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§ 64-301 Water Service Installation.

Any person requesting installation of water service shall furnish and install a brass curb stop, a cast-iron curb box to contain the curb stop, and copper pipe to conduct water from the main to the curb stop. The Borough will furnish and install corporation cocks, for which the property owner shall be charged at the prevailing rate of cost of material and installation.

§ 64-302 Compliance Required.

Every person or persons having attachments of any kind made without first complying with the requirements of this Article shall, upon conviction in summary proceedings, be subject, for each offense, to the penalties provided in § 64-110.

§ 64-303 Water Mains.

Where street mains are required to be installed by property owners, such installation shall be in accordance with Borough specifications and under the supervision of the Borough Engineer or the Maintenance Supervisor, if so designated by the Borough Engineer. In such cases the expense to the property owner required to make said installation shall be set forth in a written agreement with the Borough before construction takes place.

§ 64-304 Service Pipes.

(a) **Connection.** Service pipes leading off from the main shall be installed by the property owner. Thereafter the property owner shall be responsible for repair and maintenance only from the curb box to the dwelling. All connections with water mains are to be made only by a duly registered plumber to whom a permit authorizing the connection has been issued by the Borough.

(b) **Location.** All service pipes conveying water shall be laid not less than three and one-half (3.5) feet under the surface, and no corporation shall be inserted into the Borough water mains until the service ditch has been opened to the proper depth from the Borough main to the curb stop.

§ 64-305 Corporation Stop.

It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to connect pipe or pipes to the service mains or other pipes in such manner that more than one (1) dwelling house or other building with its appurtenances shall be supplied with water by means of the same corporation stop and supply pipe, but each separate premise shall have a separate attachment. Each corporation attaching to

the main shall be placed at an angle of forty-five degrees (45°) upwards from the horizontal center line.

§ 64-306 Curb Stops.

(a) **Location.** All the connecting or conducting pipes from mains shall have a curb stop affixed thereto, located within the limits of the sidewalk or pavement, at a distance of twelve (12) inches from the curb.

(b) **Curb Stop Box.** To every curb stop there shall be left an opening of at least four (4) inches square, or if round, of that diameter, which shall be protected with a suitable curb box and securely covered with a cast iron top in such a manner that the situation of the curb stop may be readily distinguished, wherever placed, and shall be even with the surrounding pavement or level to the top of grade.