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Dear Water Customer:

The Village of Freeburg Water Department is required to continually update and maintain an active cross-connection control program. A portion of this program consists of collecting surveys from our water customers every 2 years for possible cross-connections. A cross-connection is any situation that allows a potable (safe) water source and a non-potable (contaminated) water source the opportunity to come into contact with each other. The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) and the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) are responsible for ensuring that cross-connections do not occur through the enforcement of cross-connection control regulations.

The IEPA is also requesting that every community come up with an inventory of the materials used for each residence and business connection. What does this mean? In the survey there is a question about your service connection material. To the best of your household and or business's knowledge please mark the applicable material type used i.e. copper (most common), galvanized, plastic or PVC, brass, or lead. This is easily found by taking a look in your basement, crawl space, or wherever you might find the water service entering the domain.

The first step in implementing an approved program is the passage of an ordinance that is then submitted to the IEPA. This ordinance has been passed and has been approved by the IEPA.

Enclosed is the survey that we need you to complete and return to the Village Hall by December 31st, 2018. Simply mark all plumbing fixtures that you have in your residential dwelling (1st section) or commercial/business building (2nd section). If you have other fixtures that are not listed please mark in the "Other" spaces.

After we receive your survey we will review the data and determine if an inspection of your plumbing is needed. If it requires an inspection you will be notified by mail.

These surveys are required by the IEPA and must be completed. If you are unable to complete the survey and need help, please contact the Village Hall to set up a time and date so that a water department employee can come and assist you.

We thank you for your cooperation on this matter. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call the Village Hall at 618-539-5545



CROSS-CONNECTION CONTROL SURVEY

The following form is to be used by water department personnel and/or by customers of the Village of Freeburg public water supply. Data from this form may be used to determine if the property should be inspected by a licensed plumber with a CCCDI certification to detect and correct any cross-connections found on the property.

Name/Title of person conducting survey: Please Print: _____

Name of water user: _____ Address: _____

Phone number: _____ Date Survey Conducted: _____

Email: _____

Residential Service Connection Material (please refer to cover letter)

Brass ___ Galvanized ___ PVC ___ Copper ___ Lead ___ Unknown ___

Residential Fixtures: (Check all that apply)

Kitchen: Sink Faucet ___ Sink Faucet w/Sprayer ___ Ice Maker ___ Garbage Disposal ___

Bath: Lavatory ___ Toilet ___ Bathtub ___ Hot Tub ___ Bidet ___

Other: Boiler heat ___ How Many Boilers? ___

Exterior: Outside faucets ___ How Many? ___ Non-Freezing Type: ___ How Many? ___

Lawn Irrigation System (Portable) ___ Lawn Irrigation System (Permanent) ___

Lawn Fertilizer System ___ Portable High-Pressure Washer ___ Private Wells(s) ___

Is/Are private well(s) physically connected to the water system? Yes ___ No ___

Comments: _____

Signature: _____

(Please complete other side, if applicable.)

Commercial Service Connection Material (please refer to cover letter)

Brass _____ Galvanized _____ PVC _____ Copper _____ Lead _____ Unknown _____

Commercial Fixtures: (Check all that apply)

Lavatory: _____ How Many? _____ Deep Sinks _____ How Many? _____
Boilers _____ How Many? _____ Outside Faucets _____ How Many? _____
Outside Faucets _____
Non-Freezing Type) _____ How Many? _____ High Pressure Washers _____ How Many? _____
Lawn Irrigation Systems (Portable) _____ How Many? _____
Lawn Irrigation Systems (Permanent) _____ How Many? _____
Lawn Fertilizer Systems _____
Mixing Tanks w/Overhead Fill Lines _____ How Many? _____
Mixing Tanks w/Bottom Fill Lines _____ How Many? _____
Water-Cooled Air Conditioning System _____ How Many? _____
Sitz Baths _____ How Many? _____
Fire Protection Systems: _____
Embalming Facilities (Mortuaries) _____ How Many? _____
Private Well(s) _____ How Many? _____
Is/Are private well(s) physically connected to the water system? Yes _____ No _____

Comments: _____

Signature: _____

(FOR WATER DEPARTMENT USE ONLY)

After reviewing the data on this form it is my recommendation that:

- _____ The plumbing system serving the above-described property should be inspected for cross-connections by a properly certified plumber/CCCDI inspector.
- _____ The plumbing system serving the above-described property does not pose a threat to the public safety and no inspection is ordered.

Dated this _____ day of _____, _____.

Signature/Title of Person Making Above Determination: _____