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## CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS (r.03/12/2021)

Sewers shall be installed in accordance with the latest edition of "Standard Specifications for Water and Sewer Main Construction in Illinois".

**INSPECTION:** Twenty-four (24) hour notice is required for weekday inspections;

forty-eight (48) hour notice for Saturday inspections. All joints and

connections must remain open until inspected.

**MATERIALS:** Sewer: P.V.C. S.D.R. 26 ASTM D-2241

All connections shall be made with non-shear mission couplings

with stainless steel bands

**PIPE SIZE:** House Connection – 6" Minimum

Minimum Grade – 1% Sewer Main – 8" Minimum Minimum Grade – 0.40

**SEWER TAPS:** Must be machine tapped using approved P.V.C. S.D.R. 26 saddle

with stainless steel bands or stainless steel saddle hub.

LATERAL CONNECTION: Must be 2241 S.D.R. 26 P.V.C. T's, Wyes are not allowed

**BEDDING MATERIAL:** IDOT "Standard Specifications" gradation CA-6, or 3/4".

Four inch (4") minimum under and six inch (6") over pipe.

Must be firmly spaded on both sides.

**HOUSE CONNECTIONS:** Sanitary Service must enter through the foundation wall and not

below the footing. Services that enter a new building <u>above</u> a finished basement or crawl space floor <u>will</u> be allowed to be installed before the roof has been constructed. Incoming pipe must be sealed with a

non-removable cap.

**SUMP PUMPS:** Footing drains, window wells and other storm water drainage are not

permitted to discharge into sanitary sewers.

**SEWER EXTENSION:** When a sewer has to be extended in order to service a property, the

newly installed sanitary sewer must extend to the farthest property line.

**SEWER TESTING:** All sewers eight (8") and larger must pass the standard diameter/length

air test before acceptance. Flexible thermoplastic sewers must be deflection tested before acceptance. All sewers must be internally inspected using TV and tapes supplied to the District in digital format.

**WATERTIGHT:** Watertight manhole covers shall be used. Pick holes shall be of

the cancelled type no larger than 1 inch in diameter. Construction lifting holes on manhole rings shall be plugged from the outside and the exterior and joints of the manhole elements shall be waterproofed. Precast inlet and outlet connections fitted with "0" rings or other equally watertight connections shall be provided.

**MANHOLE TESTING:** The specifications shall include a requirement for inspection and

leakage testing of all manholes for water tightness in accordance with ASTM C969-94 – "Standard Practice for Infiltration and Exfiltration Acceptance Testing of Installed Precast Concrete Pipe Sewer Lines," Vol. 04.05, Chemical Resistant Materials, Vitrified Clay, Concrete, Fiber-Cement Products; Mortars; Masonry (1996) (no later editions or amendments) or ASTM C1244-93 "Standard Test Method for Concrete Sewer Manholes by the Negative Pressure (Vacuum) Test", Vol. 04.05, Chemical Resistant Materials, Vitrified Clay, Concrete, Fiber-Cement Products; Mortars; Masonry (1996) (no later editions or amendments)

prior to placing into service.

**INSPECTION FEES:** \$160.00 paid at time connection permit is issued.

**JULIE MEMBERSHIP:** The Wheaton Sanitary District is a member of JULIE.

