## ORDINANCE No. 149506

An Ordinance amending Title 21, Water Code of the City of Portland by adding a section to cover the cost and testing of backflow prevention devices.

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

That there is presently no provision in Title 21, Water Code of the City of Portland to provide for testing of backflow prevention devices and that authority should be given the Bureau to do so for the protection of the public health.

NOW THEREFORE, The Council directs:

- A new Section 21.12.380, Testing of Backflow Prevention Devices, a. is hereby added to Title 21, Water, of the Code of the City of Portland, to read as follows:
- Section 21.12.380 Testing of backflow prevention devices. Any backflow devices required by the City to be installed on a customer's premises for the protection of the public water supply shall be tested immediately upon installation and on each anniversary thereafter. Such tests shall be performed only by a certified tester. (Results of the tests shall be reported immediately to the Bureau of Water Works.) If a test report is not received within thirty days of the date on which the test certification is due, the Bureau may elect to order such test and add the cost of such test, and repairs to the device if necessary, to the customer's water bill.

Passed by the Council, APR 2 4 1980 Commissioner Ivancie R. C. Hyle/vw April 4, 1980

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Mayor of the City of Portland

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