

### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Seymour Water Pollution Contract Authority will hold a public hearing on the revision of Section 3.7.1 and to Section 4.1 to its Regulations on May 7, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. The purpose of the hearing is to take public comment on the proposed revisions. Said proposed revisions are on file at the Seymour Town Clerk's office located at 1 First Street, Seymour, Connecticut and reads as follows:

#### **Section 3.7.1 BACKFLOW PROTECTION DEVICE**

An approved backflow protection device must be installed in a sewer lateral whenever the elevation of the basement floor of a building is lower than the top of frame of the downstream manhole of the sanitary sewer line to which it is to be connected. Said device shall be installed outside the building, be intended for horizontal use with an access opening positioned upright and, be pitched at the same slope as the connection pipe (but not greater than 1/4" per foot). The device shall be manufactured with an extendable exterior riser pipe, and an internal insert pipe attached to a replaceable PVC flapper assembly. The exterior riser pipe shall be fitted with an adaptor cap, which, must be installed at the surface for easy access.

The Seymour Water Pollution Control Authority shall require that a backflow prevention device be installed at an existing residence when the Seymour Water Pollution Authority determines that the existing residence has a history of backflow or may be susceptible to backflow from the sanitary sewer.

#### **Section 4.1 DISCHARGE OF STORM WATER, ETC. PROHIBITED IN THE SANITARY SEWERS**

No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged any storm water, surface water, groundwater, roof runoff, subsurface drainage, cooling water, which is from a non-contact once through operation and which is not treated prior to or during use, or Unpolluted water, except that: (a) any water listed above

which contains pollutants regulated by this Regulation may be discharged when approved by the Authority subject to any pretreatment, flow control or other control measures and monitoring procedures as determined by the Authority, and, (b) small volumes (less than 200 gallons per day) of otherwise excluded cooling water maybe discharged provided such discharge does not violate any other provisions of this Regulation to a building sewer or building drain which in turn is connected directly or indirectly to a public sanitary sewer.

No person constructing or repairing a sanitary sewer, or any building sewer connected to a sanitary sewer shall leave such sewer open, unsealed, or incomplete in a manner which, will permit storm water, groundwater, or surface water to enter any sanitary sewer. All such openings shall be tightly sealed at all points whenever work is not actually in progress on such sewer or connection.

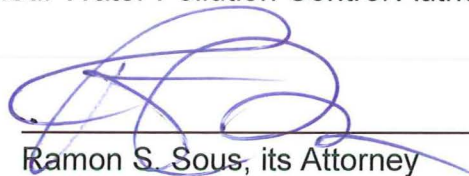
No user shall contribute or cause to be contributed, directly or indirectly, any pollutant or wastewater that will interfere with the operation or performance of the WPCF. These general prohibitions apply to all such users of a WPCF whether or not the user is subject to National Categorical Pretreatment Standards or requirements.

The hearing shall take place at the main office of the Seymour WPCA located at 732 Derby Avenue, Seymour, Connecticut.

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012

Seymour Water Pollution Control Authority

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