

1 **CHAPTER 12**

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 3 **Design and Construction Standards for Public Water Supplies**

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 5 **Section 1. Authority.**

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 7 These standards are promulgated pursuant to the Wyoming Environmental Quality Act,
 8 specifically, § 35-11-302.

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 10 **Section 2. Applicability.**

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 12 (a) This Chapter contains the minimum standards for the design and construction of
 13 public water supplies that are required to obtain a permit under Wyoming Statute (W.S.) § 35-
 14 11-301(a)(iii) and Water Quality Rules Chapter 3.

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 16 (i) All applicants for a Water Quality Rules Chapter 3 permit to construct,
 17 install, modify, or operate a public water supply facility shall comply with all minimum
 18 standards of this Chapter.

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 20 (ii) No permit to construct, install, modify, or operate a public water supply
 21 facility shall be issued to a facility that does not comply with the minimum standards of this
 22 Chapter.

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 24 (iii) All public water supply facilities shall be constructed, installed, and
 25 operated in accordance with permits issued pursuant to this Chapter.

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 27 (b) The construction, installation, or modification of any component of a public water
 28 supply facility requires a permit to construct.

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 30 **Section 3. Timing of Compliance with These Regulations.**

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 32 Any facility covered by an individual or general permit issued pursuant to Water Quality
 33 Rules, Chapter 3, prior to the effective date of this Chapter shall remain covered under that
 34 permit. New construction or modification of existing permitted facilities must obtain
 35 authorization under a new permit, in accordance with Water Quality Rules Chapter 3, Section
 36 4(d) or Section 5(e), subject to the requirements of this Chapter.

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 38 **Section 4. Incorporation By Reference of Recommended Standards for Water**
 39 **Works 2018 Edition.**

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 41 (a) This Chapter incorporates sections of the Recommended Standards for Water
 42 Works, A Report of the Water Supply Committee of the Great Lakes--Upper Mississippi River
 43 Board of State and Provincial Public Health and Environmental Managers, 2018 Edition, also
 44 known as the “Ten State Standards,” referred to as “2018 TSS,” as noted in Section 8(a), Section
 45 9(a), Section 10(a), Section 11(a), Section 12(a), Section 13(a), Section 14(a), Section 15(a),
 46 Section 16(a), Section 17(a), and Section 19(a)(lviii) of this Chapter.

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48 (b) The State term “Administrator” shall replace the term “reviewing authority” used
49 in the Recommended Standards for Water Works 2018 Edition.

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51 (c) The State term “shall” shall replace the term “should” used in the Recommended
52 Standards for Water Works 2018 Edition.

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54 **Section 5. Definitions.**

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56 (a) The following definitions supplement those contained in W.S. § 35-11-103 of the
57 Wyoming Environmental Quality Act.

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59 (b) “Auxiliary source of supply” means any water supply on or available to the water
60 user's system other than an approved public water supply acceptable to the water supplier. These
61 auxiliary waters may include water from another supplier's public potable water supply or any
62 natural source(s), such as a well, spring, river, stream, harbor, and so forth; used waters; or
63 industrial fluids. These waters may be contaminated or polluted, they may be objectionable or
64 they may be from a water source that the water supplier is uncertain of sanitary control.

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66 (c) “Average daily demand” means the total annual water use divided by the number
67 of days the system was in operation.

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69 (d) “Backflow” means the undesirable reversal of flow of water or mixtures of water
70 and other liquids, gases, or other substances into the distribution system of the public water
71 supply from any other source or sources.

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73 (e) “Backflow incident” means any identified backflow to a public water supply
74 distribution system or to the potable water piping within the water user's system benefitting from
75 a water service connection to the public water supply distribution system.

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77 (f) “Back-pressure” means a form of backflow caused when the pressure of the water
78 user’s system is greater than that of the water supply system whether caused by a pump, elevated
79 tank, elevated piping, boiler, pressurized process, pressurized irrigation system, or air pressure.

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81 (g) “Back-siphonage” means a form of backflow caused by negative or reduced
82 pressure in the water supply system whether caused by loss of pressure due to high water
83 demands, a line break, or excessive firefighting flows.

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85 (h) “Calculated Dose” means the reduction equivalent dose (RED) calculated using
86 the dose-monitoring equation that was developed through validation testing.

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88 (i) “Contamination” means an impairment of a public water supply by the
89 introduction or admission of any foreign substance that degrades the quality of the potable water
90 or creates a health hazard.

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92 (j) “Cross-connection” means any actual or potential connection between a potable
93 water supply and any other source or system through which it is possible to introduce
94 contamination into the system.

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96 (k) “Degree of hazard” means either a high or low hazard situation where a substance
97 may be introduced into a public water supply through a cross-connection. The degree of hazard
98 or threat to public health is determined by a hazard classification.

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100 (l) “Domestic services” means services using potable water for ordinary living
101 processes.

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103 (m) “Dual check” means a device conforming to American Association of Sanitary
104 Engineers (ASSE) Standard #1024 consisting of two independently acting check valves.

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106 (n) “Groundwater source” includes all water obtained from dug, drilled, bored, jetted,
107 or driven wells; springs that are developed so that the water does not flow on the ground and that
108 are protected to preclude the entrance of surface contamination; and collection wells.

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110 (o) “Hazard classification” means a determination by a Hazard Classification
111 Surveyor as to high hazard or low hazard and the potential cause of backflow as either back-
112 pressure or back-siphonage.

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114 (p) “Hazard Classification Survey” means inspection of a premises to identify the
115 potable water systems, the location of any potential cross-connections to the potable water
116 systems, the hazard of the potential backflow, the physical identification of any backflow devices
117 or methods present, and the inspection status of any backflow devices or methods recorded and
118 certified by a qualified Hazard Classification Surveyor.

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120 (q) “Hazard Classification Surveyor” means an individual certified by the USC-
121 Foundation for Cross-Connection Control and Hydraulic Research as Cross Connection Control
122 Specialist (USC-FCCCHR), the ASSE as a Cross-Connection Control Surveyor, or another state
123 certification program submitted with the permit application and approved by the Administrator,
124 or an individual who is a water distribution system operator also certified as a backflow device
125 tester employed by the public water supplier for the service where the survey is being conducted.

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127 (r) “High hazard” means a situation created when any substance that is or may be
128 introduced into a public water supply poses a threat to public health through poisoning, the
129 spread of disease or pathogenic organisms, or any other public health concern.

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131 (s) “Isolated” when referring to cross-connections means the properly approved
132 backflow prevention devices have been installed at each point of cross-connection within the
133 water user's system.

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135 (t) “Low hazard” means a situation created when any substance that is or may be
136 introduced into a public water supply does not pose a threat to public health but that does
137 adversely affect the aesthetic quality of the potable water.

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(u) “Maximum daily demand” means the demand for water exerted on the system over a period of 24 consecutive hours, for the period during which such demand is greatest.

(v) “Maximum hourly demand” means the highest single-hour demand exerted on the system. This may or may not occur on the maximum day.

(w) “Mechanical sludge equipment” means the equipment used to physically remove solids from a water treatment process. This may include mechanical drives that use scrapers or differential water levels to collect the sludge.

(x) “Mineralized water” means any water containing more than 500 mg/L total dissolved solids.

(y) “Minor field change” means any in-field adjustment due to previously unknown physical constraints of the project site that do not affect the project’s scope. Minor field changes still allow full compliance with the requirements of this Chapter and are shown on the submitted, post-construction as-built plan set for the Division in red.

~~(zzz)~~ “Primary disinfection” means disinfection that kills or inactivates bacteria, viruses, and other potentially harmful organisms in drinking water.

(aa) “Reduction Equivalent Dose” means the ultraviolet (UV) dose derived by entering the log inactivation measured during full-scale reactor testing into the UV dose-response curve that was derived through collimated beam testing. RED values are always specific to the challenge microorganism used during experimental testing and the validation test conditions for full-scale reactor testing.

(bb) “Required Dose” means the UV dose in units of mJ/cm² req needed to achieve the target log inactivation for the target pathogen.

(cc) “Secondary disinfection” means disinfection that provides longer lasting water treatment as the water moves through pipes to consumers.

(dd) “Stabilized drawdown” means a water level that has not fluctuated by more than plus or minus 0.5 foot for each 100 feet of water in the well over at least a six-hour period of constant pumping flow rate. The water column is measured from pre-test static water level to the top of the deepest water bearing fracture that contributes at least 10 percent of total well yield, and plotted measurements that have not shown a trend of decreasing water level.

(ee) “Surface water source” includes all tributary streams and drainage basins, natural lakes, and artificial reservoirs or impoundments upstream from the point of the water supply intake.

182 (ff) “Validated Dose” means the UV dose in units of mJ/cm² delivered by the UV
183 reactor as determined through validation testing that is compared to the required dose to
184 determine log inactivation credit.

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186 (gg) “Water service connection” means any water line or pipe connected to a
187 distribution supply main or pipe for the purpose of conveying water to a water user's system.
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189 (hh) “Water supplier” means any entity that owns or operates a public water supply,
190 whether public or private.

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192 (ii) “Water user” means any entity, whether public or private, with a water service
193 connection to a public water supply and includes customers of a public water supplier.
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195 (jj) “Water user's system” means that portion of the user's water system between the
196 water service connection and the point of use. This system includes all pipes, conduits, tanks,
197 fixtures, and appurtenances used to convey, store, or use water provided by the public water
198 supply.
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200 **Section 6. Facilities and Systems not Specifically Covered by these Standards.**
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202 (a) Each application for a permit to construct a facility under this section shall be
203 evaluated on a case-by-case basis using the best available technology. The Administrator may
204 approve applications demonstrating the constructed facility can meet the purpose of the
205 Wyoming Environmental Quality Act and this Chapter.
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207 (b) The following information shall be included with the application for a permit to
208 construct, install, modify, or operate a public water supply facility not specifically covered by
209 these standards:
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211 (i) Data obtained from:

212 (A) A full scale, comparable installation that demonstrates the
213 acceptability of the design; or
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215 (B) A pilot plant operated under the design condition for a sufficient
216 length of time to demonstrate the acceptability of the design; or
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218 (C) A theoretical evaluation of the design that demonstrates a
219 reasonable probability the facility will meet the design objectives.
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221 (ii) An evaluation of the flexibility of making corrective changes to the
222 constructed facility in the event it does not function as planned.
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224 (c) If an applicant wishes to construct a pilot plant to provide the data necessary to
225 meet the requirements of this Section, the applicant must obtain a permit to construct.
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228 **Section 7. Permits, Permit Application, and Recordkeeping Requirements.**
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230 (a) Applications for a permit to construct, install, modify, or operate a public water
231 supply shall comply with the requirements of Water Quality Rules Chapter 3, Section 6.
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233 (b) The application shall include the following components:
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235 (i) An engineering design report that meets the requirements of Section 9 of
236 this Chapter;

237 (ii) A construction plan that meets the applicable requirements of Sections 8,
238 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of this Chapter;

239 (iii) An operation and maintenance plan that meets the requirements of Section
240 18 of this Chapter; and

241 (iv) Any additional information required by the Administrator.
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243 (c) The application and components required by this Chapter shall be submitted to the
244 Division in a format required by the Administrator.
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246 (d) The application shall include certification under penalty of perjury that the
247 applicant has secured and will maintain permission for Department personnel and their invitees
248 to access the facility, including permission to:
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250 (i) Access the land where the facility is located;
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252 (ii) Collect resource data as defined by W.S. § 6-3-414(e)(iv); and
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254 (iii) Enter and cross all properties necessary to access the facility if the facility
255 cannot be directly accessed from a public road.
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257 (e) Sections of permit applications that represent engineering work shall be sealed,
258 signed, and dated by a licensed professional engineer as required by W.S. § 33-29-601.
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260 (f) Sections of permit applications that represent geologic work shall be sealed,
261 signed, and dated by a licensed professional geologist as required by W.S. § 33-41-115.
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263 (g) The Administrator may allow an alternative two-step permitting and application
264 procedure for wells and water storage tank project applicants that meet the following
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267 ~~(i)~~ For applications that include wells, the Department will issue one permit
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273 (A) The issued permit will authorize the well to be constructed,
274 developed, and tested;

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276 (B) Applicants shall then submit well test data and water quality data
277 for Administrator review; and

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279 (C) Upon the Administrator's approval of the well test data and water
280 quality data, the Director shall modify the issued permit to authorize connection of the
281 distribution system to the well.

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283 (~~ii~~ ii) Applicants for water storage tanks may follow an alternative procedure
284 when the final plans and specifications for the tank cannot be submitted with the initial permit
285 application due to project bidding constraints. In these instances, the Department will issue a
286 permit through the following phased authorizations:

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288 (A) The issued permit will authorize the project to initiate the bidding
289 process. Applicants shall ensure the project bidding documentation includes a requirement that
290 the final water storage tank design complies with the requirements of this Chapter.

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292 (B) Applicants shall then submit final documentation and
293 specifications for the water storage tank that demonstrate the design is consistent with the
294 requirements of this Chapter. Upon the Administrator's approval of the final tank documentation
295 specifications, the Director shall modify the issued permit to authorize the construction of the
296 water storage tank and foundation.

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298 (~~iv~~ iii) Applicants that use phased authorization procedures in this paragraph (g)
299 shall request a pre-application meeting with the applicable Division district engineer prior to
300 submission of the permit application package to ensure efficient coordination of the submittals of
301 all reports, plans, and specifications, and Division review timelines.

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303 **Section 8. Plans and Specifications.**

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305 (a) 2018 TSS, part 1.2-1.2.2(r), plans; 1.3-1.3(e), specifications; 1.4-1.4(m), design
306 criteria; 1.5, revisions to approved plans; and 1.6, additional information required; are herein
307 incorporated by reference.

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309 (b) All plans for waterworks and treatment facilities shall also include the name of
310 the real estate owner, the owner of the project, and the location of the project.

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312 (c) Plans for transmission and distribution lines shall include:

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314 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;

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316 (ii) A detailed plan view at a legible scale of each reach of the water line
317 showing all existing and proposed streets, adjacent structures, physical features, and existing
318 locations of utilities that indicates:

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320 (A) The location and size of all water lines, valves, access manholes,
321 air-vacuum release stations, thrust blocking, and other appurtenances; and
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323 (B) Pertinent elevations.
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325 (iii) Profiles of all water lines that are shown on the same sheet as the plan
326 view at legible horizontal and vertical scales and that show:
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328 (A) Profiles of:
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330 (I) Existing and finished surfaces;
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332 (II) Pipe size and material; and
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334 (III) Valve size, material, and type.
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336 (B) The location of all special features such as access manholes,
337 concrete encasements, casing pipes, blowoff valves, and air-vacuum relief valves.
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339 (iv) Special detail drawings scaled and dimensioned to show the following:
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341 (A) The bottom of the stream, the elevation of the high- and low-water
342 levels, and other topographical features at points where the water line:
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344 (I) Is located within 10 feet of streams or lakes; or
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346 (II) Crosses streams or lakes.
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348 (B) A cross-section drawing of the pipe bedding; and
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350 (C) Additional features of the pipe or its installation that are not
351 otherwise covered by specifications.
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353 (v) The location of any sewer lines within 30 feet horizontally of water lines.
354 Sewers that cross water lines shall be shown on the profile drawings.
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356 (d) Plans for storage tanks, pumping stations, and water treatment facilities shall
357 show the relation of the proposed project to the remainder of the system and shall include:
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359 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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361 (ii) The seal and signature of the Wyoming Professional Engineer providing
362 the design;
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- 364 (iii) The site location and layout including:
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366 (A) Topographic and physical features, including embankments;
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368 (B) The proposed arrangement of pumping or treatment units;
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370 (C) Existing facilities;
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372 (D) Existing and proposed piping and valving arrangements;
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374 (E) The route to access the facility;
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376 (F) The power supply;
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378 (G) Fencing; and
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380 (H) The proposed location of clearwells, waste ponds, and sludge
381 ponds.
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383 (iv) Schematic flow diagram(s) and hydraulic profile(s) for facility-treated
384 water;
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386 (v) A flow diagram for sludge and wastewater flows; and
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388 (vi) Plan(s) and section view(s) of each treatment facility process unit with
389 specific construction details, features, and pertinent elevations including but not limited to the
390 following:
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392 (A) Inlet and outlet devices;
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394 (B) Baffles;
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396 (C) Valves;
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398 (D) Arrangement of automatic control devices;
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400 (E) Mixers;
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402 (F) Motors;
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404 (G) Chemical feeders;
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406 (H) Sludge scrapers;
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408 (I) Sludge disposal; or
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- 410 (J) Other mechanical devices.
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412 (e) Plans for well construction shall include:
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414 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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416 (ii) Assembled order, size, and length of casing and liners;
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418 (iii) The well test method and allowable tolerance;
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420 (iv) The locations of all caisson construction joints and porthole assemblies on
421 drawings, if a radial water collector is proposed;
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423 (v) From the ground surface to the total depth of the drilled borehole, the
424 elevation and designation of geological formations, water levels, formations penetrated, and
425 other details to describe the proposed well completely;
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427 (vi) Screen locations, size of screen openings, and screen intervals;
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429 (vii) The location of any blast charges, if available; and
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431 (viii) Existing well test data, including:
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433 (A) Test pump capacity-head characteristics;
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435 (B) Static water level;
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437 (C) Depth of test pump setting;
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439 (D) Time of starting and ending each test cycle;
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441 (E) Pumping rate;
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443 (F) Pumping water level;
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445 (G) Drawdown; and
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447 (H) Water recovery rate and levels.
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449 (f) Plans for water lines, pump stations, treatment facilities, wells, storage, or
450 additions/modifications to existing systems or facilities shall be accompanied by technical
451 specifications that include:
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453 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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455 (ii) Identification of construction materials;

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457 (iii) When applicable, the type, size, strength, operating characteristics, rating
458 or requirements for all mechanical and electrical equipment, including machinery, valves, piping,
459 electrical apparatus, wiring, and meters; laboratory fixtures and equipment; operating tools;
460 special appurtenances; and chemicals;
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462 (iv) Construction and installation procedure for materials and equipment;
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464 (v) Requirements and tests of materials and equipment to meet design
465 standards;
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467 (vi) Performance tests for the operation of completed works and component
468 units;
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470 (vii) Specialized requirements for tests, analyses, disinfection techniques, and
471 other special needs;
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473 (viii) A demonstration that all water service connections will be provided with
474 backflow prevention devices in accordance with the requirements of Section 16(m) of this
475 Chapter; and
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477 (ix) If technical specifications have been independently permitted by the
478 Department for statewide use, the title, date, and permit approval identification number in lieu of
479 providing technical specifications.

