

extending, or maintaining a water system, water plant, sanitary sewerage system, sewage treatment plant, storm water sewers, or any other public improvement. Any condemnation proceedings under this section shall be carried on in accordance with the provisions of Section 87 86 of this charter, and the activities mentioned in this section shall be considered as public improvements within the meaning of Section 87 86 of this charter.

CONNECTIONS

78. The Town of Friendsville shall provide a connection, either free or at cost, as the council may decide, with water and sanitary sewer mains for all property abutting on any public way in which a sanitary sewer or water main is laid. When any water main or sanitary sewer is declared ready for operation, all abutting property owners after reasonable notice shall connect all fixtures with the water or sewer main. The town may require that, if existing fixtures are unsatisfactory, new ones be installed and may require that all cesspools, sinkdrains, and privies be abandoned and left in such a way as not to injure public health. All wells found to be polluted or a menace to health shall be abandoned and closed. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor.

CONSTRUCTION OF PRIVATE SYSTEMS

79. No water supply, sewerage, or storm water drainage system, or any part or appurtenances thereof, and no water mains, sewers, drains, or connections therewith, shall be constructed by any person or persons, firm, corporation, institution, or community, whether upon private premises or otherwise, without the written consent of and under rules prescribed by the council. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor.

POLLUTION OF WATER SUPPLY

80. No person shall do anything which will discolor, pollute, or tend to pollute any water used or to be used in the town water supply system. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor.

FINANCE

81. For the purpose of financing and paying for the construction, operation, maintenance, and repair of the water supply system, water plant, sanitary sewerage system, sewage treatment plant, storm water sewers, and any