



Water Department
7400 Groveport Rd
Groveport, OH 43125

Auxiliary Meter Permit
614-836-3910
Fax 614-836-4963

City/Township: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Date: _____

The above has permission to install an auxiliary meter on said property.

Dennis Moore, Superintendent

Date

REGULATIONS FOR INSTALLATION OF WATER-ONLY AUXILIARY METER

1. A plumbing permit shall be purchased from the Groveport Building Department prior to installation of an auxiliary metering system. A copy of the approved auxiliary meter permit shall accompany the application for a plumbing permit.
2. An auxiliary meter is installed ahead of the existing house meter and measures only water that does not flow into the sanitary sewer system. A shut off valve must be installed in front of the auxiliary meter and the appropriate backflow device installed downstream of the meter prior to any tees or hose bibs (see Illustration).
3. The following backflow prevention standards are to be met:
 - a. On auxiliary meters going to hose bibs, a dual check valve backflow prevention device shall be required.
 - b. On auxiliary meters servicing lawn sprinklers, swimming pools or other moderate to high cross connections, a pressure type vacuum breaker is required.
4. An auxiliary meter, transmitter and spuds shall be obtained from the City's water department for the current cost of materials.
5. Once installation is complete and inspection is performed by the Franklin County Board of Health, Plumbing Division (614-525-3859), contact the **Groveport Water Department at 614-830-2068** to schedule a meter inspection and transmitter installation.
6. For systems requiring pressure type vacuum breakers.
 - a. Before the meter can be installed the pressure type vacuum breaker must be inspected by the Franklin County Board of Health Plumbing Division (614-525-3859). They require it be tested and tagged after installation by a Certified Backflow Prevention Assembly Tester.
 - b. After the Franklin County Inspector leaves an acceptance sticker at the meter, call the **Groveport Water Department at 614-830-2068** to schedule a meter inspection and transmitter installation.
 - c. The "Notification of Installation of Backflow Prevention Device" form must be completed and returned to the **Groveport Water Department**.
7. The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency requires annual inspections of backflow prevention devices. In order to maintain your account for sewer credit from the auxiliary meter, a copy of a Backflow Prevention Inspection Report must be submitted to the **Groveport Water Department** every year.

(d) The Public Works Director or his or its duly authorized representative shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply or distribution system of the Village for the purposes of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof. On demand the owner, lessees or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the Public Works Director any information which he may request regarding the piping system or systems or water use on such property. The refusal of such information, when demanded, shall, within the discretion of the Public Works Director be deemed evidence of the presence of improper connections as provided in this section.

(e) The Public Works Director is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue, after reasonable notice to the occupant thereof, the water service to any property wherein any connection in violation of the provisions of this section is known to exist, and to take such other precautionary measures as he may deem necessary to eliminate any danger of contamination of the public water supply distribution mains. Water service to such property shall not be restored until such conditions shall have been eliminated or corrected in compliance with the provisions of this section. (Ord. 33-92. Passed 8-10-92.)

929.08 AUXILIARY METERS.

(a) Auxiliary meters may only be installed when it is determined that a portion of the water as measured by the water meter does not, and cannot, enter the sewage system either directly or indirectly.

(b) Application can be made through the Groveport Water Department for permission to obtain and install a water only auxiliary meter.