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481 **Section 9 Engineering Design Report.**
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- 483 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 1.1-1.1.1(d), engineers report, general information; 1.1.2-
484 1.1.2(c), engineers report, extent of water works system; 1.1.4-1.1.4(c), engineers report, soil,
485 groundwater conditions, and foundation problems; 1.1.5-1.1.5(f), engineers report, water use
486 data; 1.1.6-1.1.6(b), engineers report, flow requirements; 1.1.7-1.1.7.1(f), engineers report,
487 sources of water supply, surface water sources; 1.1.7.2-1.1.7.2(g), engineers report, sources of
488 water supply, groundwater sources; 1.1.8, engineers report, proposed treatment processes; 1.1.9,
489 engineers report, sewerage system available; 1.1.10, engineers report, waste disposal; 1.1.15-
490 1.1.15(d), engineers report, pumping facilities; 1.1.16-1.1.16(c), engineers report, storage; and
491 1.1.17-1.1.17(d), engineers report, security, contingency planning, and emergency preparedness;
492 are herein incorporated by reference.
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494 (b) An engineering design report shall be submitted with each application and shall
495 include the following required elements:
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497 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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499 (ii) A description by narrative, analyses, and calculations of the project
500 purpose and intent in order to support the project plans and specifications;
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- 502 (iii) A description of known or suspected problems, needs, or requirements,
503 and the reasoning used to arrive at the proposed solution;
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- 505 (iv) An identification of problems and solutions related to but not limited to
506 the following:
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- 508 (A) Water quantity and quality;
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- 510 (B) Compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. §300f et
511 seq.; and
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- 513 (C) Operational requirements, redundancy, maintenance, and
514 reliability.
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- 516 (v) A determination of the degree of hazard of all known or anticipated water
517 service connections to be connected to the proposed project. A hazard classification shall be
518 identified for each connection and recommended mitigation measures shall be described for each
519 hazard.
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- 521 (c) The engineering design report for all new water distribution system extensions
522 shall include the following required elements:
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- 524 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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- 526 (ii) A description of the service area including scaled vicinity plan map(s) of
527 the project with regard to adjacent and proposed development, elevations, and topographic
528 features; and
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- 530 (iii) Current and projected system water use data and flow requirements to
531 include maximum hourly demand and per capita maximum daily flows;
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- 533 (iv) Information on fire protection and fire flow capabilities of the proposed
534 system.
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- 536 (d) The engineering design report for all treatment facilities shall include the
537 following required elements:
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- 539 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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- 541 (ii) A description of the facility site and location, including a scaled site plan,
542 and:
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- 544 (A) Present and projected facility property boundaries;
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- 546 (B) Flood protection indicating predicted elevation of 25- and 100-year
547 flood stages;

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549 (C) Present and proposed access for the purpose of operation,
550 maintenance, and compliance inspection;
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552 (D) Distances from:
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554 (I) Current habitation;
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556 (II) The closest major treated water transmission line;
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558 (III) The closest treated water storage facility; and
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560 (IV) The water source.
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562 (E) Fencing and security;
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564 (F) Topographic features and contours with indicated datum; and
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566 (G) Soil and subsurface geological characteristics, including a soils
567 investigation report of the proposed site suitable for structural design of the proposed facilities.
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569 (iii) A description of the service area, including scaled vicinity plan map(s) of
570 the project with regard to adjacent and proposed development, elevations, and topographic
571 features;
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573 (iv) A detailed description of the recycle flows and procedures for reclamation
574 of recycle streams; and
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576 (v) A detailed description of disposal techniques for settled solids, including a
577 description of the ultimate disposal of sludge.
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579 (e) Engineering design reports for new surface water sources shall include the
580 following required elements:
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582 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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584 (ii) A description of water quantity available during average and driest years
585 of record that contains details of:
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587 (A) Any diversion records; and
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589 (B) Diversion dams, impoundments, or reservoirs that may impact
590 design considerations or long-term water availability.
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592 (iii) A tabulation of water quality data that describes the biological,
593 radiological, and chemical water quality sufficient to determine necessary treatment processes
594 that:

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596 (A) For surface water source testing, include at least one sampling
597 event during spring runoff and at least one sampling event during late summer or early fall low
598 flow; and
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600 (B) Includes data that are sufficient for the Division to determine that
601 the processes safely and reliably comply with water quality standards required by 40 CFR Part
602 141.
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604 (f) Engineering design reports for new groundwater sources shall include:

- 605 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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607 (ii) A description of the geology of the aquifer(s) and overlying strata;
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609 (iii) Tabulated water quality testing data for biological, radiological, and
610 chemical water quality sufficient to determine necessary treatment processes and sufficient for
611 the Administrator to determine that the processes safely and reliably meet water quality
612 standards required by 40 CFR Part 141;
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614 (iv) If known, a summary of the likely drilling and completion challenges that
615 will be faced, including a description of the engineering design, management, monitoring, and
616 drilling and completion practices that will be used to successfully construct the well in
617 accordance with this Chapter; and
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620 (v) For wells that will be drilled through multiple aquifers, applicants shall
621 request a pre-application meeting with the applicable Division district engineer to discuss:
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623 (A) The boring advancement, well sealing, well development, and
624 methods used to determine the adequacy of the well seal; and
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626 (B) The methods that will be used to overcome lost circulation, bore
627 instability, and deviations from vertical alignment.
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629 (g) Engineering design reports for conversion of an existing well into a public water
630 supply well shall include the following required elements:
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632 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;
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634 (ii) The information required in paragraph (f) of this Section;
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636 (iii) The submission of the State Engineer's Office (SEO) Statement of
637 Completion and Description of Well; and

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(iv) A video log of the well inspection accompanied by a written description of the location, shape, and estimated size of any holes, breaches, corroded areas in the casing, if any, that includes:

(A) If any damage to the casing is found, a description of how defective areas will be repaired and if there is a need for additional well bond logging; or

(B) If well bond logging is not recommended, a description of the technical justification and an alternative means of certifying the adequacy of the well seal to protect the water source.

(h) Engineering design reports for new water treatment facilities shall include the following required elements:

(i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;

(ii) A description of all water treatment chemical requirements, including dosage and feed rates, delivery, handling, and storage;

(iii) A description of automatic operation and control systems, including basic operation, manual override operation, and maintenance requirements; and

(iv) A description of the on-site laboratory facilities and a summary of those tests to be conducted on-site. If no on-site laboratory is provided, a description of plant control and water quality testing requirements, and where the testing will be conducted shall be included.

(i) Engineering design reports for water treatment facility modifications shall describe:

(i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;

(ii) The purpose of the facility modification;

(iii) All proposed new equipment, tankage, and chemical treatment processes, including a description of the modification's effect on treatment system reliability, water quantity and quality; and

(iv) A listing of the new equipment design criteria and the associated chemicals.

(j) Engineering design reports for water main upsizing or looping projects shall describe the purpose of the water main upsizing or looping project and shall include the following required elements:

(i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;

684
685 (ii) Hydraulic analysis that demonstrates how peak hour, average day,
686 maximum day, and maximum day plus fire flows, if fire flows are available, will be improved by
687 upsizing; and

688
689 (iii) A table that summarizes the hydraulic model results.

690
691 (k) Engineering design reports for water main removal and replacements shall
692 describe the purpose of the replacement and identify the existing main size, material type, and
693 condition, and shall include the following required elements:

694
695 (i) The information required in paragraph (a) of this Section;

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697 (ii) For any main replacement(s), the replacement main size, material type,
698 and dimension ratio;

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700 (iii) For projects that consist of main replacements in multiple discrete
701 locations, an aerial image that shows all replacement pipeline segments, including new valves,
702 with called-out pipe diameters and lengths;

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704 (iv) A description of the protective measures that will be taken at locations
705 where the new water main will cross a sewer or storm sewer when standard horizontal and
706 vertical separations cannot be met; and

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708 (v) For projects where asbestos cement may be encountered, a discussion of
709 the disposal, or abandonment method to be used.

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711 (l) Engineering design reports for new water mains shall describe the purpose of the
712 new water main and shall include the information required in paragraph (a) of this Section. If the
713 water main will provide service to a new development the engineering design report shall include
714 the following required elements:

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716 (i) The modeling result from a hydraulic analysis that demonstrates that the
717 design will meet the requirements of Section 16(d)(i-ii) of this Chapter;

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719 (ii) A demonstration that the hydraulic model was calibrated based on existing
720 fire hydrant test flow data, when available, or based on modeling; and

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722 (iii) Identification of any impacts the new fire flow demand will have on
723 finished storage and pumping systems over the required fire flow duration.

724
725 **Section 10. Design Requirements for Preliminary Treatment and Redundancy.**

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727 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 2.9-2.9(c), monitoring equipment; 2.10, sample taps; 2.11,
728 facility water supply; and 2.14, piping color code are herein incorporated by reference.

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730 (b) The proposed design shall demonstrate that the capacity of the water treatment or
731 water production system is designed for the maximum daily demand at the design year based on
732 historical usage records.

733
734 (i) Where water use records are not available to establish water use, the
735 design shall include an equivalent per capita water use of at least 125 gallons per day (gpd) for
736 average daily water demand and 340 gpd for maximum daily water demand.

737
738 (ii) The plant capacity design shall demonstrate consideration of:
739
740 (A) Maximum daily water demand;
741
742 (B) Agricultural water use;
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744 (C) Industrial water use; and
745
746 (D) Filter backwash quantities. In the absence of data, filter backwash
747 quantity shall be five percent of the maximum daily demand.

748
749 (c) The structural design shall demonstrate consideration of:

750
751 (i) The seismic zone;
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753 (ii) Groundwater; and
754
755 (iii) Soil support that demonstrates:

756
757 (A) The applicant has conducted soils investigations or has included
758 documentation of adequate previous soils investigations used to develop the structural design;

759
760 (B) Basin slabs have been designed to successfully resist the
761 hydrostatic uplift pressure or include an area dewatering system; and

762
763 (C) Consideration of long-span breakage in basins designed to resist
764 uplift.

765
766 (d) Proposed treatment facilities locations shall demonstrate that:

767
768 (i) No sources of pollution will affect the quality of the water supply or
769 treatment system;

770
771 (ii) The facility location is not within 500 feet of landfills, garbage dumps, or
772 wastewater treatment systems; and

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774 (iii) All treatment process structures, mechanical equipment, and electrical
775 equipment will be protected, accessible, and remain fully operational during the maximum flood
776 of record or the 100-year flood, whichever is greater.
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778 (e) Proposed treatment shall demonstrate that the facility will produce potable water
779 that is bacteriologically, chemically, radiologically, and physically safe, as required by 40 CFR
780 Part 141.
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782 (f) Designs for proposed treatment facilities with 100,000 gpd capacity and over shall
783 include duplicate units, as a minimum, for chemical feed, flocculation, clarification,
784 sedimentation, filtration, and disinfection.
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786 (g) Designs for proposed treatment facilities under 100,000 gpd capacity shall
787 include:
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789 (i) Duplicate units as described in paragraph (f) of this Section; or
790

791 (ii) Finished water system storage equal to twice the maximum daily demand;
792 and
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794 (iii) Demonstration of consideration of plant design flexibility to account for
795 future changes in source water quality, unexpected need to modify process piping, service area
796 expansion, changing treatment technologies, and equipment life cycles and upgrades.
797

798 (h) All treatment facility pumping shall provide the maximum daily demand flow
799 with the largest single-unit not in service. Finished water pumping in combination with finished
800 water storage that floats on the distribution systems shall provide the maximum hourly demand
801 with the largest single-unit not in service. For designs that include fire protection, pumping, and
802 finished water storage that floats on the system shall provide the fire demand plus the maximum
803 daily demand, or the maximum hourly demand, whichever is greater.
804

805 (i) Where the finished water storage volume that floats on the distribution system is
806 not capable of supplying the maximum daily demand, the proposed design shall include
807 alternative power for the finished water pumps that demonstrates:
808

809 (i) The combined finished water storage volume and pumping capacity
810 supplied by alternative power will be at least adequate to provide the maximum daily demand;
811 and
812

813 (ii) The alternative power source will include engine generators, engine drive
814 pumps, or a second independent electrical supply that will provide sufficient power to run the
815 system.
816

817 (j) Process equipment, filters and appurtenances, disinfection, chemical feed and
818 storage, electrical and controls, and pipe galleries shall be located in suitable structures.
819

820 (k) All equipment not required to be in or on open basins, such as clarifier drives and
821 flocculators, shall be located in heated, lighted, and ventilated structures.

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823 (l) Piping shall be buried below frost level, placed in heated structures, or provided
824 with heat and insulated.

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826 (m) Structure entrances shall be above grade.

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828 (n) Selected construction materials shall provide water tightness, corrosion
829 protection, and resistance to weather variations.

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831 (o) NSF/ANSI/CAN 61-2020/NSF/ANSI/CAN 600-2021 certified coatings used to
832 protect structures, equipment, and piping shall be suitable for atmospheres containing moisture
833 and low concentrations of chlorine.

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835 (p) Surfaces exposed in chemical areas shall be protected from chemical attack.

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837 (q) Paints shall not contain lead, mercury, or other toxic metals or chemicals.

838

839 (r) All enclosed spaces shall be provided with forced ventilation, except pumping
840 station wetwells or clearwells that meet the following requirements:

841

842 (i) In areas where there are open treatment units exposed to the room,
843 ventilation shall be provided to limit relative humidity to less than 85 percent but not less than
844 six air changes per hour; and

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846 (ii) Ventilation in electrical and equipment rooms shall limit the temperature
847 rise in the room to less than 15 degrees Fahrenheit above ambient with at least six air changes
848 per hour.

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850 (s) Service transformers and other critical electrical equipment shall be located above
851 the 100-year flood and above grade. Transformers shall be located so that they are remote or
852 protected by substantial barriers from traffic. Motor controls shall be located in superstructures
853 and in rooms that do not contain corrosive atmospheres.

