

[(a) The commission shall provide for each and every property abutting upon a street or right of way in which, under this article, a water main or sanitary sewer is laid, a water service pipe or sewer connection which shall be extended, as required, from the water main or sewer to the property line of the abutting lot, the service pipe or connection to be constructed by, and at the sole expense of, the commission.]

(A) (1) IF PROPERTY ABUTS ON A STREET OR RIGHT OF WAY IN WHICH A WATER MAIN OR SANITARY SEWER IS INSTALLED, THE WSSC SHALL PROVIDE A SERVICE CONNECTION FROM THE WATER MAIN OR SANITARY SEWER TO THE PROPERTY LINE OF THE ABUTTING LOT.

(2) THE SERVICE CONNECTION SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED BY AND AT THE EXPENSE OF THE WSSC AND SHALL BE PAID FOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE.

(3) When [any] A water main or sewer is declared by the [commission] WSSC AS complete and ready for the delivery of water or the reception of sewage, AFTER DUE NOTICE every abutting property owner[, after due notice,] shall [make connection] HOOK UP [of] all spigots or hydrants, toilets, and waste drains with the water main or sewer within [a] THE time [prescribed] SET by the [commission] WSSC.

(4) [Where the aforesaid] IF THE fixtures DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION do not exist, or IF THEY are [of a nature which, in the judgment of the commission, is] JUDGED BY THE WSSC AS improper or inadequate, THE PROPERTY OWNER SHALL INSTALL satisfactory equipment [shall be installed].

(5) All cesspools, sink drains, and privies[, AND WELLS THAT ARE POLLUTED OR A MENACE TO HEALTH shall be abandoned and left in such a way that they cannot again be used nor injuriously affect the public health[, the disposition to be determined by the commission; and all wells that are found by the commission to be polluted or a menace to health shall likewise be abandoned and closed]. THE WSSC SHALL DETERMINE THE DISPOSITION OF THESE FACILITIES.

[(b) Whenever there exists, at any time after construction or acquisition of any water main or sewer, on any property abutting upon the water main or sewer a condition, due to the refusal of the owner or occupant of the property to connect his, her or its property to either a water main or sewer, that appears to be a menace to the health of the occupants of the property or the occupants of adjoining or nearby property, the commission may require a connection to either the water main or sewer, or both, if, after ten days' notice and an opportunity to be heard by