## **Fines for Violations of District Policy**

Adopted October 21, 2010

This is a separate list of fines to be assessed for the typical violations:

## Illegal Connection – bypassing the meter (hot tap)

**Builders/Contractors** 1st offense \$1,000.00

2<sup>nd</sup> offense \$1,500.00 3<sup>rd</sup> offense \$2,000.00

plus meter connect fee

plus costs to clean or replace the meter

Customer \$100.00 Repeat offense \$500.00

- Service was disconnected for non-payment and customer turns service back on without paying District past due amount and reconnect fees.

Direct Cross Connect - \$250.00

**Repeat offense** \$500.00 (per offense)

Connected straight to meter without a hose bibb and vacuum breaker installed

**Sewer Clean Outs** – broken or sewer plant function impaired due to illegal introduction of foreign substances into the sewer collection system or failure to cap cleanouts where water or debris enters system.

## Fine up to \$2000, plus cost of repair

**Repairs** (broken clean out only, no other damage)

- if performed by District staff \$500 plus time & materials

- if performed by third party actual costs for repairs

Plumbing Violations (this includes house, irrigation, pool or commercial)

Failure to pull permit \$300.00

Failure to post permit \$100.00

**Building without inspections** \$500.00 per stage not inspected

plus fees to correct, affidavit, etc.

\$1500.00 full build-out

Improper irrigation system installation up to \$2000.00 (per violation)

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## Water Restriction Violations - up to \$2000.00 - (per day, per occurrence)

- applied when District has issued mandatory outdoor water restrictions

1<sup>st</sup> offense – warning is issued and water is turned off if no one is home

2<sup>nd</sup> offense - \$200.00 fine and water turned off until fine is paid

3<sup>rd</sup> offense - \$500.00 fine and water turned off until fine is paid

4<sup>th</sup> offense - \$1000.00 fine and water turned off until fine is paid

5<sup>th</sup> offense and beyond - \$2000.0 and water turned off until fine is paid

Other Violation of District Policy	\$5,000.00, Maximum per occurrence
Tampering with Tank Site	\$5,000.00
Tampering with Fire Hydrant	\$2,000.00