



BACKFLOW TESTING COMPLIANCE

July 15, 2022

Frisco Water Customer:

Town of Frisco Water Department records show that your property(s) have one or more backflow devices. This is a **REMINDER COLORADO STATE LAW REQUIRES BACKFLOW DEVICES TO BE TESTED YEARLY BY A CERTIFIED BACKFLOW TESTER, and these requirements pertain to multi-family and commercial properties rather than individual homes.** Properly functioning backflow prevention devices keep outgoing water from possibly contaminating source water.

In order for Frisco to comply with the Colorado Department of Health and Environment's (CDPHE) requirements for backflow prevention, Frisco Town Council recently approved amendments to the Town Code that establish deadlines for property owners to test their backflow devices and submit the results to the Town. For those property owners who fail to meet these deadlines, fines may be assessed on a daily basis for non-compliance. The Town code amendments establish the following:

- **Report submission deadlines:**
 - Backflow device testing reports for domestic and fire suppression devices must be submitted to the Town of Frisco **no later than September 1 of each calendar year.**
 - Backflow device testing reports for irrigation devices must be submitted to the Town **no later than July 31 of each year; due to timing, the irrigation deadline will be extended to September 1 for 2022 only.**
- **Penalties:**
 - The penalty for the first offense will be a mandatory fine of **\$250.00.**
 - Any subsequent violation will carry a mandatory fine of **\$500.00.**
 - **These fines may be assessed for each day the property is out of compliance within a twelve-month period.**

Below is a limited list of certified backflow testers that have done testing in the area:

- High Country Waterworks, PO Box 1033, Breckenridge, CO; 970-470-1017; highcountrywaterworks.com
- Jacob Hahn, 0068 Continental Ct, Breckenridge, Co, 80424; 970-485-1336 or 970-453-1950; designmech.com
- Western States Fire Protection Co; 7026 S Tucson Way, Centennial, CO; 303-792-0022
- Frontier Fire, 9430 E. 40th Avenue, Denver, CO; 303-629-0221; frontierfireprotection.com
- Integrity Fire; 303-557-1820; integrityfiresafetyservices.com
- Cintas Fire Protection, 1100 W120th Ave, #500, Westminster, CO; 303-993-1622
- Platinum Fire Protection, 4860 Ironton St, Denver, CO; 303-688-0177; www.platfire.com

Please send backflow testing reports via email to backflowtesting@townoffrisco.com or deliver to Public Works at 0102 School Road in Frisco. More information may be found at FriscoWater.com. Please contact Frisco Public Works at 970-668-0836 or at backflowtesting@townoffrisco.com with any questions.

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