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855 (t) All treatment facilities shall have a flow-measuring device provided for raw water
856 influent and clear well effluent and each shall provide totalized flow. The accuracy of the device
857 shall be at least plus or minus two percent of span and shall meet the following requirements:

858

859 (i) Automatic controls shall be designed to permit manual override; and

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861 (ii) The meter shall also record the instantaneous flow rate.

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863 (u) Water treatment plants ~~with a capacity of 500,000 gpd or more~~ shall be provided
864 with continuous water turbidimeters (including recorders) that demonstrate compliance with the

865 Guidance Manual for Compliance with the Surface Water Treatment Rules, Turbidity
866 Provisions.

867
868 **Section 11. Source Development.**
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870 (a) 2018 TSS, parts [2.10, sample taps](#); 3.1.4.1-3.1.4.1(i), surface water, structures,
871 design of intake structures; 3.1.4.3-3.1.4.3(f) surface water, structures, offstream raw water
872 storage reservoir; 3.1.6-3.1.6.3, surface water, impoundments and reservoirs; 3.2.3.2,
873 groundwater, location, continued sanitary protection; 3.2.4-3.2.4.14(b)(4), groundwater, general
874 well construction; 3.2.5-3.2.5.4, groundwater, testing and records; 3.2.6.1-3.2.6.1(c),
875 groundwater, aquifer types and construction methods--special conditions, sand or gravel wells;
876 3.2.6.2-3.2.6.2(b)(7), groundwater, aquifer types and construction methods--special conditions,
877 gravel pack material; 3.2.6.4-3.2.6.4(d), groundwater, aquifer types and construction methods--
878 special conditions, infiltration lines; 3.2.6.5-3.2.6.5(b), groundwater, aquifer types and
879 construction methods--special conditions, limestone or sandstone wells; 3.2.7.3-3.2.7.3(c)(3),
880 groundwater, well pumps, discharge piping and appurtenances, discharge piping; 3.2.7.4-
881 3.2.7.4(d), groundwater, well pumps, discharge piping and appurtenances, pitless well units;
882 3.2.7.6, groundwater, well pumps, discharge piping and appurtenances, casing vent; 3.2.7.7-
883 3.2.7.7(b), groundwater, well pumps, discharge piping and appurtenances, water level
884 measurement; 3.2.7.8-3.2.7.8(b), groundwater, well pumps, discharge piping and appurtenances,
885 observation wells; are herein incorporated by reference.

886
887 (b) Surface water intake structures that operate in the winter shall be capable of
888 minimizing the formation of ice on the intake.
889

890 (c) Transmission lines and interconnecting process piping shall be capable of
891 withstanding the forces and conditions they will be subject to and comply with the following
892 specifications for water service, as applicable:
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- 894 (i) AWWA C200;
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- 896 (ii) AWWA C207;
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- 898 (iii) AWWA C208;
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- 900 (iv) AWWA C220;
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- 902 (v) AWWA C228;
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- 904 (vi) AWWA C300;
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- 906 (vii) AWWA C301;
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- 908 (viii) AWWA C302;
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- 910 (ix) AWWA C303;

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912 (x) AWWA C304;
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914 (xi) AWWA C900;
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916 (xii) AWWA C901;
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918 (xiii) AWWA C903;
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920 (xiv) AWWA C904;
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922 (xv) AWWA C906;
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924 (xvi) AWWA C907;
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926 (xvii) AWWA C909;
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928 (xviii) AWWA C950;
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930 (xix) ASTM A53;
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932 (xx) ASTM A134;
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934 (xxi) ASTM A135;
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936 (xxii) ASTM A139;
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938 (xxiii) ASTM D2846;
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940 (xxiv) ASTM F480;
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942 (xxv) ASTM F645;
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944 (xxvi) ASTM F877;
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946 (xxvii) ASTM F23891;
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948 (xxviii) ASTM F2806;
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950 (xxix) ASTM F2855;
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952 (xxx) ASTM F2969;
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954 (xxx) API 5L:
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956 (A) Grade B;

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- 958 (B) Grade X42;
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- 960 (C) Grade X46;
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- 962 (D) Grade X52;
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- 964 (E) Grade X56;
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- 966 (F) Grade X60;
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- 968 (G) Grade X65;
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- 970 (H) Grade X70; or
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- 972 (I) Grade X80.
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974 (d) Designs shall not include any customer service connection from the raw water
975 transmission line to the treatment plant unless there are provisions to treat the water to meet the
976 requirements of this Chapter, or the sole purpose of the service is for irrigation or agricultural
977 water use. For irrigation agricultural services, applicants shall conduct a hazard classification and
978 implement appropriate backflow prevention.

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980 (e) Designs that include groundwater source development shall comply with the
981 following requirements:

982
983 (i) Proposed designs shall have a water sample tap installed on groundwater
984 sources prior to treatment or water storage and comply with the following requirements ~~include a~~
985 ~~minimum of:~~

986
987 (A) Two wells that are each capable of supplying the average daily
988 demand with the largest producing well out of service;

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990 (B) One well and finished water storage that together equal twice the
991 maximum daily demand; or

992
993 (C) For public water supplies that, as determined by the Administrator,
994 ~~are not~~ neither community water systems ~~or nor~~ nontransient noncommunity water systems, as
995 determined by the Administrator, one well that is capable of supplying the maximum daily
996 demand.

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998 (ii) Wells shall maintain the following minimum isolation distances:
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1000 (A) If domestic wastewater is the only wastewater present and the
1001 design domestic sewage flow is less than 2,000 gpd, the following minimum isolation distance
1002 shall be maintained:

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Table 1. Isolation Distances for Domestic Sewage Flows Less than 2,000 gpd

<u>Source of Domestic Wastewater</u>	<u>Minimum Distance to Well</u>
Storm and Sanitary Sewer Collection Systems	50 feet
Septic tank	100 feet
Absorption system	200 feet

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(B) If domestic wastewater is the only wastewater present and the design domestic sewage flow is greater than 2,000 gpd but less than 10,000 gpd, the following minimum isolation distances shall be maintained:

Table 2. Isolation Distances for Domestic Sewage Flows Greater than 2,000 gpd

<u>Source of Domestic Wastewater</u>	<u>Minimum Distance to Well</u>
Storm and Sanitary Sewer Collection Systems	50 feet
Septic tank	100 feet
Absorption system	500 feet

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(C) If domestic wastewater is the only wastewater present and the design domestic sewage flow is greater than 10,000 gallons per day or non-domestic wastewater is present the required isolation distance shall be determined by a subsurface study, in accordance with the requirements of Water Quality Rules Chapter 3, Section 4, but shall not be less than those required in Tables 1 and 2 of this Section.

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(iii) Wells shall maintain the following minimum isolation distances from buildings and property lines:

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(A) When a well is outside of a building, the well shall be located so that the surface casing has a clearance radius of a minimum of 10 feet horizontally and will clear any projection from the building;

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(B) When a well is located inside a building:

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(I) The top of the casing and any other well opening shall not terminate in the basement of the building, or in any pit or space that is below natural ground surface unless the well is completed with a properly protected submersible pump or provided with provisions for drainage to the ground surface that is not subject to flooding by surface water;

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(II) Wells located in a structure shall be accessible to pull the casing, pipe, or pump; and

- 1037 (III) The structure shall have overhead access.
1038
- 1039 (C) Wells shall be located at least 50 feet from any property line.
1040
- 1041 (iv) Applicants for wells shall complete testing and maintain records as
1042 follows:
1043
- 1044 (A) Yield and drawdown tests shall be performed on every production
1045 well after construction or subsequent treatment and prior to placement of the permanent pump.
1046 The test methods shall be clearly indicated in the specifications. The test pump capacity, at
1047 maximum anticipated drawdown, shall be at least 1.5 times the design rate anticipated. The well
1048 shall be test pumped at the desired yield (design capacity) of the well for at least 24 consecutive
1049 hours after stabilized drawdown. Alternatively, the well may be pumped at a rate of 150 percent
1050 of the desired yield for at least six continuous hours after stabilized drawdown.
1051
- 1052 (B) Every well shall be tested for plumbness and alignment in
1053 accordance with AWWA A100.
1054
- 1055 (v) In addition to meeting the requirements of Section 8 of this Chapter, plans
1056 for wells developed through acidizing activities shall also include the following elements:
1057
- 1058 (A) Information on the geology of the area that contains descriptions
1059 of:
1060
- 1061 (I) Known or potential faults, fractures, springs, karst features
1062 (such as sinkholes and other similar features) within a one-mile radius of the proposed well; and
1063
- 1064 (II) Faults and fractures that may extend from the acidized zone
1065 into overlying and underlying geologic formations and a description of any measures that will be
1066 taken to ensure that the acidized solution does not migrate into any of those geologic formations.
1067
- 1068 (B) For wells developed within a radius of one mile of existing wells,
1069 applicants shall submit plans that analyze the risk and mitigation measures to be taken to prevent
1070 impacts to those wells and the risk and mitigation measures for any potential effects to each
1071 existing well;
1072
- 1073 (C) Existing information on the location of other wells (such as water
1074 supply, oil and gas, mineral development wells) within a one-mile radius of the proposed well,
1075 including any wells that intercept the acidized zone, and for wells that intercept the acidized
1076 zone:
1077
- 1078 (I) An analysis of whether or not those wells that intercept the
1079 acidized zone have been properly plugged and abandoned;
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- 1081 (II) An analysis of whether or not those wells have been
1082 properly cased and cemented; and

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1084 (III) A description of what measures will be or have been taken
1085 to prevent the acidized solution from migrating vertically in the annular space or casing of the
1086 existing wells into overlying or underlying geologic formations.

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1088 (D) A description of the borehole drilling phase and what measures
1089 will be taken to minimize the introduction of lost circulation materials into aquifers when
1090 encountering under-pressured geologic formations or other factors that may lead to a loss of
1091 circulation;

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1093 (E) A description of the acid injection process and the measures that
1094 will be taken to ensure that injection pressures do not create fractures in the overlying and
1095 underlying geologic formations and through which the acidized solution may migrate;

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1097 (F) A description of the volume and content of the acid and any other
1098 chemical compounds to be used during acidizing activities, including the management of the acid
1099 and chemical compounds prior to acidizing and final disposition of any acid, water, or chemical
1100 mixtures recovered from the well after acidizing activities are completed;

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1102 (G) A description of the measures that will be or have been taken to
1103 ensure that the recovery of the acidized solution is of sufficient duration and volume to eliminate
1104 the potential for acidic impacts to other wells completed within the injection zone; and

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1106 (H) A description of the methods to be performed to establish the
1107 placement and integrity of the annular seal and casing prior to acidization of the well.

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1109 (vi) During any well construction or modification, the well and surrounding
1110 area shall be adequately protected to prevent any groundwater contamination. Surface water shall
1111 be diverted away from the construction area.

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1113 (vii) All wells shall comply with the following construction standards:

1114
1115 (A) Dug wells shall be constructed according to the State Engineer's
1116 standards;

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1118 (B) Drilled, driven, jetted, or bored wells shall have an unperforated
1119 casing that extends from a minimum of 12 inches above the concrete surface and 18 inches
1120 above natural ground surface and the design shall demonstrate compliance with Water Quality
1121 Rules, Chapter 26, Section 8;

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1123 (C) In gravel-packed wells or artificial filter-packed wells, aquifers
1124 containing inferior quality water shall be sealed by pressure grouting, or with special packers or
1125 seals, to prevent such water from moving vertically in gravel-packed portions of the well.
1126 Gravel-packed wells shall meet the following sealing requirements:

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1128 (I) If a permanent surface casing is not installed, the annular
1129 opening between the casing and the drill hole shall be sealed in the top 10 feet with concrete or
1130 cement grout; or

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1132 (II) If a permanent surface casing is installed, it shall extend to
1133 a depth of at least 10 feet. The annular opening between this outer casing and the inner casing
1134 shall be covered with a metal or cement seal.
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1136 (D) When naturally flowing water is encountered in a well,
1137 unperforated casing shall extend into the confining layer overlying the water-bearing zone. This
1138 casing shall be adequately sealed with cement grout into the confining zone and shall extend at
1139 least 10 feet into the target aquifer to prevent both surface and subsurface leakage from the
1140 water-bearing zone. The method of construction shall be such that during the placing of the grout
1141 and the time required for it to set, no water shall flow through or around the annular space
1142 outside the casing, and no water pressure sufficient to disturb the grout prior to final set shall
1143 occur. Drilling operations shall not be continued into the water-bearing zone until the grout has
1144 set completely. If leakage occurs around the well casing or adjacent to the well, the well shall be
1145 recompleted with any seals, packers, or casing necessary to eliminate the leakage completely.
1146

1147 (I) Flowing wells shall be constructed to control the flow of
1148 water from the well. The well grouting shall be engineered to prevent the movement of water
1149 along the well casing and to prevent the migration of pressurized water into upper aquifers. A
1150 flow control device shall be installed into the wellhead to control the flow of water from the well.
1151 The well discharge or overflow line installations must connect to the well casing at least 12
1152 inches above ground and be valved. The size of the air gap between the overflow line from the
1153 well to drainage structure shall be twice the diameter of the well overflow pipe. Overflow water
1154 must be drained and diverted to prevent ponding around the well casing.
1155

1156 (II) There shall be no direct connection between any discharge
1157 pipe and a sewer or other source of pollution and all terminations shall provide for an air gap of 3
1158 pipe diameters for drain or overflow above an opening to a sanitary or storm sewer.
1159

1160 (E) If mineralized water or water known to be polluted is encountered
1161 during the construction of a well, the aquifer or aquifers containing such inferior quality of water
1162 shall be adequately cased or sealed off to prevent water from entering the well and to prevent
1163 water from moving up or down the annular space.
1164

1165 (I) For wells that penetrate multiple aquifers, mineralized
1166 water shall be excluded from the well if water is taken from other, non-mineralized aquifers.
1167

1168 (II) Applicants that propose to use mineralized water as a
1169 public water supply shall demonstrate that any necessary treatment will comply with the drinking
1170 water quality standards required by 40 CFR Part 141.
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1172 (F) Existing oil or gas wells, private water wells, or exploration test
1173 holes that can be completed to conform to all minimum construction standards required by this

1174 Chapter may be converted for use as a public water supply well. The permit application shall
1175 identify all actions to be completed to achieve compliance with this Chapter.

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1177 (viii) The minimum grout thickness for public water supply wells shall be
1178 determined in accordance with AWWA Standard A100, part 4.7.8.3.

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1180 (ix) Well seals shall meet the following requirements:

1181
1182 (A) The annular space shall be sealed to protect against contamination
1183 or pollution by the entrance of surface or shallow subsurface waters; and

1184
1185 (B) Annular seals shall be installed to provide protection for the casing
1186 against corrosion, to ensure the structural integrity of the casing, and to stabilize the upper
1187 formation.

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1189 (x) Upper terminal well designs that include a concrete floor shall
1190 demonstrate a slope of one inch per foot away from the casing.

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1192 (xi) Well pumps shall be located at a point above the top of the well screen.

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1194 (xii) An accessible check valve that is not located in the pump column shall be
1195 installed in the discharge line of each well between the pump and the shut-off valve. Additional
1196 check valves shall be located in the pump column as necessary to prevent negative pressures on
1197 the discharge piping.

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1199 (xiii) A pitless adaptor or well house shall be used where needed to protect the
1200 water system from freezing.

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1202 (xiv) A frost pit may be used only in conjunction with a properly protected
1203 pitless adaptor.

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1205 (xv) Wells with diameters that are greater than four inches shall be equipped
1206 with an air line for water level measurements or, in the case of a flowing artesian well, with a
1207 pressure gauge that will indicate pressure.

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1209 (xvi) An instantaneous and totalizing flow meter equipped with nonvolatile
1210 memory shall be installed on the discharge line of each well in accordance with the
1211 manufacturer's specifications. Meters installed on systems with variable frequency drives shall
1212 be capable of accurately reading the full range of flow rates.

1213
1214 (xvii) Test wells and groundwater sources that are sealed for plugging and
1215 abandonment in accordance with requirements of Water Quality Rules Chapter 26, Section 11
1216 shall be sealed by filling with neat cement grout. The filling materials shall be applied to the well
1217 hole through a pipe, or tremie.

