

AS THE COUNTY MAY PRESCRIBE. THE WORK SHALL BE DONE UNDER AND PURSUANT TO SUCH RULES, REGULATIONS, AND REQUIREMENTS AS THE DIRECTOR OF SANITARY FACILITIES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME FORMULATE, AND SUBJECT TO SUCH INSPECTION AS HE MAY DEEM NECESSARY; PROVIDED THAT, TO AVOID DUPLICATION OF SUPERVISION, THE COUNTY MAY WAIVE THIS PROVISION IF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ISSUES THE PERMITS AND MAKES THE INSPECTIONS REQUIRED BY THIS SUBSECTION IN A MANNER SATISFACTORY TO THE COUNTY.

(B) INSTALLATIONS. NO PRIVATE OR PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY OR SEWERAGE INSTALLATION INTENDED FOR USE OF TWO OR MORE BUILDINGS OR PREMISES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED, NOR SHALL ANY EXISTING SYSTEM BE EXTENDED IN THE SANITARY DISTRICT UNLESS THE PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION DOING THE WORK HAS FIRST OBTAINED A PERMIT FROM THE DIRECTOR OF SANITARY FACILITIES AND PAID A REASONABLE CHARGE THEREFOR. THE PLANT THEN SHALL BE INSTALLED, MAINTAINED, AND OPERATED UNDER SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS AS THE DIRECTOR OF SANITARY FACILITIES MAY REQUIRE OR DEVISE. THE COUNTY SHALL HAVE FULL AND COMPLETE JURISDICTION OVER ALL FIRE HYDRANTS CONNECTED WITH ITS WATER SYSTEM; AND NO PERSON, FIRM, OR CORPORATION MAY OPERATE, USE, OR MAKE CONNECTION WITH THE SYSTEM WITHOUT THE WRITTEN AUTHORITY OF THE DIRECTOR OF SANITARY FACILITIES, EXCEPT THAT NO RESTRICTION SHALL APPLY TO ANY BONA FIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE DISCHARGE OF ITS DUTIES. THE DIRECTOR OF SANITARY FACILITIES, UPON A DETERMINATION THAT PUBLIC SAFETY WILL BE SERVED, MAY REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS TO PUBLIC OR PRIVATE SYSTEMS EXISTING OR TO BE CONSTRUCTED IN THE SANITARY DISTRICT AND MAY PRESCRIBE SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE AND MAINTENANCE THEREOF AS HE DEEMS NECESSARY. THE COUNTY IS AUTHORIZED TO ENTER INTO ANY AGREEMENTS WITH THE OWNERS OR OPERATORS OF SUCH SYSTEMS DESIGNED TO INSTALL FIRE HYDRANTS OR OTHER FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AS MAY BE DEEMED IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST. NO PERSON, FIRM, OR CORPORATION MAY TAMPER WITH, DEFACE, DAMAGE, OR OBSTRUCT ANY FIRE HYDRANT. A VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION IS A MISDEMEANOR, PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTION 19-29 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(C) EXCEPTION. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION IS APPLICABLE WITHIN ANY MUNICIPALITY OR TO ANY SANITARY SYSTEM OPERATED BY A MUNICIPALITY AND WITHOUT THE SANITARY DISTRICT BY VIRTUE OF THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 19-1(A) HEREOF.

*19-13. Water and sewer connections.*

*The County shall provide for each and every property abutting upon a street or right-of-way in which under this ~~chapter~~ SUBTITLE*