fairwood Avenue	Columbus, Ohio 43206
Sewerage and Drainage Division	614/645-7175 FAX: 614/645-3801	TDD: 614/645-6338

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- D. The public water supply distribution system shall include the network of piping used to deliver water from the source to the consumer's water system.
- E. The consumer's water system shall include all parts of the facilities beyond the curb stop used to convey water from the public water supply distribution system to points of use.

II. PLUMBING SYSTEMS

It shall be the responsibility of the consumer to have their water plumbing system compliant with the latest revision of the Ohio Plumbing Codes and the Columbus City Codes. The consumer shall retain records of installation, maintenance, testing, and repairs as required by this rule and regulation and the Columbus City Code Section 1113.01 for a period of five (5) years.

III. CROSS-CONNECTION PROHIBITED

- A. No water service connection shall be installed or maintained at any property where actual or potential cross-connections to the public potable or consumer's water system may exist unless such actual or potential cross-connections are abated or controlled to the satisfaction of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.
- B. No connection shall be installed or maintained whereby water from an auxiliary water system may enter the public potable or consumer's water system, unless such auxiliary water system and the method of connection and use of such system have been approved by the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.
- C. There shall be no arrangement or connection by which an unsafe substance may enter the public supply.

IV. WATER USE SURVEYS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. The owner/consumer's property shall be accessible at all reasonable times to the City of Columbus, Division of Power and Water or an authorized representative to perform a water use survey or to inspect or test backflow prevention assemblies within the property.
- B. On request by the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water, or his/her authorized representative; the consumer shall furnish information regarding the piping system or water use within the consumer's property.
- C. It shall be the owner/consumer's responsibility to arrange periodic surveys of the water use practices at their property to determine whether there are

actual or potential cross-connections to the water system through which contaminants or pollutants could backflow into the potable water supply system. All cross-connection control, water use surveys or other plumbing inspections must be conducted by the City of Columbus, Division of Power and Water or an authorized representative.

V. WHERE PROTECTION IS REQUIRED

- A. An approved backflow prevention assembly or method shall be installed on each service line to a consumer's water system serving properties where any of the following conditions exist:
  - 1. Properties which have or have access to a second source of water.
  - 2. Properties where any substance is handled which can create an actual or potential hazard to the public potable water supply system. This shall include properties having sources or systems containing process fluids or water originating from the public potable water supply system that are no longer under the quality control of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.
  - 3. Properties having internal cross-connections that in the judgment of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water are not correctable or where intricate or complex plumbing arrangements make it impractical to determine whether or not cross-connections exist.
  - 4. Properties where, because of security requirements or other prohibitions or restrictions, it is impossible or impractical to make a complete cross-connection survey.
  - 5. Properties supplied by more than one service.
  - 6. Properties having a repeated history of cross-connections being established or re-established.
- B. If the complete interruption of water through a given service is critical to the customer's operations, an installation of a backflow prevention assembly in parallel is required.

VI. TYPE OF PROTECTION REQUIRED

- A. The type of protection required shall depend on the degree of hazard. The degree of hazard and appropriate backflow protection shall be determined by the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.

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1. A "severe health hazard" classification shall mean an actual or potential threat of contamination of the water system that could be lethal. An approved fixed air gap separation shall be installed and maintained in accordance with this Rule and Regulation.
  2. A "health hazard" classification shall mean an actual or potential threat of contamination of a physical or toxic nature that would be a danger to health. An approved fixed air gap (AG) separation, an approved reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly (RP), or an approved pressure vacuum breaker backflow prevention assembly (PVB) shall be installed and maintained in accordance with this Rule and Regulation.
  3. A "non-health hazard" classification shall mean an actual or potential threat to the physical properties or the potability of the water system, but which would not constitute a health hazard as defined. An approved fixed air gap separation (AG), an approved reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly (RP) or an approved double check backflow assembly (DC) shall be installed and maintained in accordance with this Rule and Regulation.
- B. Below is a list of types of properties and the backflow requirements. This list was established as a guideline and is not to be used as a legal requirement without the approval of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water. Updates to these requirements can be obtained by contacting the Backflow Prevention Program Office of the Division of Power and Water.