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- 1219 (xviii) Designs for groundwater sources that are subject to 40 CFR
1220 141.402(a)(1)(i) and either 40 CFR 141.402(a)(1)(ii) or 40 CFR 141.402(a)(1)(iii) shall
1221 demonstrate compliance with 40 CFR 141.402(e).
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- 1223 (f) Facilities that include spring development shall meet the following requirements:
1224
- 1225 (i) Spring collection systems shall be constructed to collect spring water
1226 while preventing contamination of the source from the ground surface or other contaminant
1227 sources.
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- 1229 (ii) Seepage springs shall have a trench for the collection site that extends at
1230 least six inches into the impervious layer, but not entirely through the impervious layer.
1231 Concentrated springs shall be developed down to bedrock.
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- 1233 (iii) A bed of clean and disinfected rock that extends the width of the spring
1234 from which water is being collected shall be installed at the collection site.
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- 1236 (iv) The collection site shall:
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- 1238 (A) Be covered with 60 mil plastic sheeting or an equivalent puncture-
1239 proof and water-proof barrier; and
1240
- 1241 (B) Be protected from damage during back-fill and re-grading of the
1242 site to the original surface elevation with protective fabric or sand.
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- 1244 (v) Collecting walls shall be:
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- 1246 (A) Constructed immediately downstream of the collection site; and
1247
- 1248 (B) Made of concrete, or other material that meets the requirements of
1249 Section 15(b)(ii) of this Chapter;
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- 1251 (vi) The spring water collection pipe shall be installed in accordance with the
1252 USDA NRCS Part 631 National Engineering Handbook, Chapter 32, part 631.3201(b)(iii) for
1253 delivery pipes and shall meet the following requirements:
1254
- 1255 (A) The size of the collection pipe shall be sufficient to convey the
1256 flow of the spring; and
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- 1258 (B) Pipe material and appurtenances shall comply with allowable well
1259 construction material for water distribution in accordance with the standards listed in paragraph
1260 (c) of this Section.
1261
- 1262 (vii) Appropriate bedding and cover material shall protect the spring collection
1263 system from damage and freezing.
1264

1265 (viii) The Administrator shall determine the spring protection area, based on the
1266 information submitted in the engineering design report required by Section 8 of this Chapter,
1267 which shall be no less than the isolation distances in (e)(ii) of this Section. The Administrator
1268 may require additional setback distances if the engineering design report demonstrates the
1269 additional distance is required to prevent contamination of the source from the ground surface or
1270 other contaminant sources.

1271
1272 (ix) All potential sources of contamination shall be removed from the spring
1273 protection area.

1274
1275 (x) The spring collection site shall include fencing or other protective features
1276 that are constructed and secured to exclude large animals and unauthorized persons from
1277 entering the protection area.

1278
1279 (A) Fencing shall be designed to withstand animals and snow loading.
1280 Other protective systems may be proposed.

1281
1282 (B) Fencing shall include an entry point to allow access by authorized
1283 persons for inspection and maintenance activities.

1284
1285 (xi) The spring collection site shall include a diversion ditch that is constructed
1286 on the upstream side of the spring collection site to route surface water flows away from the
1287 collection area. The diversion ditch shall be located a minimum of 10 feet away from the
1288 collection wall.

1289
1290 (xii) The spring collection site shall be equipped to disinfect water prior to
1291 distribution and shall include sampling ports before and after the disinfection application point.
1292 The equipment shall be maintained and available to operate for its intended use.

1293
1294 (xiii) Spring box designs shall comply Section 15(a), (b), (f-j), and (l) of this
1295 Chapter. Combined spring box and finished water storage designs shall comply with Section 15
1296 of this Chapter.

1297
1298 (xiv) All designs for the spring collector box and collecting walls shall be
1299 performed by a Wyoming registered professional engineer. The plans or contractor furnished
1300 information shall be signed and sealed by a Wyoming registered professional engineer.

1301
1302 **Section 12. Treatment.**

1303
1304 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 4.2.1, 4.2.1(b)-(c), clarification, presedimentation; 4.2.2-4.2.2(c),
1305 clarification, coagulation; 4.2.4, 4.2.4(b)-4.2.4(d)(3), coagulation, sedimentation; 4.3.1.1,
1306 filtration, rapid rate gravity filters, pretreatment; 4.3.1.4-4.3.1.4(o), filtration, rapid rate gravity
1307 filters, structural details and hydraulics; 4.3.1.6-4.3.1.6(d)(2)(d), filtration, rapid rate gravity
1308 filters, filter material; 4.3.1.6(d)(4), filtration, rapid rate gravity filters, filter material, granular
1309 activated carbon (GAC); 4.3.1.6(e)-4.3.1.6(e)(1)(b), filtration, rapid rate gravity filters, filter
1310 material, support media; 4.3.3.6-4.3.3.6(b), filtration, diatomaceous earth filtration, pre-coat;

1311 4.3.3.7-4.3.3.7(c), filtration, diatomaceous earth filtration, body feed; 4.3.3.8-4.3.3.8(e),
1312 filtration, diatomaceous earth filtration, filtration; 4.3.3.10- 4.3.3.10(a)(4), filtration,
1313 diatomaceous earth filtration, appurtenances; 4.3.4.2, filtration, slow sand filters, number;
1314 4.3.4.4, filtration, slow sand filters, rates of filtration; 4.3.4.5, filtration, slow sand filters,
1315 underdrains; 4.3.4.6-4.3.4.6(e), filtration, slow sand filters, filter material; 4.3.4.7, filtration, slow
1316 sand filters, filter gravel; 4.3.4.8, filtration, slow sand filters, depth of water on filter beds;
1317 4.3.4.9, 4.3.4.9(b), (e) and (f), filtration, slow sand filters, control appurtenances; 4.4.1- 4.4.1(b),
1318 disinfection, contact time, CT, and point(s) of application; 4.4.3- 4.4.3(d) and (f), disinfection,
1319 testing equipment; 4.4.4.3, disinfection, chlorine, automatic switch-over; 4.4.4.7, disinfection,
1320 chlorine, cross-connection protection; 4.4.4.8, disinfection, chlorine, pipe material; 4.4.5,
1321 disinfection, chloramines; 4.4.6.1, disinfection, ozone, design considerations; 4.4.6.2- 4.4.6.2(e),
1322 disinfection, ozone, feed gas preparation; 4.4.6.3- 4.4.6.3(d), disinfection, ozone, ozone
1323 generator; 4.4.6.4-4.4.6.4(b), disinfection, ozone, ozone contactors; 4.4.6.5-4.4.6.5(g),
1324 disinfection, ozone, ozone destruction unit; 4.4.6.6, disinfection, ozone, piping materials; 4.4.6.7-
1325 4.4.6.7(c), disinfection, ozone, joints and connections; 4.4.6.8-4.4.6.8(h), disinfection, ozone,
1326 instrumentation; 4.4.6.9-4.4.6.9(h), disinfection, ozone, alarms; 4.4.6.11-4.4.6.11(c),
1327 disinfection, ozone, construction considerations; 4.5.1, softening, lime or lime-soda process;
1328 4.5.1.1, softening, lime or lime-soda process, hydraulics; 4.5.1.3, softening, lime or lime-soda
1329 process, chemical feed point; 4.5.1.4, softening, lime or lime-soda process, rapid mix; 4.5.1.5,
1330 softening, lime or lime-soda process, stabilization; 4.5.1.6-4.5.1.6(b), softening, lime or lime-
1331 soda process, sludge collection; 4.5.1.7, softening, lime or lime-soda process, sludge disposal;
1332 4.5.1.8, softening, lime or lime-soda process, disinfection; 4.5.1.9, softening, lime or lime-soda
1333 process, plant start-up; 4.5.2.1, softening, cation exchange process, pre-treatment requirements;
1334 4.5.2.2, softening, cation exchange process, design; 4.5.2.3, softening, cation exchange process,
1335 design; 4.5.2.4, softening, cation exchange process, depth of resin; 4.5.2.5, softening, cation
1336 exchange process, flow rates; 4.5.2.7, softening, cation exchange process, underdrains and
1337 supporting gravel; 4.5.2.8, softening, cation exchange process, brine distribution; 4.5.2.9,
1338 softening, cation exchange process, cross-connection control; 4.5.2.10, softening, cation
1339 exchange process, bypass piping and equipment; 4.5.2.11, softening, cation exchange process,
1340 additional limitations; 4.5.2.12, softening, cation exchange process, sampling taps; 4.5.2.13-
1341 4.5.2.13(f), softening, cation exchange process, brine and salt storage tanks; 4.5.2.14, softening,
1342 cation exchange process, salt and brine storage capacity; 4.5.2.15, softening, cation exchange
1343 process, brine pump or eductor; 4.5.2.18, softening, cation exchange process, construction
1344 materials; 4.5.2.19, softening, cation exchange process, housing; 4.5.3, softening, water quality
1345 test equipment; 4.6-4.6.14, anion exchange treatment; 4.7-4.7.11, aeration; 4.8, iron and
1346 manganese control; 4.8.1-4.8.1.3, iron and manganese control, removal by oxidation, detention
1347 and filtration; 4.8.2, iron and manganese control, removal by the lime-soda softening process;
1348 4.8.3-4.8.3(f), iron and manganese control, removal by manganese coated media filtration; 4.8.4,
1349 iron and manganese control, removal by ion exchange; 4.8.6-4.8.6(d), iron and manganese
1350 control, sequestration by polyphosphates; 4.8.7-4.8.7(e), iron and manganese control,
1351 sequestration by sodium silicates; 4.8.8, iron and manganese control, sampling taps; 4.9.3-
1352 4.9.3(e), stabilization and corrosion control, carbon dioxide addition; 4.9.5, 4.9.5(c)-4.9.5(c)(9),
1353 stabilization and corrosion control, phosphates, design; 4.9.6-4.9.6.1(c)(4), stabilization and
1354 corrosion control, pH/alkalinity adjustment; 4.10, taste and odor control; 4.10.1, taste and odor
1355 control, flexibility; 4.10.2, taste and odor control, chlorination; 4.10.3, taste and odor control,
1356 chlorine dioxide; 4.10.4-4.10.4(f), taste and odor control, powdered activated carbon; 4.10.8,

1357 taste and odor control, potassium permanganate; 4.11, membrane technologies for public water
1358 supplies; 4.11.1-4.11.1(c), membrane technologies for public water supplies, pilot
1359 study/preliminary investigations; 4.11.2-4.11.2(l)(4), membrane technologies for public water
1360 supplies, general design considerations; 4.11.3-4.11.3(h), membrane technologies for public
1361 water supplies, systems treating surface water or GWUDI; 5.4.7-5.4.7(f), specific chemicals,
1362 fluoride; 5.4.8, specific chemicals, activated carbon; 9.3-9.3(a)(2), precipitative softening sludge,
1363 lagoons; 9.4.1-9.4.1(h), alum sludge, lagoons; 9.5-9.5.1(k), red water waste, sand filters; 9.5.2-
1364 9.5.2(g), red water waste, lagoons; 9.5.3, red water waste, discharge to community sanitary
1365 sewer; are herein incorporated by reference.

1366
1367 (b) The capacity of the water treatment or water production system shall be designed
1368 for the maximum daily demand at the design year.

1369
1370 (c) Presedimentation shall be required for raw waters that have episodes of turbidity
1371 in excess of 1,000 Nephelometric turbidity units (NTU) for a period of one week or longer.

1372
1373 (d) Basins shall meet the following requirements:

1374
1375 (i) Basins without mechanical sludge collection equipment shall have a
1376 minimum detention time of three days;

1377
1378 (ii) Basins with mechanical sludge collection equipment shall have a
1379 minimum detention time of three hours;

1380
1381 (iii) Basins shall have a bottom slope to drain of ¼ inch per foot without
1382 mechanical sludge collection equipment and two inches per foot with mechanical sludge
1383 collection equipment; and

1384
1385 (iv) Basins shall have a minimum of one, eight-inch drain line to completely
1386 dewater the facility.

1387
1388 (e) Rapid dispersal of chemicals throughout the water shall be accomplished by
1389 mechanical mixers, jet mixers, static mixers, or hydraulic jump and shall meet the following
1390 requirements:

1391
1392 (i) For mechanical mixers, the minimum Gt (velocity gradient (sec-1) x t
1393 (sec)) provided at maximum daily flow shall be 27,000;

1394
1395 (ii) The detention time in a flash mixing chamber shall not exceed 30 seconds
1396 at maximum daily flow conditions; and

1397
1398 (iii) The basin shall have a drain.

1399
1400 (f) Flocculation shall comply with the following requirements:

1401

- 1402 (i) Mechanical flocculators shall be used for low-velocity agitation of
1403 chemically treated water.
1404
- 1405 (ii) The minimum detention time of 10 minutes shall be provided.
1406
- 1407 (iii) Basins shall have a minimum of one drain line to dewater the facility.
1408
- 1409 (iv) The velocity gradient (G value) shall be adjustable through the use of
1410 variable speed drives. The velocity gradient for single basin systems shall be 30 sec⁻¹, 20 sec⁻¹
1411 in the final basin of a two-stage system, and 10 sec⁻¹ in the final basin of a three-stage system.
1412
- 1413 (v) The tip speed for a single-speed drive system shall not exceed 3 feet per
1414 second (ft/sec). Variable speed drives shall provide tip speeds between 0.5 and 3.0 ft/sec.
1415
- 1416 (vi) The velocity of flocculated water through pipes or conduits to settling
1417 basins shall not be less than 0.5 ft/sec or greater than 1.5 ft/sec.
1418
- 1419 (g) Sedimentation basins shall comply with the following requirements:
1420
- 1421 (i) The maximum diameter in circular basins shall be 80 feet.
1422
- 1423 (ii) The minimum basin side water depth shall be eight feet if mechanical
1424 sludge collection equipment is provided or basin sludge hopper segments are less than 100
1425 square feet in surface area and 15 feet if basins are manually cleaned.
1426
- 1427 (iii) The outer walls of the settling basin shall extend at least 12 inches above
1428 the surrounding ground and provide at least 12 inches of freeboard to the water surface. Where
1429 the basin walls are less than four feet above the surrounding ground, a fence or other debris
1430 barrier shall be provided on the wall.
1431
- 1432 (iv) Basin bottoms shall slope toward the drain at not less than one inch per
1433 foot where mechanical sludge collection equipment is provided and ¼ inch per foot where no
1434 mechanical sludge collection equipment is provided.
1435
- 1436 (v) The basin overflow rate shall not exceed 1,000 gpd/ft² at design
1437 conditions.
1438
- 1439 (vi) Mechanical sludge collection shall be provided if settleable organics are
1440 present in the water or the source water exceeds secondary maximum contaminant levels
1441 identified at 40 CFR 143.3.
1442
- 1443 (vii) Pipes for removing sludge shall not be less than six inches in diameter and
1444 arranged to facilitate cleaning. Valves on sludge lines shall be located outside the tank.
1445
- 1446 (h) Facilities with softening sedimentation or clarification for softened groundwater
1447 sources shall meet the following requirements:

- 1448
1449 (i) The basin overflow rate shall not exceed 21,000 gpd/ft² at the design flow;
1450 and
1451
1452 (ii) Mechanical sludge removal shall be provided and shall be designed to
1453 handle a load of 40 lbs/ft of collector scraper arm length.
1454
1455 (i) Solids contact units are acceptable for combined softening and clarification of
1456 well water where water quality characteristics are not variable and flow rates are uniform and
1457 consistent. Solids contact units shall meet the requirements of paragraphs (c) and (e) of this
1458 Section and may be considered under the following circumstances:
1459
1460 (i) Solids contact units may be considered for use as clarifiers without
1461 softening when they are designed as conventional sedimentation units; and
1462
1463 (ii) Solids contact units may be used for other treatment processes such as
1464 rapid mixing or flocculation when the individual components of the units are designed for that
1465 specific treatment process.
1466
1467 (j) Tube clarifiers that are horizontal or steeply inclined may be used when designed
1468 as follows:
1469
1470 (i) The maximum flow rate shall be less than 2.0 gpm/ft² based on the surface
1471 area of the basin covered by the tubes;
1472
1473 (ii) The top of the tubes shall be more than 12 inches from the underside of
1474 the launder and more than 18 inches from the water surface and the spacing of the effluent
1475 launder shall not be more than three times the distance from the water surface to the top of the
1476 tube modules;
1477
1478 (iii) Sludge shall be removed using 45-degree or steeper hoppers bottoms,
1479 mechanical devices that move the sludge to hoppers, or devices that remove settled sludge from
1480 the basin floor using differential hydraulic level; and
1481
1482 (iv) A method of tube cleaning shall be provided that may include provisions
1483 for a rapid reduction in clarifier water surface elevation, a water jet spray system, or an air scour
1484 system. If cleaning is automatic, controls shall cease clarifier operation during tube cleaning and
1485 a 20-minute rest period.
1486
1487 (k) Filtration systems shall comply with the following requirements:
1488
1489 (i) Vertical or horizontal pressure filters shall not be used on surface waters.
1490 Pressure filters may be used for groundwater filtration, including iron and manganese removal;
1491
1492 (A) Slow rate sand filters may be used when maximum turbidity is less
1493 than 50 NTU and the turbidity present is not caused by colloidal clay; and

