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RE: Certified Backflow Test Requirements

Dear Participating Company:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your desire to participate in the annual certification of backflow devices within the City of North Las Vegas' water jurisdiction. It is our desire that all participating companies be aware of the requirements of the Utilities Department when submitting the completed test forms. Therefore, this letter shall serve as notice of the requirements in completing and submitting the annual certifications for backflow prevention.

It is the responsibility of the testing company to provide an ORIGINAL COPY of the certification of backflow testing to our office. Please note that backflow devices internal to the business (sinks, drinking fountains, etc.) should be forwarded to the Southern Nevada Health District; the City of North Las Vegas maintains records only for those devices installed external to the building for: domestic water, fire services, irrigation and/or common areas, etc. Facsimile or duplicate copies will not be accepted. Further, the City requires that:

- The differential flow (DF) be indicated for Check Valve #2 for all RP and RPPA devices
- The date and time of initial test, repairs, and final tests be indicated
- Tester must sign and print their name and indicate their certification number

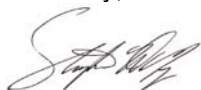
It is also the responsibility of each company to provide to this office copies of the annual calibration reports for tester equipment, including the tester(s) it is assigned to and updated copies of the current licenses for all backflow testers in their employ or working under their business licenses.

If you have a customer with multiple devices and the test dates are in various months, a request may be submitted to have all test dates set to the same month. In order to do this, all account numbers OR backflow serial numbers must be provided.

If you have any questions regarding these requirements, please contact Becky Gregory at (702) 633-1290 or me at (702) 633-1282.

Thank you for your continuing participation.

Sincerely,



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