**TYPE OF PROPERTY**

**REQUIREMENTS**

**INDUSTRIAL** (as defined by the Division of Power and Water)

**RP**

**COMMERCIAL**

Backflow protection at this service shall match the highest level of water-use hazard on site. However, if there is only one water-use hazard on site and in the opinion of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water the make up piping to this hazard can be permanently isolated, an isolated backflow assembly approved for the hazard can be used in lieu of one at the water service.

**RESIDENTIAL**

- With lawn irrigation or direct plumbing pool**      **RP\*\***  
\*\*Air gap or Pressure Vacuum Breaker (where no potential for back pressure exists) can be used as isolation in lieu of an RP at the service, with approval from the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.
- With water uses other than domestic**      **RP**
- With second source water or access to Second source water**      **RP**

**THE FOLLOWING ARE TO BE PROTECTED AS LISTED, REGARDLESS OF THE TYPES OF ON SITE WATER-USE HAZARDS**

<b>Hospitals</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Mortuaries</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Medical clinic, office, etc.</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Nursing &amp; convalescent homes</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Laboratories</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Sewage treatment plants &amp; plumbing stations</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Storm water pumping stations</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Car washes</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Lawn irrigation</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Automotive repair &amp; body repair shops</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Commercial lease accounts</b>	<b>RP</b>
<b>Full service restaurants</b>	<b>RP</b>

Backflow Prevention Assembly Requirements Key

RP-Reduced Pressure Backflow Prevention Assembly  
DC-Double Check Backflow Prevention Assembly  
PVB-Pressure Vacuum Breaker Backflow Prevention Assembly

- C. The type of protection required under Section V A 1, 3, 4, 5 & 6 of this Rule and Regulation shall be an approved fixed air gap separation or an approved reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly.
- D. The type of protection required for the bypass line under Section V B of this Rule and Regulation shall be equal to the containment assembly required.
- E. Fire protection systems or water storage tanks with chemicals added or the ability to be added shall install an approved reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly.

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- F. Fire protection systems or water storage tanks that cannot be subject to chemicals shall have an approved double check backflow prevention assembly installed.
- G. A reduced pressure detector assembly (ASSE 1047) and double check detector assembly (ASSE 1048) can be installed in lieu of a reduced pressure or double check backflow assemblies respectively. Note that all meter requirements are to comply with the City of Columbus, Division of Power and Water meter installation rules.
- H. This rule shall not supersede the City of Columbus, Division of Power and Water Rule that prohibits direct or indirect connections between the Columbus public potable water system and second source water systems that include, but are not limited to, wells, ponds or gray water.

VII. BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLIES

- A. All backflow prevention assemblies as required by this Rule and Regulation shall be endorsed by the American Society of Sanitary Engineering.
- B. Installation of approved assemblies shall be made in accordance with Standard Detail Drawing and Rule Number 19002A/B and to the satisfaction of the Division of Power and Water Administrator.
- C. Maintenance shall be performed as recommended by the manufacturer of the assembly and this Rule and Regulation.
- D. A fixed proper air gap separation is defined as a physical separation between the free flowing discharge end of a potable water supply pipeline and an open or non-pressure receiving vessel. The separation shall be at least double the diameter of the supply pipe measured vertically above the overflow rim of the vessel and in no case less than one (1) inch.

VIII. TESTING AND MAINTENANCE

- A. It shall be the duty of the owner/consumer at any property on which backflow assemblies required by this Rule and Regulation are installed to have inspections, tests, maintenance and repair made in accordance with the following schedule.
  - 1. Fixed air gap separation backflow assemblies shall be inspected and tested at the time of installation and every twelve (12) months, or more frequently if required by the Division of Power and Water Administrator.