- 1494
1495 (B) Maximum color shall not exceed 30 units.
1496
1497 (ii) Washwater troughs shall comply with the following requirements:
1498
1499 (A) Washwater troughs shall not cover more than 25 percent of the
1500 filter area;
1501
1502 (B) The minimum distance between the bottom of the trough and the
1503 top of the unexpanded media shall be 12 inches;
1504
1505 (C) The minimum distance between the weir of the trough and the
1506 unexpanded media shall be 30 inches;
1507
1508 (D) There shall be no more than six feet clear distance between
1509 troughs;
1510
1511 (E) The trough and wastewater line shall be sized for a filter backwash
1512 rate of 20 gpm/ft² plus a surface wash rate of 2 gpm/ft²;
1513
1514 (F) The backwash system shall be sized to provide a minimum
1515 backwash flowrate of 20 gpm/ft² or a rate necessary to provide a 50 percent expansion of the
1516 filter bed;
1517
1518 (G) The system and wash water storage shall be designed to provide
1519 two, 20-minute washes in rapid succession and shall meet the following requirements:
1520
1521 (I) If only one filter is provided, the backwash system needs to
1522 provide only one 20-minute backwash; and
1523
1524 (II) If pumps are used to convey water to the filter(s) or to the
1525 wash water tank, two equivalent pumps shall be provided.
1526
1527 (H) Washwater shall be filtered and disinfected;
1528
1529 (I) The washwater rate shall be controlled on the main wash water line
1530 and the flowrates shall be metered and indicated;
1531
1532 (J) Air-assisted backwash systems may be used when the design
1533 precludes disturbing the gravel support and the ~~the~~ minimum flowrate for air-assisted backwash
1534 shall be 12 gpm/ft²;
1535
1536 (K) A surface wash system shall be provided and shall meet the
1537 following requirements:
1538

- 1539 (I) The system shall be capable of supplying 0.5 gpm/ft² for a
1540 system with rotating arms and 2 gpm/ft² for fixed nozzles, at a minimum pressure of 50 psi; and
1541
- 1542 (II) The surface wash can be air-assisted.
1543
- 1544 (L) Both backwash and surface wash supply systems shall be provided
1545 with adequate backflow prevention;
1546
- 1547 (iii) Single media beds shall use either clean crushed anthracite or a sand and
1548 anthracite mixture, the media shall have an effective size of 0.45 – 0.55 mm and a uniformity
1549 coefficient not greater than 1.65, and shall meet the following requirements:
1550
- 1551 (A) When gravel is used as supporting media, it shall consist of coarse
1552 aggregate in which most of it is round and of similar size and shape;
1553
- 1554 (B) Gravel as supporting media shall have sufficient strength and
1555 hardness to resist degradation during handling and use, be free of harmful materials and exceed
1556 the minimum density requirements; and
1557
- 1558 (C) The gravel shall also comply with AWWA B100 specifications.
1559
- 1560 (iv) Dual media coal sand filters shall consist of a coarse layer of coal not less
1561 than 15 inches deep above a layer of fine sand not less than eight inches deep on a torpedo sand
1562 or garnet layer of support not less than three inches on gravel support.
1563
- 1564 (v) Filter bottoms and strainer systems shall be limited to pipe, perforated pipe
1565 laterals, tile block, and perforated tile block. Perforated plate bottoms or plastic nozzles shall not
1566 be used.
1567
- 1568 (vi) Every filter shall have:
1569
- 1570 (A) Influent and effluent taps;
1571
- 1572 (B) A head loss gauge;
1573
- 1574 (C) An indicating effluent turbidimeter;
1575
- 1576 (D) A waste drain for draining the filter component to waste;
1577
- 1578 (E) A filter rate flow meter;
1579
- 1580 (F) Polymer feed facilities including polymer mixing, storage tank and
1581 at least one feed pump for each filter compartment; and
1582
- 1583 (G) Recorders on the turbidimeters ~~if the facility has a capacity in~~
1584 ~~excess of 0.5 MGD.~~

1585
1586 (vii) Filter rate control shall be such that the filter is not surged. The filter rate
1587 of flow shall not change more than 0.3gpm/ft² per minute. A filter that stops and restarts during a
1588 cycle shall have a filter-to-waste system installed. Declining flow rate filters shall not be used
1589 unless the flow rate for each filter is controlled to a rate less than allowed in paragraph (j)(iii) of
1590 this Section and there are four more individual filters.

1591
1592 (viii) A filter to waste cycle shall be provided after the filter backwash
1593 operation. The filter to waste cycle shall be at least 10 minutes.

1594
1595 (ix) Multi-media filter beds shall contain a depth of fine media made up of
1596 anthracite (specific gravity 1.5), silica sand (specific gravity 2.6), and garnet sand or ilmenite
1597 (specific gravity 4.2-4.5). The bed depths and distribution shall be determined by the water
1598 quality and shall meet the following requirements:

1599
1600 (A) There shall not be less than 10 inches of fine sand and 24 inches of
1601 anthracite;

1602
1603 (B) The relative size of the media shall be such that the hydraulic
1604 grading of the material during backwash will result in a pore space that progressively goes from
1605 coarse to fine in the direction of flow;

1606
1607 (C) The multi-media shall be supported on two layers of special high-
1608 density gravel placed above the conventional silica gravel supporting bed;

1609
1610 (D) The special gravel shall have a specific gravity not less than 4.2;

1611
1612 (E) The bottom layer shall consist of particles passing U.S. Standard 5
1613 mesh sieves and retained in U.S. Standard 12 mesh sieves and shall be 1 ½ inches thick; and

1614
1615 (F) The top layer shall consist of particles passing U.S. Standard 12
1616 mesh sieves and retained in U.S. Standard 20 mesh sieves and shall be 1 ½ inches thick.

1617
1618 (x) Diatomaceous earth filtration shall comply with the following
1619 requirements:

1620
1621 (A) Diatomaceous earth filters may be used under the following
1622 circumstances:

1623
1624 (I) To remove turbidity from surface waters where turbidities
1625 entering the filters do not exceed 10 NTU and where total raw water coliforms do not exceed 100
1626 organisms/100 mL;

1627
1628 (II) Where the raw water quality exceeds the previously
1629 mentioned limits when flocculation and sedimentation are used preceding the filters; and

1630

- 1631 (III) To remove iron from groundwaters.
1632
1633 (B) The proposed diatomaceous earth filtration shall include pressure
1634 or vacuum type units; and
1635
1636 (C) A precoating system shall be provided.
1637
1638 (D) The proposed diatomaceous earth filtration shall include a
1639 continuous monitoring turbidimeter with recorder on each filter effluent for plants treating
1640 surface water.
1641
1642 (l) All designs that propose supplies of surface water, groundwater under the direct
1643 influence of surface water, and groundwater that does not meet 40 CFR Part 141 or where other
1644 treatment is provided, shall include disinfection via one of the following methods:
1645
1646 (i) Chlorine;
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1648 (ii) Chloramines, recommended only for secondary disinfection;
1649
1650 (iii) Chlorine dioxide;
1651
1652 (iv) Ozone;
1653
1654 (v) Ultraviolet light; or
1655
1656 (vi) Other disinfecting agents that demonstrate reliable application equipment
1657 is available and that include testing procedures for a residual that is recognized in Standard
1658 Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater 2018.
1659
1660 (m) All designs that require disinfection shall demonstrate that:
1661
1662 (i) The system will maintain a detectable residual throughout the distribution
1663 system; and
1664
1665 (ii) The applicant has considered the formation of disinfection byproducts
1666 when selecting the disinfection.
1667
1668 (n) Disinfection equipment shall comply with the following requirements:
1669
1670 (i) Chlorination equipment shall comply with NSF/ANSI/CAN 61-
1671 2020/NSF/ANSI/CAN 600-2021 and the following requirements:
1672
1673 (A) Positive displacement pumps shall be provided for solution feed
1674 gas chlorinators or hypochlorite feeders;
1675

1676 (B) The chlorine solution injector/diffuser shall provide a rapid and
1677 thorough mix with all the water being treated;

1678
1679 (C) If the application point is to a pipeline discharging to a clearwell,
1680 the chlorine shall be added to the center of the pipe at least 10 pipe diameters upstream of the
1681 discharge into the clearwell;

1682
1683 (D) Gas chlorinators shall comply with the following requirements:

1684
1685 (I) The injector/eductator shall be selected based on solution
1686 pressure, injector water flowrate, feed point backpressure, and chlorine solution line length and
1687 size;

1688
1689 (II) The maximum feed point backpressure shall not exceed
1690 110 psi unless a chlorine solution pump is used; and

1691
1692 (III) Gauges shall be provided for chlorine solution pressure,
1693 feed water pressure, and chlorine gas pressure or vacuum.

1694
1695 (E) Standby equipment of sufficient capacity shall be available to
1696 replace the largest chlorinator unit. Well systems providing no treatment other than disinfection
1697 are exempt from the requirements of this paragraph (E) and are not required to provide standby
1698 chlorination equipment.

1699
1700 (ii) Points of application and contact time shall comply with the following
1701 requirements:

1702
1703 (A) Filtration types shall comply with the contact time and minimum
1704 chlorine residuals required in Table 3 of this Section after the appropriate baffling factor has
1705 been applied to the reactor. Contact times assume a baffling factor of 0.1 unless documentation
1706 justifying the use of a higher baffling factor is provided. Contact time requirements are based on
1707 worst-case operating conditions of water temperature of 32.9 degrees Fahrenheit and pH of 9.

1708
1709 Table 3. Required Contact Time and Residual by Filtration Type

Filtration Type	Required Contact Time (minutes), 0.4 mg/L minimum chlorine residual	Required Contact Time (minutes), 1.0 mg/L minimum chlorine residual
Conventional Filtration	162.5	73
Direct Filtration, Bag or Cartridge Filtration, Slow Sand Filtration, Diatomaceous Earth Filtration	325	146
Membrane Filtration (MF or UF)	30	12

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1712 (B) When chlorine is applied to a groundwater source to maintain a
1713 residual, ~~no contact time is required~~ a 4-log inactivation shall be achieved prior to the first
1714 customer.

1715
1716 (o) Systems that propose disinfection via ultraviolet light shall comply with the
1717 following requirements:

1718
1719 (i) Proposed designs for ultraviolet light shall include the following
1720 information in the ultraviolet reactor influent water quality analysis:

- 1721
1722 (A) Influent temperature (degrees Fahrenheit);
1723
1724 (B) UV transmittance (UVT) at a reported wavelength of 254 nm and a
1725 pathlength of 1 cm;
1726
1727 (C) A description of the UVT range over a 12-month period;
1728
1729 (D) Total hardness (mg/L as CaCO₃);
1730
1731 (E) pH;
1732
1733 (F) Alkalinity (mg/L as CaCO₃);
1734
1735 (G) Total iron (mg/L) influent < 0.3mg/L;
1736
1737 (H) Calcium (mg/L); and
1738
1739 (I) Total manganese (mg/L) influent <0.03 mg/L

1740
1741 (ii) Proposed designs for ultraviolet disinfection systems shall include the
1742 following information:

- 1743
1744 (A) The maximum, average, and minimum flowrates;
1745
1746 (B) A matrix that identifies paired flow and ultraviolet treatment
1747 values;
1748
1749 (C) A description of the organisms targeted for inactivation;
1750
1751 (D) Log inactivation requirements;
1752
1753 (E) Operating approach (UV intensity vs. calculated dose);
1754
1755 (F) Maximum and minimum operating pressures;
1756
1757 (G) Maximum pressure at the UV reactor;

- 1758
1759 (H) UV system redundancy;
1760
1761 (I) Lamp cleaning strategy;
1762
1763 (J) Mercury trap for broken UV lamps;
1764
1765 (K) Maximum headloss through the UV reactor;
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1767 (L) A demonstration that the UV reactor(s) shall be hydrostatically
1768 tested to 1.5 times the rated operating pressure;
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1770 (M) A demonstration that the UV reactor(s) shall be designed to ensure
1771 that plant personnel can change lamps and the UV intensity meter without draining the reactor;
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1774 (N) A demonstration that the units shall meet NSF/ANSI/CAN
1775 Standard 61.
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1777 (iii) Ultraviolet treatment systems shall be designed to comply with the
1778 Ultraviolet Disinfection Guidance Manual for the Final LT2ESWTR and the following dose
1779 requirements:
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1781 (A) The UV disinfection system shall deliver a validated dose that
1782 meets or exceeds the required dose at the end of lamp life, with fouled sleeves.
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1784 (B) The minimum required validated dose used for system design shall
1785 incorporate a Combined Age and Fouling Factor (CAF), calculated as:
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1787 $CAF = EOLL \times FF$.
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1789 EOLL is the ratio of the lamp output at the end of life relative to the new
1790 lamp output
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1792 FF is the fouling factor.
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1794 (C) The EOLL shall be 75 percent of the new lamp output.
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1796 (D) The FF shall be:
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1798 (I) 0.5 for UV systems with no sleeve wiping system;
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1800 (II) 0.75 for UV systems with mechanical wiping only; or
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1802 (III) 0.95 for UV systems with a combined online chemical and
1803 mechanical cleaning.

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1805 (E) The validated dose that meets or exceeds the required dose shall be
1806 delivered under maximum flow and design (UVT) condition, when the larger UV unit is out of
1807 service.

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1809 (iv) Ultraviolet disinfection shall comply with the following validation
1810 requirements:

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1812 (A) The applicant shall submit the manufacturer's bioassay validation
1813 report for the proposed UV reactor with the permit application;

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1815 (B) The bioassay testing and results shall demonstrate validation by an
1816 independent third party in full compliance with the Ultraviolet Disinfection Guidance Manual for
1817 the Final LT2ESWTR;

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1819 (C) The owner and engineer shall submit a certification to the
1820 Administrator if validation requirements are adjusted and identify each of the equipment and
1821 system modifications required to ensure that the appropriate dosage is provided for the
1822 inactivation requirements;

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1824 (D) Bioassay testing shall evaluate reactor performance over the range
1825 of:

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1827 (I) Flowrates (maximum, average, and minimum);

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1829 (II) UVT from 70 percent to 98 percent (measured at 254 nm, 1
1830 cm path length); and

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1832 (III) RED at maximum flowrate and design UVT conditions.

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1834 (E) The bioassay testing shall incorporate the range of design and
1835 operating conditions described in paragraph (o)(i) of this Section for UV Light;

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1837 (F) Extrapolations to flowrates, UV transmittance values, or UV doses
1838 outside the range actually tested, are not permitted; and

1839
1840 (G) Bioassay testing shall also verify that the head loss generated by
1841 the proposed reactor is less than or equal to the specified limits.

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1843 (v) Ultraviolet disinfection hydraulics shall comply with the following
1844 requirements:

1845
1846 (A) The inlet and outlet piping configuration to the UV reactor shall
1847 result in a UV dose delivery that is equal to or greater than the dose delivered when the UV
1848 reactor was validated;

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1850 (B) If the UV reactor validation is performed off-site, the applicant
1851 shall refer to the validation report to determine the validated inlet and outlet conditions that apply
1852 to the site-specific requirements; and

1853
1854 (C) Ultraviolet hydraulic piping shall comply with at least one of the
1855 following requirements:

1856
1857 (I) The piping configuration shall consist of a minimum of 10
1858 pipe diameters of straight pipe upstream and five pipe diameters of straight pipe downstream of
1859 the UV reactors, with additional pipe diameters above the minimum if required by the
1860 manufacturer's guidelines for electromagnetic or other flowmeter installation;

1861
1862 (II) The inlet and outlet piping configurations shall be identical
1863 to those constructed for the UV reactor validation; or

1864
1865 (III) If on-site validation or custom off-site validation is
1866 planned, the inlet and outlet piping hydraulics must be designed according to the manufacturer's
1867 recommendations and to accommodate any site-specific constraints.

