

CONSOLIDATED WATER DISTRICT #1

Leavenworth County

NEW METER INSTALLATION POLICY

1. Meter will be installed after the purchase of the Benefit Unit Right (meter) and road bore (if required) and the completion of all paper work.
2. Address must be displayed somewhere on the property for proper location and locates
3. All construction debris must be cleared.
4. Final grade complete. If meter has to be raised or lowered the property owner will be billed the related labor and material charges
5. The meter will not be set until a shut-off valve has been installed inside foundation of property. Plumbers should turn the valve on slowly. The meter is not to be used as a shut-off valve
6. Damage to the meter will be at the property owner's expense.
7. When installing the service line from the building to the street- it should be run to within 15 feet of the curb or edge of property line leaving ample amount for the water district contractor to connect to meter.
8. Meter will be set no further than 15 feet from edge of drive – along the street in an easement.

BACKFLOW REQUIREMENTS

1. If an irrigation / sprinkler system will be installed, you are required to:
 - a. install **ONLY an RPZ** (reduced pressure) backflow preventer.
 - b. upon completion – it must be tested by a certified tester before service will be allowed. This will also require yearly testing.
 - c. Only the District's form will be allowed – no fax copies – original signatures only!
2. Swimming pools / hot tubs require an air-gap unless the water supply line is below grade.
3. Any other potential high-hazard connections will require inspection by the district to determine the appropriate device.
4. There shall be no physical connection to the public water supply system from any private water source such as wells. All wells must be disconnected inside for domestic use upon installation of public water and shall be subject to a yearly cross connection inspection.