

# BACKFLOW UPDATE REQUIREMENTS

## OVERVIEW

Updates to our Irrigation Ordinance are required in order to remain compliant with TCEQ (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality)

These updates affect properties that contain irrigation systems that utilize our treated water and OSSFs (On-Site Sewer Facilities), better known as Septic Systems.

## WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

Properties with Town fed irrigation systems that also have OSSFs are now considered “Health Hazard Cross- Connections.”

## WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

If these changes affect you, your current backflow preventer must be tested annually.

## WHAT HAPPENS LATER?

When your backflow preventer is no longer repairable in-ground, it must be replaced with the approved RPZ.

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