

ORDINANCE NO.: 2000-034

Amending the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina, Chapter 23, Utilities and Engineering, Article V, Water and Sewer Rates, Sec. 23-145, Installation of water meters and cross connection control devices, to add (b) Cross connection control devices, (1)(c)

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BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council this 21st day of June, 2000, that the 1998 Code of Ordinances of The City of Columbia, South Carolina, Chapter 23, Utilities and Engineering, Article V, Water and Sewer Rates, Sec. 23-145, Installation of water meters and cross connection control devices, (b) Cross connection control devices (1) is amended to add (c) Testing, to read as follows:

Sec. 23-145. Installation of water meters and cross connection control devices.

- (b) Cross connection control devices.
- (1) Cross connection control device fees shall be as follows:
 - a. New construction.

Device Size	In City	Out of City
3/4" dual checkvalve*	\$20.00	\$25.00
1" dual checkvalve*	25.00	30.00
Over 1" ** **		

- b. Existing structures.

Device Size	In City	Out of City
3/4" dual checkvalve*	\$50.00	\$55.00
1" dual checkvalve*	55.00	60.00
Over 1" ** **		

- c. Testing.

Domestic Double Check Valve Assembly	\$ 90.00
Fire Line Double Check Valve Assembly	135.00

*The fee for dual checkvalves includes the price of the devices and installation cost.

**Cross connection control devices over one inch in size shall be purchased and installed by the owner.

(2) Dual checkvalves one inch in size and under shall be purchased and installed by the city water distribution division.

(3) It shall be unlawful for any person to use water through a meter provided by the city without an appropriate approved cross connection control device being in place. Persons in violation of this subsection will be given 30 days' written notice to have an approved backflow device installed, or water service will be discontinued. In those cases in which an approved backflow device has not been installed within the 30 days, water service will be discontinued and the water meter removed. No further water service will be provided until such time as an approved backflow device has been installed and an additional water meter installation fee has been paid.

This ordinance is effective as of final reading.

Requested by:



MAYOR

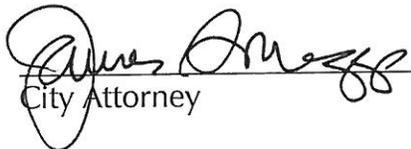
Approved by:



City Manager

ATTEST:

Approved as to form:



City Attorney



City Clerk

Introduced: 6/14/2000

Final Reading: 6/21/2000

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