

BACKFLOW PERMITS

PERMIT INFORMATION

A PERMIT WILL BE REQUIRED FOR EVERY BACKFLOW INSTALLATION OR RELOCATION. THE DISTRICT WILL NO LONGER WAIVE A PERMIT FOR HAVING AN EXISTING ASSEMBLY WHICH IS NOT UP TO CODE.

PERMITS WILL ONLY BE AVAILABLE AT THE LAKEWOOD WATER DISTRICT OFFICE.
11900 GRAVELLY LAKE DRIVE SW, LAKEWOOD WA 98499
PHONE: 253-588-4423

IF A JOB IS IN PROGRESS **WITHOUT** A PERMIT, **WE WILL GIVE A MAXIMUM FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS TO OBTAIN THE PERMIT.**

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1. ALL NEW CONSTRUCTION AND NEW IRRIGATION SYSTEMS NEED TO HAVE A PERMIT.
2. EXISTING BUILDINGS OR IRRIGATION SYSTEMS NEED TO HAVE A PERMIT.
3. PERMITS ARE \$ 65.00 FOR THE FIRST AND SECOND BACKFLOW ASSEMBLY, AND \$32.50 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL ASSEMBLY. NO LIMITATION ON THE QUANTITY.

FOR COMPLETION OF THE PERMIT THE FOLLOWING STEPS NEED TO BE COMPLETED.

1. IT IS THE CUSTOMER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO HAVE ALL BACKFLOW ASSEMBLIES TESTED UPON INSTALLATION OR RELOCATION. THEY WILL NEED TO EMPLOY A CERTIFIED BACKFLOW ASSEMBLY TESTER WITH THE STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTEMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT THE TEST.
2. AFTER TESTING IS COMPLETED AND A COPY OF A PASSING TEST REPORT IS AVAILABLE, CALL 253)588-4423 AND REQUEST AN INSPECTION FOR YOUR PERMIT. TO REQUEST AN INSPECTION, YOU WILL NEED THE PERMIT NUMBER AND ADDRESS TO SCHEDULE A MUTUALLY CONVENIENT TIME FOR THE INSPECTION. YOU MUST HAVE THE COMPLETED TEST REPORT AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF THE INSPECTION.
3. ALL ASSEMBLIES ARE TO BE INSPECTED BY LAKEWOOD WATER DISTRICT TO INSURE THAT THE PROPER ASSEMBLIES ARE INSTALLED CORRECTLY.
4. AFTER THE INSPECTION IS COMPLETED AND THE TEST HAS PASSED, THE PERMIT WILL BE SIGNED BY THE INSPECTOR AND A COPY WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU DIRECTLY OR WILL BE MAILED TO YOU IF UNAVAILABLE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT 253-588-4423