1868
1869 (vi) Ultraviolet control and measurement instrumentation for each reactor shall
1870 comply with the following requirements:

1871
1872 (A) Each reactor shall be capable of measuring UV intensity and lamp
1873 status (on/off);

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1875 (B) For systems that use the calculated dose monitoring strategy, each
1876 reactor shall be capable of measuring or calculating the UV transmittance;

1877
1878 (C) Piping for each UV reactor shall be sized and configured in
1879 accordance with the validated operating conditions and maintain equal head loss through each
1880 reactor over the range of validated flowrates. Each UV reactor shall not be by-passed;

1881
1882 (D) Each UV reactor train shall have a dedicated flow meter to confirm
1883 the validated operating conditions;

1884
1885 (E) UV lamps in the UV reactor shall be submerged at all times during
1886 operation;

1887
1888 (F) The specific configuration of the UV reactor(s) within a facility
1889 will dictate the use of air release, air/vacuum, or combination air valves to prevent air pockets
1890 and negative pressure conditions and the design shall verify that the UV manufacturer was
1891 consulted to determine any equipment-specific air release and pressure control valve
1892 requirements;

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1894 (G) Each UV reactor shall have the piping configured so that it can be
1895 isolated and removed from service while the other UV reactor(s) remain in service; and

- 1896
1897 (H) A booster pump shall be used if the head loss constraints indicate
1898 that a pump is necessary. The UV reactor shall be sized accordingly.
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- 1900 (vii) The applicant shall describe the dose monitoring strategy and the
1901 operational approach for the UV reactor that complies with the approaches described in
1902 Ultraviolet Disinfection Guidance Manual for the Final LT2ESWTR, part 3.5.2.
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- 1904 (viii) The cleaning system for each UV reactor shall comply with the following
1905 requirements:
1906
- 1907 (A) Each UV reactor shall be equipped with an automatic online
1908 mechanical lamp sleeve cleaning system and may include optional chemical cleaning;
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- 1910 (B) The UV sensor shall include mechanical cleaning capabilities with
1911 an automatically initiated and controlled cleaning cycle; and
1912
- 1913 (C) The UV reactor(s) shall be fully operational and shall provide
1914 validated dose requirements during system cleaning.
1915
- 1916 (ix) The minimum spare parts kept at a facility shall include the following:
1917
- 1918 (A) 20 percent of the UV Lamps;
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- 1920 (B) Five percent of the lamp sleeves; and
1921
- 1922 (C) One UV intensity sensor.
1923
- 1924 (p) Facilities that propose disinfection via fluoridation and defluoridation shall
1925 comply with the following requirements:
1926
- 1927 (i) Fluoride storage designs shall demonstrate that:
1928
- 1929 (A) Fluoride storage tanks shall be covered;
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- 1931 (B) All other storage shall be inside a building; and
1932
- 1933 (C) Storage tanks of hydrofluorosilicic acid shall be vented to the
1934 atmosphere at a point outside the building.
1935
- 1936 (ii) Fluoride feed equipment shall meet the following requirements:
1937
- 1938 (A) There shall be scales or weight loss recorders for dry chemical
1939 feeds and the feeders shall be accurate to within five percent of any desired feed rate;
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- 1941 (B) The application of hydrofluorosilicic acid, if into a horizontal pipe,
1942 shall be in the lower half of the pipe;
1943
- 1944 (C) Fluoride compounds shall not be added before lime soda or ion
1945 exchange softening;
1946
- 1947 (D) A fluoride solution shall be applied by a positive displacement
1948 pump;
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- 1950 (E) The solution shall not be injected into a point of negative pressure;
1951
- 1952 (F) All fluoride feed lines and dilution water lines shall be isolated
1953 from the potable water supplies by either an air gap above the solution tank or a reduced pressure
1954 principal backflow preventer;
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- 1956 (G) Water used for sodium fluoride solution shall have a hardness not
1957 exceeding 45 mg/L; and
1958
- 1959 (H) Flow meters for treated water flow and fluoride solution water
1960 shall be provided.
1961
- 1962 (iii) Provisions shall be made to allow the transfer of dry fluoride compounds
1963 from shipping containers to storage bins or hoppers that minimize the quantity of fluoride dust
1964 that enters the room where the equipment is installed and shall meet the following requirements:
1965
- 1966 (A) The transfer system shall be equipped with an exhaust fan and dust
1967 filter that places the hopper or storage bin under negative pressure;
1968
- 1969 (B) Air exhausted from fluoride handling equipment shall discharge
1970 through a dust filter to the atmosphere outside the building and shall not discharge within 50 feet
1971 of a fresh air intake for the building; and
1972
- 1973 (C) A floor drain shall be provided for cleaning equipment and
1974 maintenance.
1975
- 1976 (iv) The following methods are acceptable for fluoride removal:
1977
- 1978 (A) Activated alumina may be used in open gravity filters or pressure
1979 filter tanks;
1980
- 1981 (B) The minimum media depth shall be five feet;
1982
- 1983 (C) The loading rate shall not exceed 4 gpm/ft²;
1984
- 1985 (D) The mesh size for the alumina media shall be between #28 and
1986 #48;

- 1987 (E) Media regeneration facilities shall be provided and shall include
1988 both weak caustic and weak acid systems; and
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1990 (F) Bone char filtration or lime softening with magnesium addition
1991 may be used.
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1993 (v) Water that is unstable due either to natural causes or to subsequent
1994 treatment shall be stabilized.
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1996 (vi) Facilities shall have the capability of feeding both acid and alkalinity.
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1998 (vii) Unstable water created by ion exchange softening shall be stabilized by an
1999 alkali feed.
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2001 (viii) Laboratory equipment shall be provided to determine the effectiveness of
2002 stabilization treatment. This shall include testing equipment for hardness, calcium, alkalinity, pH,
2003 and magnesium at a minimum.
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2005 (q) Taste and odor control equipment shall comply with the following requirements:
2006
2007 (i) Open or closed, granular activated carbon adsorption units may be used to
2008 absorb organics for taste and odor control, subject to the following requirements:
2009
2010 (A) The loading rate shall not exceed 10 gpm/ft²;
2011
2012 (B) The minimum empty bed contact time shall be 20 minutes;
2013
2014 (C) The pH of the water shall be less than 9.0 with a turbidity of less
2015 than 2 NTU when using packed beds;
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2017 (D) There shall be provisions for moving the carbon to and from the
2018 contactors;
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2020 (E) Contactors may be upflow or downflow design. A single unit is
2021 acceptable for countercurrent upflow designs. Downflow designs shall have two or more parallel
2022 units;
2023
2024 (F) Contactors shall be designed as open gravity or pressure bed;
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2026 (G) Pressure contactors shall have an air-vacuum relief valve fitted
2027 with a stainless-steel screen to prevent plugging;
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2029 (H) The contactor materials of construction shall be concrete, steel, or
2030 fiberglass-reinforced plastic and shall meet the following requirements:
2031
2032 (I) Steel vessels shall be protected against corrosion; and

- 2033
2034 (II) Inlet and outlet screens shall be made of stainless steel or
2035 other suitable materials.
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2037 (I) There shall be provisions for flow reversal and bed expansion that
2038 meet the following requirements:
2039
2040 (I) Backwashing facilities shall provide up to 50 percent bed
2041 expansion; and
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2043 (II) Backwashing facilities shall meet the backwash criteria as
2044 rapid filters.
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2046 (ii) If ozone is used for taste and odor control, there shall be at least 10
2047 minutes of contact time to complete all reactions and the minimum applied feed rate of ozone
2048 shall be 1 mg/L, or the design shall identify a contact time and feed rate that demonstrate the
2049 application of ozone will not cause an exceedance of the maximum contaminant levels identified
2050 at 40 CFR ~~143.3~~ [141.64](#).
2051
2052 (r) Designs that include the addition of phosphates for stabilization and corrosion
2053 control shall demonstrate the evaluation of reactions with aluminum and impacts on wastewater
2054 treatment plants to overcome the secondary impacts of phosphates ~~that may potentially limit~~
2055 ~~their use~~.
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2057 (s) Designs that propose anion-exchange treatment shall include a pH/alkalinity feed
2058 system unless otherwise approved by the Administrator.
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2060 (t) Microscreens shall comply with the following requirements:
2061
2062 (i) A microscreen shall be allowed as a supplement to treatment, but it shall
2063 not be used in place of filtration or coagulation;
2064
2065 (ii) The screen shall be capable of removing suspended matter from the water
2066 by straining;
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2068 (iii) Screens shall be made of corrosion-resistant material;
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2070 (iv) Bypass piping around the unit shall be provided;
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2072 (v) There shall be protection against back siphonage when potable water is
2073 used for washing the screen; and
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2075 (vi) Wash water shall be wasted and not recycled to the microscreen.

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(u) Membrane technologies shall comply with the following requirements:

(i) Proposed membrane treatment processes shall comply with the requirements of Section 6 of this Chapter. Protocols for pilot plant testing shall incorporate guidance or procedures from the US EPA Membrane Filtration Guidance Manual, Chapter 6.

(ii) All proposed membrane filters shall demonstrate third-party validation for the removal of Giardia or Cryptosporidium. Removal efficiency shall be determined through challenge testing as outlined in the US EPA Membrane Filtration Guidance Manual and one of the following:

(A) Membranes that are used as final compliance filters of a multiple treatment barrier approach shall meet the requirements of 40 CFR Part 141; or

(B) All surface water or groundwater under direct influence (GWUDI) systems using membrane technology shall demonstrate minimum disinfection that meets 4.0-log virus inactivation.

(v) Facilities that propose bag and cartridge filters shall comply with the procedures identified in Section 6 of this Chapter and the following requirements:

(i) Filter performance will be based on Cryptosporidium oocyst removal;

(ii) The filter shall demonstrate at least a 3-log removal of particle size 1 micron and above with an associated log reduction credit of 2-logs for Giardia and Cryptosporidium;

(iii) Removal efficiency shall be determined through challenge testing as outlined in Toolbox Guidance Manual, Chapter 8 and NSF/ANSI 419-2018;

(iv) The performance demonstration shall be specific to the corresponding housing and type or model of filter. Any other combination of housing and filter that could be used for treatment shall also demonstrate filter efficiency;

(v) Applicants shall include documentation that the proposed bag or cartridge filter has received third-party validation for the removal of Giardia and Cryptosporidium;

(vi) Filter and housing specifications shall include a description of the materials of construction, surface area per filter, and the minimum and maximum operating pressure, and the specifications shall meet the requirements of NSF/ANSI 419-2018 and the Toolbox Guidance Manual, Chapter 8;

(vii) System components such as housing, bags, cartridges, gaskets, and O-rings shall comply with NSF/ANSI/CAN 61 for leaching of contaminants;

- 2122 (viii) A means for monitoring the performance of the filter shall be provided and
2123 shall include at a minimum flow meters and valves, pressure gauges, and sample taps;
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- 2125 (ix) The proposed design shall specify chemical compatibility limitations;
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- 2127 (x) A minimum of two filter housings shall be provided;
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- 2129 (xi) Bag or cartridge filters that are used as final compliance filters of a
2130 multiple treatment barrier approach shall meet the requirements of 40 CFR Part 141; and
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- 2132 (xii) All surface water or GWUDI systems using bag or cartridge filter
2133 technology shall provide at minimum disinfection that meets 4.0-log virus inactivation and 1.0-
2134 log Giardia inactivation or shall demonstrate that combined filtration and disinfection will
2135 provide 3-log removal.
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- 2137 (w) Pre-engineered water treatment plants shall comply with the following
2138 requirements:
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- 2140 (i) Pre-engineered water treatment plants shall be permitted on a case-by-case
2141 basis for specific process applications and flow rates. Multiple units may be installed in parallel
2142 to accommodate flow rates;
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- 2144 (ii) Pre-engineered water treatment plant equipment shall be designed in
2145 accordance with NSF/ANSI/CAN 61 and NSF/ANSI/CAN 372;
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- 2147 (iv) Pre-engineered water treatment plants shall comply with the procedures in
2148 Section 6 of this Chapter to obtain data that demonstrates the treatment effectiveness of the
2149 treatment for the source water and the proposed application; and
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- 2151 (v) Each component and process of the pre-engineered water treatment plant
2152 shall demonstrate compliance with the applicable design criteria of the respective treatment
2153 processes of this Chapter.
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- 2155 (x) Wastes shall be handled and disposed of as follows:
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- 2157 (i) The sanitary and laboratory waste from water treatment plants, pumping
2158 stations, or well systems, shall not be recycled to any part of the water plant, and shall be
2159 discharged directly into a sanitary sewer when feasible or a permitted on-site disposal system;
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- 2161 (ii) Brine waste from ion exchange plants, demineralization plants, and other
2162 similar facilities may not be recycled to the water plant and shall meet the following
2163 requirements:
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- 2165 (A) Where discharging to a sanitary sewer, a holding tank shall be
2166 provided to prevent the overloading of the sewer and interference with the waste treatment
2167 process; and

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2169 (B) Where disposal to an off-site waste treatment system is proposed,
2170 the sewer and treatment facility shall have the required capacity and dilution capability.
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2172 (iii) Acceptable methods of treatment and disposal of lime softening sludge
2173 are:
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2175 (A) Sludge lagoons, provided that the design of sludge lagoons
2176 includes:
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2178 (I) The location of the lagoon shall be protected from the 100-
2179 year flood;
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2181 (II) A means of diverting surface water runoff so that it does
2182 not flow into the lagoon;
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2184 (III) The freeboard shall be a minimum of three feet;
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2186 (IV) An adjustable decanting device for recycling the overflow;
2187 and
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2189 (V) An accessible effluent sampling point.
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2191 (B) Land application of liquid lime softening sludge that demonstrates
2192 compliance with Water Quality Rules Chapter 11, Part E;
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2194 (C) Disposal at a landfill;
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2196 (D) Mechanical dewatering of sludge may be used;
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2198 (E) Recalcination of sludge may be used; and
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2200 (F) Lime sludge drying beds shall not be allowed.
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2202 (iv) Acceptable methods of treatment and disposal of alum sludge are as
2203 follows:
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2205 (A) Lagoons may be used as storage and interim disposal. Lagoons
2206 used for storage shall have a volume of at least 100,000 gallons for every 1,000,000 gpd of
2207 facility water treating capacity.
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2209 (B) Alum sludge may be discharged to the sanitary sewer only when
2210 the system is capable of handling the waste and with the approval of the owner of the sewer
2211 system.
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2213 (C) Mechanical dewatering may be used.

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2215 (D) Alum sludge drying beds may be used.
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2217 (E) Alum sludge may be acid-treated and recovered.
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2219 (F) Disposal at a landfill.
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2221 (v) Designs that propose disposal of waste filter wash water from iron and manganese
2222 removal plants that include sand filters shall demonstrate the inclusion of a separate structure,
2223 unless otherwise approved by the Administrator.
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2225 **Section 13. Chemical Application.**

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2227 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 5.0.2 and 5.0.2(f), general, chemical application; 5.0.3-5.0.3(h),
2228 general, general equipment design; 5.1.2-5.1.2(e)(4), feed equipment, control; 5.1.3-5.1.3(c),
2229 feed equipment, dry chemical feeders; 5.1.4-5.1.4(d), feed equipment, positive displacement
2230 solution feed pumps; 5.1.5-5.1.5(d), feed equipment, liquid chemical feeders-siphon control;
2231 5.1.6-5.1.6(d), feed equipment, cross-connection control; 5.1.8-5.1.8(e), feed equipment, in-plant
2232 water supply; 5.1.9(a)(1-3), (b), and (d)(1-2), feed equipment, storage of chemicals; 5.1.10-
2233 5.1.10(j), feed equipment, bulk liquid storage tanks; 5.1.11-5.1.11(h), feed equipment, day tanks;
2234 5.1.12-5.1.12(e), feed equipment, feed lines; 5.1.13-5.1.13(d); feed equipment, handling; 5.1.14-
2235 5.1.14(b), feed equipment, housing; 5.3.2, operator safety, respiratory protection equipment;
2236 5.3.3, operator safety, chlorine gas leak detection; 5.4.1(d)(1-5) and (7-10), (f), and (h)(1-5),
2237 specific chemicals, chlorine gas; 5.4.2-5.4.2(b), specific chemicals, acids and caustics; 5.4.3-
2238 5.4.3(c)(5), specific chemicals, sodium chlorite; 5.4.4-5.4.4(b)(5), specific chemicals, sodium
2239 hypochlorite; are herein incorporated by reference.