2. Reduced air pressure principle backflow assemblies shall be inspected and tested at the time of installation and at least every twelve (12) months, or more frequently if required by the Division of Power and Water Administrator, and rebuilt as needed.
  3. Double check valve backflow assemblies shall be inspected and tested at the time of installation and at least every twelve (12) months, or more frequently if required by the Division of Power and Water Administrator, and rebuilt as needed.
  4. Pressure vacuum breakers backflow assemblies shall be inspected and tested at the time of installation and at least every twelve (12) months, or more frequently if required by the Division of Power and Water Administrator, and rebuilt as needed. The owner/consumer shall visually inspect the installed assembly every three (3) months for conditions which would prevent the normal functioning of the assembly.
- B. Testing shall be performed by a contractor who is registered with the City of Columbus Building Regulations Department. The actual tester must possess an active Ohio Department of Health Backflow Prevention Assembly Tester's Certificate and be approved by the Division of Power and Water Administrator.
- C. Each backflow prevention assembly (including AG) shall have a tag attached listing the date of the most recent test, the name of the tester, the tester's certificate number, the company with which the tester is employed, the type and date of any repairs and the test results.
- D. The owner/consumer shall forward test and repair results to the City of Columbus, Division of Power and Water Cross-Connection Control and Backflow Prevention Office.
- E. The owner/consumer shall maintain a maintenance and test log and store it in a manner so that it will always be readily available to the Division of Power and Water or an authorized representative. The log shall include
1. Date of each test
  2. Name and certificate number of the tester
  3. Name of the company with which the tester is employed
  4. Test results

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5. Repairs or servicing required
  6. Repairs made and date completed
  7. Servicing performed and date completed
- F. Whenever backflow prevention assemblies required by this Rule and Regulation are found to be defective, they shall be repaired or replaced by the owner/consumer, at their expense, without delay.
- G. Backflow prevention assemblies shall not be bypassed, made inoperative, removed, or otherwise made ineffective without specific authorization by the Division of Power and Water Administrator.
- H. Test equipment used for initial, annual or emergency backflow prevention assembly testing required by this Rule and Regulation shall be calibrated at least every twelve (12) months by an independent calibration company.

IX. INSTALLATION

Backflow prevention assemblies required by these Rules and Regulations shall be installed at a location and in a manner approved by the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water and at the expense of the water consumer. For detailed instruction refer to Standard Detail Drawing 1-9002A/B.

X. ABANDONMENT

It shall be the responsibility of the owner/consumer at any property on which backflow assemblies are required by this Rule and Regulation to use one of the following methods when choosing to abandon a previously backflow protected system:

- A. Interior backflow protected system (i.e. boiler):
  1. Cut and cap the supply line AND remove backflow preventor.
- B. Exterior backflow protected system (i.e. irrigation system):
  1. Cut and cap the supply line inside the facility AND remove backflow preventor and the visible pipe outside the facility. This means pipe cut below ground level.

2. Remove backflow preventor and the visible pipe outside the facility, cut pipe below ground level and install a hose bibb with vacuum breaker on the water line protruding from the facility.
3. Option two (2) above would allow the customer to keep their deduction meter, and deduct water used through the new hose bibb, provided they have a deduction account set up.

**PENALTY FOR VIOLATION**

- A. The Administrator of the Division of Power and Water shall deny or discontinue, after notice to the occupants thereof, the water service to any properties wherein any backflow prevention assembly required by this Rule and Regulation is not installed, or properly tested or if it is found that the backflow prevention assembly has been removed or bypassed, or if an unprotected cross-connection exists on the properties, required by this Rule and Regulation is not installed and maintained in working order.
- B. The Administrator of the Division of Power and Water shall immediately discontinue water service to any properties wherein a backflow condition exists or suspects to exist.
- C. Water service to such properties shall not be restored until the consumer has corrected or eliminated such conditions or defects in conformance with this Rule and Regulation and to the satisfaction of the Administrator of the Division of Power and Water.

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