

ORDINANCE NO. 80- 809

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 41-33 OF ARTICLE II, CHAPTER 41 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WARREN RELATING TO CROSS CONNECTIONS.

THE CITY OF WARREN ORDAINS:

IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (a) The City of Warren adopts by reference the Water Supply Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy, being R 325.431 to R 325.440 R 325.11401 to R 325.11407 of the Michigan Administrative Code.
- (b) It shall be the duty of the division of water supply to cause inspections to be made of all properties served by the public water supply where cross connections with the public water supply are deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and reinspections based on potential health hazards involved shall be established by the City of Warren Water Division and as approved by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy.
- (c) through (f) *remain unchanged.*
- (g) All testable back-flow 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 the City of Warren Water division and in accordance with the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy. Only individuals holding an active ASSE 5110 certification shall perform such testing and test results of backflow preventers are valid only if testing was performed by such individuals. Each tester shall also be approved by the City of Warren Water division. Individuals performing assembly testing shall certify the results of his or her testing.
- (h) Any person or customer found committing an act or omission that is prohibited by any of the provisions of this ordinance or any written order of the City of Warren Water Division in pursuance thereof, shall be issued a municipal civil infraction for which the district court shall issue a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) but not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per violation and/or costs; assessments; and damages and expenses, as provided by MCL 600.8727(3).

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall take effect on September 4, 2023.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance No. 80 - 809 was adopted by the Council of the City of Warren at its meeting held on August 15, 2023.

SONJA BUFFA
City Clerk

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