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2241 (b) Chemical application facility designs shall comply with the following
2242 requirements:

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2244 (i) A separate feeder shall be used for each chemical applied; and

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2246 (ii) Chemical storage tanks shall be constructed of materials that are resistant
2247 to the chemicals stored. Tanks shall maintain structural integrity while in use.
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2249 (c) Chemical application facilities shall include an alarm for high effluent turbidity,
2250 low chlorine residual, and chlorine leaks when chlorine gas is used. The alarm shall be located at
2251 an attended location.
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2253 **Section 14. Pumping Facilities**

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2255 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 6.1-6.1.1(e), location; 6.2, 6.2(b)-(e), pumping stations; 6.2.1-
2256 6.2.1(d), pumping stations, suction well; 6.2.2-6.2.2(b), pumping stations, equipment servicing;
2257 6.3.2, pumps, pump priming; 6.6.1, appurtenances, valves; 6.6.3-6.6.3(d), appurtenances, gauges
2258 and meters; 6.6.4-6.6.4(b), appurtenances, water seals; 6.6.5, appurtenances, controls; 6.6.6,
2259 appurtenances, standby power; are herein incorporated by reference.

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2261 (b) Stairways or ladders shall be provided between all floors and in pits or
2262 compartments that must be entered.
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- 2264 (c) Pumping facilities shall be heated to maintain a minimum temperature of 40
2265 degrees Fahrenheit if typically unoccupied and 50 degrees Fahrenheit if normally occupied.
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- 2267 (d) Pumping station ventilation designs shall demonstrate that:
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- 2269 (i) All areas of the pumping station that are accessible shall be ventilated;
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- 2271 (ii) Ventilation may be continuous or intermittent;
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- 2273 (iii) Drywell ventilation shall provide:
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- 2275 (A) At least six air changes per hour if continuous; and
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- 2277 (B) At least 30 air changes per hour if intermittent with an automatic
2278 start upon operator entry into the area.
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- 2280 (iv) Wetwell ventilation shall provide 12 continuous air changes per hour or 60
2281 intermittent air changes per hour and be designed to permit the use of portable blowers that will
2282 exhaust the space and supply fresh air during the access periods.
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- 2284 (e) Dehumidification equipment shall be provided in below-ground pumping stations.
2285 The equipment shall be sized to maintain a dewpoint at least two degrees Fahrenheit below the
2286 coldest anticipated temperature of the water to be conveyed in the pipes.
2287
- 2288 (f) All pumping stations that are manned four or more hours per day shall be
2289 provided with potable water, lavatory, and toilet facilities. The waste shall be discharged to the
2290 sanitary sewer or an on-site waste treatment system.
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- 2292 (g) Pump design shall comply with the following requirements:
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- 2294 (i) At least two pumps shall be provided. With the largest pump out of
2295 service, the remaining pump or pumps shall be capable of providing the maximum pumping
2296 capacity of the system.
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- 2298 (ii) Pumps shall be selected such that the net positive suction head required
2299 (NPSHR) is less than the net positive suction head available (NPSHA) minus four feet based on
2300 hydraulic conditions and the altitude of the pump installation. If this condition cannot be
2301 satisfied, a means of priming shall be provided.
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- 2303 (iii) A surge analysis shall be provided to demonstrate if surge protection
2304 devices will be needed to protect the piping. Pressure relief valves are not acceptable as surge
2305 control.

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2307 (iv) The calculated total dynamic head for pumping units shall be based on
2308 pipe friction, pressure losses from pipe entrances, exits, appurtenances (such as valves and
2309 bends), and static head at the design flow.

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2311 (v) The station shall have a flow rate indicator and totalizing meter, and a
2312 method of recording the total water pumped.

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2314 (h) Booster pumps shall comply with the following requirements:

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2316 (i) Booster pumps shall not produce less than 5 psi in suction lines. If the
2317 suction line has service connections, the pressure shall be at least 35 psi during normal operation
2318 and shall have a low-pressure cutoff switch to maintain at least 20 psi.

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2320 (ii) For booster pumps used for fire suppression, no person shall install or
2321 maintain a water service connection to any premises where a fire pump has been installed on the
2322 service line to or within such premises unless the pump is equipped with one of the following:

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2324 (A) A low suction throttling valve or pilot-operated valve installed in
2325 the discharge piping that maintains positive pressure in the suction piping while monitoring
2326 pressure in the suction piping through a sensing line. The valve shall throttle the discharge of the
2327 pump when necessary so that suction pressure will not be reduced below 20 psi gauge when the
2328 pump is operating; or

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2330 (B) A variable-speed suction limiting control that is used to maintain a
2331 minimum positive suction pressure at the pump inlet by reducing the pump driver speed while
2332 monitoring pressure in the suction piping through a sensing line. The limiting control shall be set
2333 so that the suction pressure will not be reduced below 20 psi gauge while the pump is operating.

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2335 (iii) Automatic or remote-controlled pumps shall have a range between the
2336 start and cutoff pressure that will prevent the pump from cycling more than one start every 15
2337 minutes.

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2339 (iv) In-line booster pumps shall be accessible for maintenance. There shall be
2340 access openings, as needed, to allow the removal of the pump.

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2342 (v) Individual home booster pumps shall not be allowed for any individual
2343 service from the public water supply main.

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2345 (vi) Un-manned or remotely controlled pump stations shall have an alarm at an
2346 operator attended location for any conditions that may affect the continuous delivery of water.

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2348 (i) Pumping facility valves shall comply with the following requirements:

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2350 (i) Air release valves shall be provided where the pipe crown is dropped in
2351 elevation. The discharge pipe from the valve shall have a minimum of an 8-inch air gap and shall
2352 be covered with a #24 mesh non-corrodible screen.

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2354 (ii) Each pump shall either have an individual suction line or the suction lines
2355 shall be manifolded such that they demonstrate similar hydraulic and operating conditions.

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2357 **Section 15. Finished Water Storage**

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2359 ((a) 2018 TSS, parts 7.0.1-7.0.1(c), general, sizing; 7.0.2-7.0.2(b), general, location of
2360 finished water storage structures; 7.0.3, general, protection from contamination; 7.0.4, general,
2361 security; 7.0.5, general, drains; 7.0.6, general, stored water age; 7.0.8-7.0.8.2(b), general, access;
2362 7.0.9-7.0.9(e), general, vents; 7.0.10-7.0.10(f), general, roof and sidewall; 7.0.17-7.0.17(c),
2363 general, painting and/or cathodic protection; 7.0.18-7.0.18(c), general, disinfection; 7.1.1,
2364 treatment plant storage, filter washwater tanks; 7.2-7.2.4, hydropneumatic tank systems; are
2365 herein incorporated by reference.

2366
2367 (b) Finished water storage structures shall comply with the following requirements:

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2369 (i) Water storage structures shall comply with the following standards for
2370 storage tanks, standpipes, ground storage reservoirs that are described in AWWA M42,
2371 clearwells, and elevated storage:

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2373 (A) AWWA D100;
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2375 (B) AWWA D102;
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2377 (C) AWWA D103;
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2379 (D) AWWA D104;
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2381 (E) AWWA D106;
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2383 (F) AWWA D107;
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2385 (G) AWWA D108;
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2387 (H) AWWA D110;
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2389 (I) AWWA D115;
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2391 (J) AWWA D120; and
2392
2393 (K) AWWA D121.
2394

2395 (ii) All tank and foundation design shall be performed by a Wyoming
2396 registered professional engineer. The plans or contractor-furnished information shall be signed
2397 and sealed by a Wyoming registered professional engineer.
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2399 (iii) All new or modified water storage tanks shall have the inlet and outlet
2400 connections separated from each other as much as is practical.
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2402 (c) Storage facility designs shall demonstrate:
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2404 (i) The average daily demand will require a daily fill of 20 percent of the total
2405 storage volume for surface water sources and 10 percent for groundwater sources.
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2407 (ii) For designs that demonstrate the storage tank has a small daily demand
2408 and a high fire water storage requirement, or the storage tank water age average is greater than
2409 two days, the design shall demonstrate that a volume equal to at least 20 percent of the tank
2410 volume will be delivered to the storage tank each time pumping is initiated.
2411

2412 (iii) For designs with well systems that provide a minimum of two wells that
2413 can supply either the maximum hourly demand or the fire demand, whichever is greater, storage
2414 is not required. These systems shall demonstrate that they will provide alternative power for the
2415 finished water pumps.
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2417 (d) Storage structure design shall eliminate short-circuiting.
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2419 (e) The minimum inlet velocity shall be 10 ft/sec unless demonstration of employed
2420 mixing system or lower inlet velocity addresses disinfection by-product formation, stratification,
2421 stagnation, freezing, and other water age issues.
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2423 (f) Overflow and drain lines shall:
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2425 (i) Be protected with a mechanical device such as:
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2427 (A) A sealed flapper valve or duckbill valve; or
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2429 (B) A #24 mesh non-corrodible screen.
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2431 (ii) For overflow lines that are protected with a mechanical device, include
2432 installation of a #4 mesh non-corrodible screen or finer to prevent the entrance of birds or
2433 rodents;
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2435 (iii) For overflow lines that are protected with #24 mesh non-corrodible screen,
2436 demonstrate prevention of screen clogging that would lead to structural storage tank damage;
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2438 (iv) Include installation of the screen within the overflow line at a location that
2439 is not susceptible to vandalism and that allows for the overflow line to be operational during an
2440 overflow event;

- 2441
2442 (v) Provide access to the screen with the smallest openings for replacement;
2443 and
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2445 (vi) Demonstrate that the screen with the smallest openings will be the
2446 outermost screen.
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2448 (g) Overflow designs shall demonstrate the provisions that will be included to prevent
2449 mechanical devices from freezing shut.
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2451 (h) Overflow lines shall not be considered as vents and overflow lines shall terminate
2452 between 12 and 24 inches above ground surface.
2453
2454 (i) Vents shall be designed to protect the tank from contaminants including but not
2455 limited to surface water, stormwater runoff, insects, rodents, and birds.
2456
2457 (i) All openings shall be protected with #24 mesh non-corrodible screen or a
2458 combination of #24 mesh and coarser mesh non-corrodible screen.
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2460 (ii) The design shall demonstrate consideration of site conditions, freezing,
2461 frosting, and provide justification including precautions for snow depth.
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2463 (A) The design shall demonstrate consideration of frost-free or frost-
2464 proof vents; and
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2466 (B) The design shall demonstrate consideration of pressure/vacuum,
2467 frost-proof release vents that will need to protect openings with #24 mesh non-corrodible screen.
2468
2469 (j) Down-turned vent openings shall be at least 24 inches above the nearest
2470 horizontal surface. Non-downturned vents or roof vents must extend a minimum of eight inches
2471 from the top of the tank to a #24 mesh screened opening, and the vent opening is to be covered
2472 by a protective shroud to the bottom of the screen.
2473
2474 (k) Elevated tanks shall be designed to remove snow via tank geometry to prevent
2475 snow build-up clogging vents.
2476
2477 (l) Vent designs shall include calculations that verify the required volume of flow is
2478 achievable through the proposed vent pipe and screen combination.
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2480 (m) Finished water plant water storage shall comply with the following requirements:
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2482 (i) Clearwell storage shall be sized, in conjunction with distribution system
2483 storage, to relieve the filter of having to follow fluctuations in water use. Where water is pumped
2484 from clearwell storage to the system, an overflow shall be provided.
2485

2486 (ii) If unfinished water is stored in compartments adjacent to finished water,
2487 the unfinished and finished water shall be separated by double walls.
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2489 (iii) Receiving basins and wetwells shall be designed as finished water storage
2490 structures and shall comply with the requirements of this Section.
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2492 **Section 16. Distribution Systems.**
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2494 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 8.2-8.2.4(b), system design; 8.3, valves; 8.4-8.4.4(d), hydrants;
2495 8.5-8.5.2(c), air relief valves; 8.6, valve, meter, and blow-off chambers; 8.7.3, installation of
2496 water mains, cover; 8.7.4, installation of water mains, blocking; 8.7.6, installation of water
2497 mains, pressure and leakage testing; 8.7.7, installation of water mains, disinfection; 8.7.8,
2498 installation of water mains, external corrosion; 8.7.9, installation of water mains, separation from
2499 other utilities; 8.8.2-8.8.2(b), separation distances from contamination sources, parallel
2500 installation; 8.8.3-8.8.3(b), separation distances from contamination sources, crossings; 8.8.6,
2501 separation distances from contamination sources, sewer manholes, inlets, and structures; 8.9-
2502 8.9.1, surface water crossings, above-water crossings; 8.9.2-8.9.2(c); surface water crossings,
2503 under water crossings; 8.11.1, water services and plumbing, plumbing; 8.12, service meters; are
2504 herein incorporated by reference.
2505

2506 (b) Distribution systems shall be constructed of commercial pipe that conforms to the
2507 following standards:
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2509 (i) PVC pipe:

2511 (A) Less than four inches diameter, ASTM D 2241; or

2513 (B) Four inches and larger diameter, AWWA C900.
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2515 (ii) Ductile iron, AWWA C151;

2517 (iii) Fiberglass pressure pipe, AWWA C950;

2519 (iv) Polyethylene pipe:

2521 (A) ¾ inch through three inches diameter, AWWA C901;

