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Reference:

City Ord. 2005-10-232

Responsibility:

Public Works Director

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In addition to the list of facilities and those that are high risk, as determined by the manager, it is the utility's policy that all poultry, livestock operations, and commercial buildings have the potential to have an unprotected cross connection. These have the potential to be of medium or high hazard to the water system, and will therefore be required to have a reduced-pressure principal backflow prevention assembly (RP) or an air gap for all of the mentioned facilities, others at the discretion of the manager, and all new commercial customers.

The type or backflow prevention mechanism shall be at the discretion of the CITY OF TONTITOWN Manager.

Reference:

City Ord. 2005-10-232

Responsibility:

CITY OF TONTITOWN Manager

ORDINANCE NO. 2013-06-427

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING, STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES, FOR THE CITY OF TONTITOWN'S WATER UTILITY

WHEREAS, the City Council of Tontitown, Arkansas deems it necessary to adopt certain standards for development, which are implemented for the purposes of promoting the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of Tontitown, Arkansas.

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the standard operating policies of the Tontitown Water Utility and recommends the codification of this section.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TONTITOWN, ARKANSAS, that there is hereby established the standard operating policies for the City of Tontitown Water Utility, a copy of which is attached hereto and made part of this ordinance by reference. Any prior regulations or code sections in conflict with the attached Code Section herein adopted are hereby repealed.

SECTION 1. The attached terms standard operating policies for the City of Tontitown Water Utility is incorporated herein.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 4 DAY OF June , 2013.

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Mayor of the City of Tontitown

ATTEST:

Alicia Collins

Recorder-Treasurer of City of Tontitown

SPONSOR:

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