

EXHIBIT "F"
BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLY PROGRAM FEES EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2008

Sarasota County Commissioners approved the following rates on Aug. 28, 2007 for backflow testing, repair and replacement. If you participate in the Optional Testing Program, these rates will be applied to your water bill.

County water customers may choose to deal directly with a licensed contractor for the annual testing and any necessary repair or replacement of their backflow preventer, or they may request that Sarasota County provide the services at the rates shown below. If a water customer does not conduct the testing, repair or replacement within 45 days of notice, the county shall provide the necessary services at the rates shown below, and will apply the charges to the customer's utility bill.

POTABLE WATER BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLY TESTING ONLY:

Commercial and Residential, by pipe size related to assembly

	Total Charges	Monthly Fee
3/4"	\$30.40	\$2.53
1"	\$30.40	\$2.53
2 "	\$47.20	\$3.93
3"	\$56.00	\$4.67
4"	\$69.00	\$5.75
6"	\$89.00	\$7.42
8"	\$102.00	\$8.50
10"	\$131.00	\$10.92

POTABLE WATER BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLY REPAIR:

Commercial and Residential, by pipe size related to assembly (may be paid in advance or lump sum billed on the next available billing cycle.)

3/4"	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee
1"	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee
2 "	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee

POTABLE WATER BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLY REPLACEMENT

Commercial and Residential, by pipe size related to assembly (may be paid in advance or lump sum billed on the next available billing cycle.)

3/4"	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee
1"	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee
2 "	Actual Contractor County Rate plus \$5 Administrative Fee

FIRE LINE BACKFLOW PREVENTION ASSEMBLY TESTING ONLY

Commercial and Residential, by pipe size related to assembly

	Total Charges	Monthly Fee
2"	\$111.16	\$9.26
3"	\$123.65	\$10.30
4"	\$136.14	\$11.35
6"	\$158.52	\$13.21
8"	\$171.01	\$14.25
10"	\$183.51	\$15.29

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If you **DO NOT** wish to participate in the Optional Testing Program, please complete the form below and return it with valid test results of your backflow prevention assembly to:

Sarasota County Utilities
C/O Douglas Bailey
1001 Sarasota Center Blvd.
Sarasota, FL 34240

OR

Fax To: 941-861- 0528

I do not wish to participate in the Optional Testing Program offered by Sarasota County Utilities.

<Customer Name>

<Billing Address>

< Account Number>

<Meter Number>

< Meter Size>

Customer Signature: _____

Please remember to return a current valid test report of your Backflow Prevention Assembly along with this signed statement within 45 days. Non-compliance of the testing requirement will result in automatic enrollment in the Optional Testing Program.