2523 (B) Four inches through 65 inches diameter, AWWA C906; or
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2525 (v) Other material submitted with the permit application and approved by the
2526 Administrator.
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2528 (c) Flanged piping shall not be allowed for buried pipe except for connection to
2529 valves.
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- 2531 (d) New water mains shall be sized after the hydraulic analysis required by Section
2532 9(l)(i) of this Chapter and the design shall demonstrate that:
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- 2534 (i) At maximum day demand plus current State of Wyoming-required fire
2535 flow, or the fire flow of an authority having jurisdiction, the pressure in the municipal
2536 distribution system will not fall below 20 pounds per square inch (psi); and
2537
- 2538 (ii) The normal system working pressure shall be greater than 35 psi.
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- 2540 (e) When fire protection is provided, the water main system shall be designed to also
2541 serve fire flows.
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- 2543 (f) Hydrants shall:
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- 2545 (i) Have hydrant leads that are a minimum of six inches in diameter;
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- 2547 (ii) Have valves installed;
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- 2549 (iii) Be protected from freezing at hydrant leads and barrels;
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- 2551 (iv) Where groundwater levels are above the gravel drain area, hydrants shall
2552 be pumped dry or otherwise dewatered and hydrant weep holes shall not be used; and
2553
- 2554 (v) Have drains that are not connected to or located within 10 feet of a
2555 sanitary sewer or storm drain.
2556
- 2557 (g) Fire hydrants or active service taps may be substituted for air relief in 6- and 8-
2558 inch lines.
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- 2560 (h) Where excavation is performed for distribution systems:
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- 2562 (i) The trench bottom shall be excavated for the bell of the pipe;
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- 2564 (ii) All rock shall be removed within six inches of the pipe; and
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- 2566 (iii) The trench shall be dewatered for all work.
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- 2568 (i) Distribution system bedding for rigid pipe shall be designed in accordance with
2569 ASTM C12 Classes A, B, or C. Flexible pipe bedding shall be designed in accordance with
2570 ASTM D2321 Class I, II, or III.
2571
- 2572 (j) Distribution system pipe shall be joined to ensure a watertight fitting and installed
2573 in accordance with the following standards, as applicable:
2574
- 2575 (i) For ductile iron pipe, AWWA C600;
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- 2577 (ii) For PVC pipe, AWWA M23; and
2578
2579 (iii) For HDPE pipe, AWWA M55.
2580
2581 (k) Backfill for distribution systems shall:
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2583 (i) Be performed without disturbing pipe alignment;
2584
2585 (ii) Not contain debris, frozen material, unstable material, or large clods;
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2587 (iii) Not contain rocks or stones that are greater than three inches in diameter
2588 within two feet of pipe; and
2589
2590 (iv) Be compacted to a density equal to or greater than the surrounding soil.
2591
2592 (l) Distribution systems shall meet the following requirements for separation of water
2593 mains from sanitary and storm sewers:
2594
2595 (i) Where the minimum vertical or horizontal separation distances required
2596 by incorporation by reference of 2018 TSS parts 8.8.2 and 8.8.3 of paragraph (a) of this Section
2597 cannot be met, the sewer or water line shall be placed in a separate conduit pipe or meet the
2598 flow-fill requirements of paragraphs (ii) and (iii) of this Paragraph (l);
2599
2600 (ii) Flow-fill for pipelines shall comply with the following:
2601
2602 (A) Cement-treated fill, non-shrink backfill, low-density concrete
2603 backfill, or structural backfill may be used as flow-fill when the material has a 28-day
2604 compressive strength of 30-60 psi;
2605
2606 (B) The pipe to be encased shall be laid on a four to six-inch ~~of~~ bed of
2607 washed gravel that has been widened, with the walls of the trench benched away from the center-
2608 line of the trench, so the pipe is uniformly supported over the length or supported on blocks no
2609 further than 10 feet apart;
2610
2611 (C) The flow-fill and washed gravel or blocks shall rest on an
2612 undisturbed trench bottom;
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2614 (D) The pipe shall not move laterally or float during placement of the
2615 flow-fill and the line and grade of the pipe shall be maintained; and
2616
2617 (E) The flow-fill shall extend from trench sidewall to trench sidewall
2618 and extend at least two inches above the top of the pipe.
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2620 (iii) Flow-fill for pipe crossings shall comply with the following:
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- 2622 (A) To the extent possible, there shall be no joints or taps within nine
2623 feet of the crossing;
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- 2625 (B) The flow-fill shall extend from undisturbed earth at the bottom of
2626 the lower pipe to at least two inches above the top of the upper pipe;
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- 2628 (C) The block of flow-fill shall be wide enough to ensure the structural
2629 integrity of the installation; and
2630
- 2631 (D) Pipes that cross one another shall be separated by a minimum of
2632 two inches when encased in flow-fill.
2633
- 2634 (m) Cross-connections shall comply with the following requirements:
2635
- 2636 (i) There shall be no water service connection installed or maintained
2637 between a public water supply and any water user whereby unsafe water or contamination may
2638 backflow into the public water supply.
2639
- 2640 (A) To protect all public water supplies from the possibility of the
2641 introduction of contamination due to cross-connections, the water supplier shall:
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- 2643 (I) Require backflow prevention devices for each water service
2644 connection in accordance with Table 4 of this Section, with the exception of (B)(I) residential
2645 water service connections and (B)(II) domestic non-residential water service connections;
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- 2647 (II) Take appropriate actions that may include:
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- 2649 1. Immediate disconnection for any water user that
2650 fails to maintain a properly installed backflow prevention device; or
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- 2652 2. Compliance with other measures as identified in
2653 this Section.
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- 2655 (III) Any high hazard non-residential connection to any public
2656 water supply shall be protected by the backflow prevention device required by Table 4.
2657
- 2658 (IV) Water suppliers shall establish record keeping and
2659 management procedures to ensure that requirements of this regulation for installation and
2660 maintenance of backflow prevention devices are being met.
2661
- 2662 (B) The method of backflow control, selected from Table 4, shall be
2663 determined based upon the degree of hazard of the cross-connection and the cause of the
2664 potential backflow. Hazards shall be classified as high hazard or low hazard. The potential cause
2665 of the backflow shall be identified as being back-siphonage or back-pressure.
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2667 (I) Residential water service connections shall be considered
2668 to be low hazard back-siphonage connections unless determined otherwise by a Hazard
2669 Classification.

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2671 (II) Domestic non-residential water service connections (such
2672 as schools without laboratories, churches, office buildings, warehouses, and motels) shall be
2673 considered to be low hazard back-pressure connections unless determined otherwise by a Hazard
2674 Classification conducted by the water supplier.

2675
2676 (III) Any water user's system with an auxiliary source of supply
2677 shall be considered to be a high hazard, back-pressure cross-connection. A reduced pressure
2678 principle backflow device shall be installed at the water service connection to any water user's
2679 system with an auxiliary source of supply.

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2681 (IV) All water loading stations shall be considered high hazard
2682 connections. A device, assembly, or method consistent with Table 4 shall be provided.

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2684 (V) Non-domestic commercial or industrial water service
2685 connections (such as restaurants, refineries, chemical mixing facilities, sewage treatment plants,
2686 mortuaries, laboratories, laundries, dry cleaners, irrigation systems, and facilities producing or
2687 using hazardous substances) shall be considered to be high hazard back-pressure connections
2688 unless determined otherwise by a Hazard Classification. For some of these service connections, a
2689 Hazard Classification may result in a determination of a back-siphonage or low hazard
2690 classification. The backflow prevention device required shall be appropriate to the degree of
2691 hazard established by the Hazard Classification. Where potential high hazards exist within the
2692 non-residential water user's system, even though such high hazards may be isolated at the point
2693 of use, an approved backflow prevention device shall be installed and maintained at the water
2694 service connection.

2695
2696 (C) Determination of the hazard classification of a water service
2697 connection is the responsibility of the water supplier. The water supplier may require the water
2698 user to furnish a Hazard Classification Survey to be used to determine the Hazard Classification.

2699
2700 (D) Hazard Classification Surveys that have been conducted by Hazard
2701 Classification Surveyors that have been certified by another state certification program shall
2702 include the following information for Administrator approval:

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2704 (I) Documentation that indicates the Hazard Classification
2705 Surveyor has received certification from the regulatory agency that issued the current
2706 certification that states the name of the Hazard Classification Surveyor, the status of their
2707 certification, the date originally issued, the expiration date, and the classification for which the
2708 Hazard Classification Surveyor is certified; and

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2710 (II) Any disciplinary action imposed against the applicant; if
2711 any.

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2713 (E) All backflow prevention devices shall be in-line serviceable
2714 (repairable), in-line testable except for devices meeting ASSE 1024, and installed in accordance
2715 with manufacturer instructions and applicable plumbing codes.

2716
2717 (F) All backflow prevention devices must have a certification by an
2718 approved third-party certification agency. Approved certification agencies are:

2719
2720 (I) American Society of Sanitary Engineers (ASSE);

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2722 (II) International Association of Plumbing/Mechanical officials
2723 (IAPMO); and

2724
2725 (III) Foundation for Cross-Connection Control and Hydraulic
2726 Research, University Of Southern California (USC-FCCCHR).

2727
2728 (G) Backflow prevention devices at water service connections shall be
2729 inspected and certified by a certified backflow assembly tester at the time of installation.
2730 Certification of the assembly tester shall be by one of the following:

2731
2732 (I) The American Society of Sanitary Engineers (ASSE); or

2733
2734 (II) American Backflow Prevention Association (ABPA).

2735
2736 (H) Backflow prevention devices installed at high hazard non-
2737 residential cross-connections shall be inspected and tested on an annual basis by a certified
2738 backflow assembly tester.

2739
2740 (I) If any device is found to be defective or functioning improperly, it
2741 shall be immediately repaired or replaced. Failure to make necessary repairs to a backflow
2742 prevention device will be cause for the water service connection to be terminated.

2743
2744 (J) All public water suppliers shall report any high hazard backflow
2745 incident within seven days to the Division. The backflow incident shall be reported on a form
2746 provided by the Administrator.

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2748 (ii) Neither steam condensate nor cooling water from engine jackets or other
2749 heat exchange devices shall be returned to the public water supply after it has passed through the
2750 water service connection.

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Table 4. Backflow Prevention Devices, Assemblies and Methods

Device, Assembly, or Method	Degree of Hazard				Notes
	Low Hazard		High Hazard		
	Back- Siphonage	Back- Pressure	Back- Siphonage	Back- Pressure	
Airgap	X	X	X	X	See Note 1 and Note 2

Atmospheric Vacuum Breaker	X		X		Not allowed under continuous pressure
Spill-proof Pressure-type Vacuum	X		X		
Double Check Valve Backflow Preventer	X	X			
Pressure Vacuum Breaker	X		X		
Reduced Pressure Principal Backflow	X	X	X	X	See Note 2,
Dual Check	X				Restricted to residential services

2753
2754 Note 1: Minimum Airgap for Water Distribution. For spouts with an effective opening
2755 diameter of ½ inch or less, the minimum airgap when the discharge is not affected by side walls
2756 shall be one inch. The minimum airgap when the discharge is affected by sidewalls shall be 1 ½
2757 inches. For effective openings greater than ½ inch, the minimum airgap shall be two times the
2758 effective opening diameter when the discharge is not affected by sidewalls. The minimum airgap
2759 when the discharge is affected by sidewalls shall be three times the effective opening diameter.
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2761 Note 2: Extreme Hazards. In the case of any water user’s system where, in the opinion of
2762 the water supplier or the Administrator, an undue health threat is posed because of the presence
2763 of extremely toxic substances or potential back pressures in excess of the design working
2764 pressure of the device, the water supplier may require an airgap at the water service connection
2765 to protect the public water system.
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2767 **Section 17. Laboratory Requirements.**
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- 2769 (a) 2018 TSS, parts 2.8.1-2.8.1(h), testing equipment, is herein incorporated by
2770 reference.
2771
2772 (b) Test procedures for analysis of monitoring samples shall conform to the Standard
2773 Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater.
2774
2775 (c) All treatment plants shall have the capability to perform or contract for the self-
2776 monitoring analytical work required by the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. §300f et seq. All

2777 plants shall, in addition, be capable of performing or contracting the analytical work required to
2778 ensure good management and control of plant operation and performance.

2779
2780 (d) All laboratories used for the tests, analysis, and monitoring required by this
2781 Section shall meet the following requirements:

2782
2783 (i) The laboratory shall be located away from vibrating machinery or
2784 equipment that might have adverse effects on the performance of laboratory instruments or the
2785 analyst and shall be designed to prevent adverse effects from vibration.

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2787 (ii) Walls shall have an easily cleaned, durable, and impervious surface.

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2789 (iii) Cabinet and storage space shall be provided for dust-free storage of
2790 instruments and glassware. Benchtop height shall be 30 inches. Benchtops shall be field joined
2791 into a continuous surface with acid, alkali, and solvent-resistant cement.

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2793 (iv) Fume hoods shall be provided where reflux or heating of toxic or
2794 hazardous materials is required. A hood shall not be situated near a doorway unless a secondary
2795 means of exit is provided. All fume hood switches, electrical outlets, and utility and baffle
2796 adjustment handles shall be located outside the hood. Light fixtures shall be explosion-proof. 24-
2797 hour continuous exhaust capability shall be provided. Exhaust fans shall be explosion-proof.

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2799 (v) The laboratory shall have a minimum of two sinks per 400 square feet (not
2800 including cup sinks). Sinks shall be double well with drainboards and shall be made of epoxy
2801 resin or plastic. All water fixtures shall have reduced pressure zone backflow preventers. Traps
2802 shall be constructed of glass, or plastic, ~~or lead~~ and be accessible for cleaning.

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2804 (vi) Distilled water shall conform to the quality specified by Standard Methods
2805 for the Examination of Water and Wastewater 2018.

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2807 (e) Portable testing equipment shall be provided where necessary for operational
2808 control testing.

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2810 **Section 18. Operation and Maintenance Manuals.**

2811
2812 (a) Each new or modified treatment or pumping facility shall have an operation and
2813 maintenance manual (O & M Manual) located at the facility. The manuals shall provide the
2814 following information as a minimum:

2815
2816 (i) Introduction;

2817
2818 (ii) Description of facilities and unit processes within the plant from influent
2819 structures through effluent structures;

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2821 (A) The size, capacity, model number (where applicable), and intended
2822 loading rate of facilities and unit processes;

- 2823
2824 (B) A description of each unit, including the function, controls,
2825 lubrication, and maintenance schedule;
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2827 (C) A description of start-up operations, routine operations, abnormal
2828 operations, emergency or power outage operations, bypass procedures, and safety;
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2830 (D) Flow diagrams of the entire process, as well as individual unit
2831 processes that show the flow options under the various operational conditions listed in paragraph
2832 (a)(ii) of this Section; and
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2834 (E) The design criteria for each unit process, including the number,
2835 type, capacity, sizes, and other relevant information.
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2837 (iii) Plant control system;
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2839 (iv) Utilities and systems;
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2841 (v) Emergency procedures, including:
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2843 (A) Details of emergency operations procedures for possible
2844 foreseeable emergencies, such as power outage, equipment failure, development of unsafe
2845 conditions, and other emergency conditions;
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2847 (B) Emergency operations valve positions, flow control settings, and
2848 other information to ensure continued operation of the facility at maximum possible efficiency
2849 during emergencies; and
2850
2851 (C) Emergency notification procedures to be followed to protect health
2852 and safety under various emergency conditions.
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2854 (vi) Permit requirements and other regulatory requirements;
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2856 (vii) Staffing needs;
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2858 (viii) Index of manufacturers' manuals;
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2860 (ix) Index of equipment maintenance manuals; and
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2862 (x) General information on safety in and around the plant and its components,
2863 including the following safety information:
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2865 (A) Each unit process discussion shall include applicable safety
2866 procedures and precautions; and
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2868 (B) For unit processes or operations having extreme hazards (such as
2869 chlorine and closed tanks), the discussion shall detail appropriate protection, rescue procedures,
2870 and necessary safety equipment.

2871
2872 (b) Administrator approval of the final O & M Manual is required prior to plant
2873 startup.

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2875 (c) Public water supply facilities shall have an equipment maintenance manual
2876 located at the facility for each piece of equipment. Each equipment maintenance manual shall:

2877
2878 (i) Have a typewritten table of contents for each volume arranged in a
2879 systematic order;

2880
2881 (ii) Include the following general contents:

2882
2883 (A) Product data;

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2885 (B) Drawings;

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2887 (C) Written text as required to supplement product data for the
2888 particular installation;

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2890 (D) Copies of each warranty, bond, and service contract issued;

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2892 (E) Descriptions of unit and component parts;

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2894 (F) Operating procedures;

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2896 (G) Maintenance procedures and schedules;

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2898 (H) Service and lubrication schedule;

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2900 (I) Sequence of control operation;

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2902 (J) Parts list; and

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2904 (K) Recommended spare parts list.

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2906 (iii) Include a section on troubleshooting that shall include:

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2908 (A) Typical operation problems and solutions; and

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2910 (B) A telephone number for factory troubleshooting assistance.

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2912 (iv) Meet the requirements of the engineer and contractor for installation and
2913 startup of equipment.

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Section 19. Incorporation by Reference.

(a) The following codes, standards, rules, and regulations referenced in this Chapter are incorporated by reference:

(i) American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation Standard 53, Drinking Water Treatment Units - Health Effects (2019), referred to as “NSF/ANSI 53,” available at <https://webstore.ansi.org/Standards/NSF/NSFANSI532020>;

(ii) American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation Standard 55, Ultraviolet Microbiological Water Treatment Systems (2020), referred to as “NSF/ANSI 55,” available at <https://webstore.ansi.org/Standards/NSF/NSFANSI552021>;

(iii) American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation Standard 61, Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects NSF/ANSI/CAN 61-2020/NSF/ANSI/CAN 600-2021, referred to as “NSF/ANSI/CAN 61-2020/NSF/ANSI/CAN 600-2021,” available at <https://webstore.ansi.org/Standards/NSF/NSFANSI612021600>;

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3205 the full text in these rules would be cumbersome or inefficient given the length or nature of the
3206 rules.
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3208 (ii) This Chapter does not incorporate later amendments or editions of
3209 incorporated codes, standards, rules, and regulations.
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3211 (iii) All incorporated codes, standards, rules, and regulations are available for
3212 public inspection at the Department’s Cheyenne office. Contact information for the Cheyenne
3213 office may be obtained at <http://deq.wyoming.gov> or from (307) 777-7937.