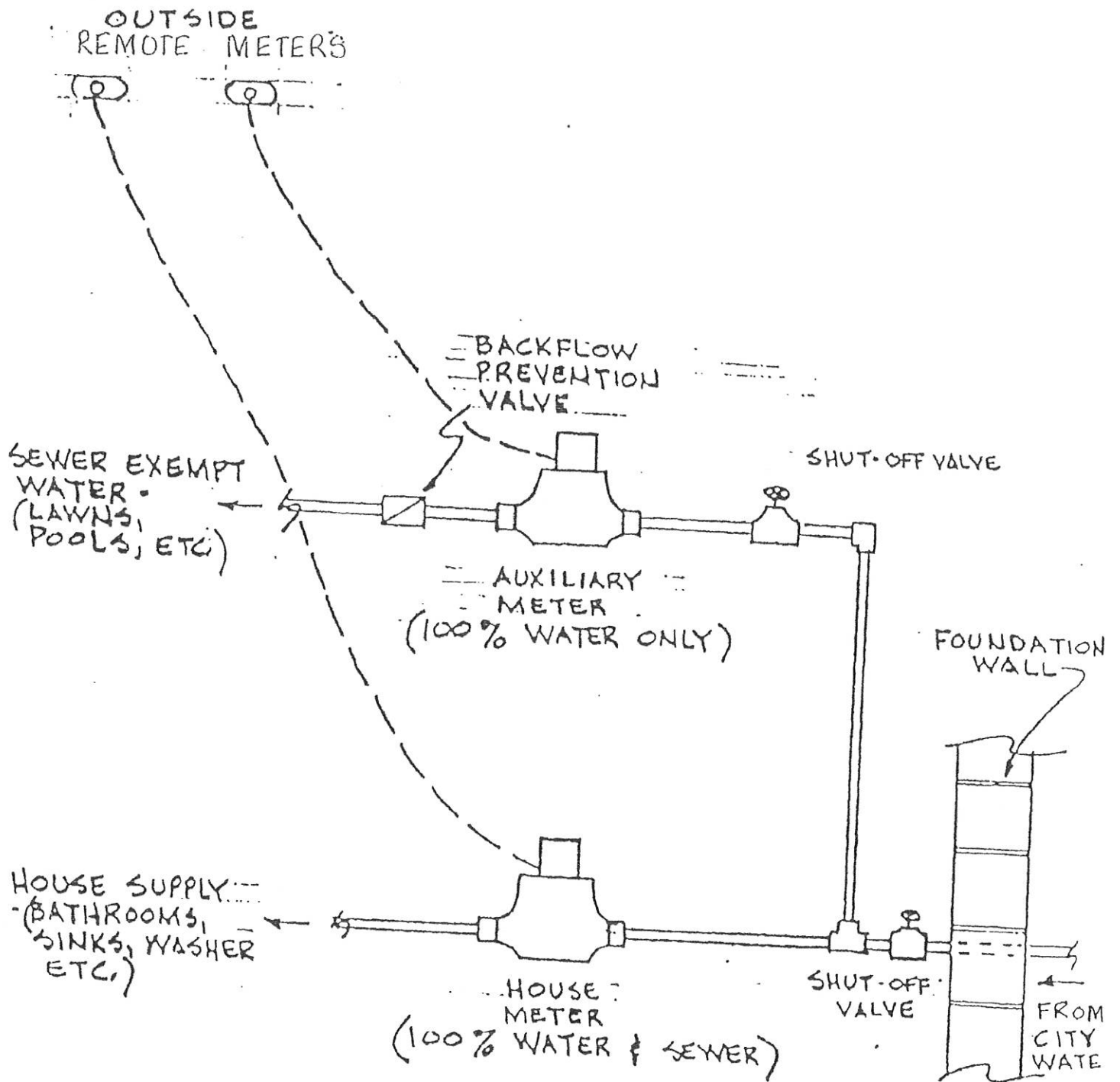
(c) Such installation shall be at the owner's expense, and in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Village Administrator.

(d) Plumbing alterations required for the proper installation of such meter shall be subject to permit and inspection by the Village's Building Department and shall be performed by a licensed plumber.

(e) In the event such auxiliary meter is installed, an additional charge of five dollars (\$5.00) to cover the cost of reading and computing the flow of each auxiliary meter and such additional charge shall be added to each quarterly sewer charge bill rendered thereafter. (Ord. 00-015. Passed 4-24-00.)

929.99 PENALTY.

Whoever violates any provision of this chapter is guilty of a minor misdemeanor.



NOTE:

WATER METERS TO BE INSTALLED HORIZONTAL