

CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL

State and Federal law requires water suppliers to protect their water systems from contamination or pollution by cross connections.

The City of Brentwood has established an aggressive Cross Connection Program to ensure the prevention of backflow, back siphonage, and back pressure from contaminating the City's water system. Installing a backflow can prevent these cross connections. The program also addresses potential cross connection hazards. Examples of potential cross connections are:

- ◆ Auxiliary water supplies (wells, tanks, canals)
- ◆ Commercial fire sprinkler systems
- ◆ Commercial soda machines
- ◆ Irrigation sprinkler systems
- ◆ Chemical feeds (sprayers, pesticide equipment, etc.)
- ◆ Laboratory and aspirator equipment
- ◆ Wash basins and service tanks
- ◆ Hose bibs
- ◆ Boilers
- ◆ Solar heat systems



*We don't know what you put in
your water after you get it!*

The City's Cross Control Ordinance (Chapter 14.10) requires these backflow devices to be tested annually and results sent to the City within 30 days.

