

REGULATIONS FOR INSTALLATION WATER-ONLY AUXILIARY METER

1. A permit shall be purchased prior to the installation of an auxiliary metering system.

I. The fees are as follows:

A. Serving hose bibs only:

Water meter	\$199.15
DP Mxu Reader	185.00
Permit	<u>8.00</u>
Total	\$392.15

B. Serving swimming pools and underground water systems:

(Water Department fees):

Water meter	\$199.15
DP Mxu Reader	\$185.00
Permit	<u>8.00</u>
Total	\$392.15

(Building Department fees):

Plumbing permit	<u>\$ 60.00*</u>
Total	\$452.15

***\$75.00 for Commercial Total \$467.15**

C. There is a quarterly billing charge of **\$2.00** for the auxiliary meter.

II. ***IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE INSTALLATION OF YOUR AUXILIARY WATER METER, CALL 322-4500.***

III. 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 down stream of the meter prior to any tees or hose bibs (see illustration).

IV. 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. Only a Watts #7, Febco 810 Beeco BSG is acceptable.

B. On auxiliary meters servicing lawn sprinklers, swimming pools or other moderate to high cross connections, a pressure type vacuum breaker is required. It shall be a Watts 800, 880M or 800 CM, Febco 765, Neptune Wilkens 701 or 720, or Rainbird PUB.

V. If the existing water meter is not a remote meter, then it must be switched to a remote system. There is no charge for this service, however, the wire must be run and the outside remote device hung by the homeowner or contractor. Both the new remote meter and the auxiliary meter will be installed at the same time by the Reynoldsburg Water Department.

VI. The outside remote pad must be located on the front or on the side of the structure within 4' of the front corner, and between 2' and 5' above the ground. If a regular remote is already installed, then the auxiliary remote must be located directly above, below or next to the main remote system. When hooking up the touchpad **do not use** the green wire.

VII. Spuds (furnished with the water meter) will be used in the installation of auxiliary metering systems.

VIII. For installation of auxiliary meters for **hose bibs only:**

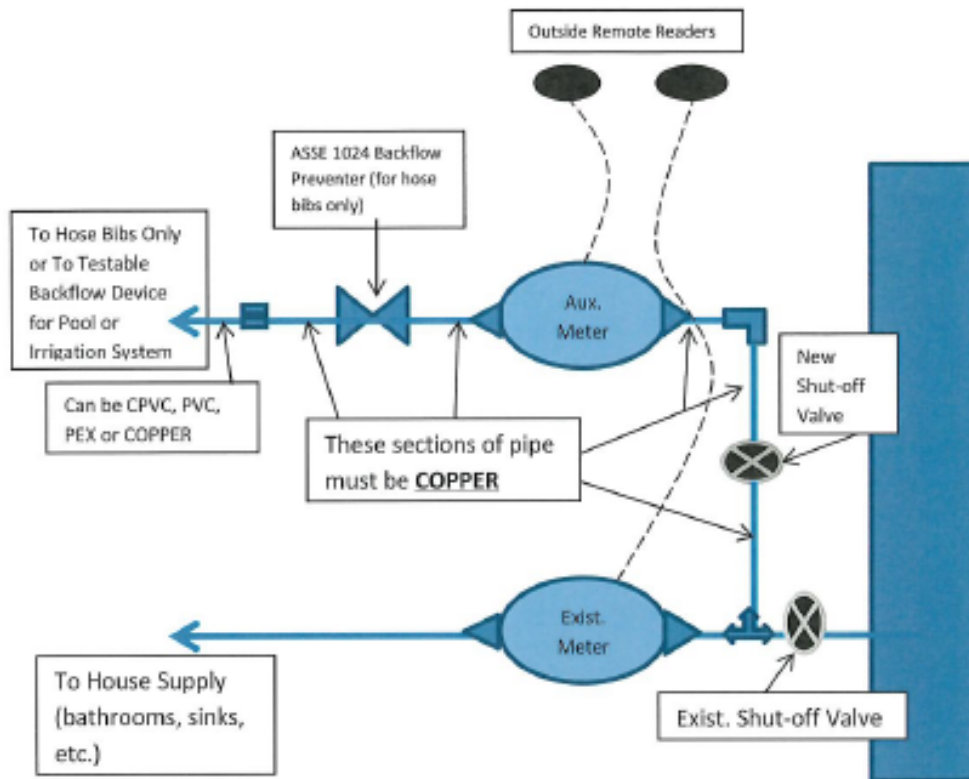
Call **322-6811** to arrange to have the plumbing inspected and the auxiliary meter hung. Call twenty-four (24) hours ahead of time. The Water Department will then come out, inspect your plumbing and install the meter if the plumbing is O.K.

IX. For installation of auxiliary meters for **irrigation systems only:**

- A. Installers must be licensed by the Reynoldsburg Building Department.
- B. You need an additional plumbing permit obtained from the Reynoldsburg Building Department.
- C. The City does not allow an irrigation system to be installed between the sidewalk and the curb.
- D. Before the meter can be installed, the pressure type vacuum breaker must be inspected by the Franklin County board of Health, Plumbing Division.
- E. **After the Franklin County Inspector leaves an acceptance sticker** at the meter setting, call the Reynoldsburg Water Department **322-6811** to get the meter hung.

The "Notification of Installation of Backflow Prevention Device" form must be completed and returned to the Reynoldsburg Water Department before the meter is hung.

TYPICAL AUXILIARY METER SETTING



Note: We require a 11 1/2" - 12" opening for spuds & meter

Note: Water meters must be installed horizontally

Note: The outside remote reading devices must be installed on the front or side of house, 3-5' from the corner and 3-5' from the ground.