

Plumbing Advisory Board Meeting 4pm May 13, 20025 York City Council Chambers

Attendees; Allen Pieper, Josh Stenger, Carsten Staehr, Brandon Osentowski, James Paul, Dan Aude

## **Agenda**

- 1. Meter pit usage
- 2. Plastic service lines
- 3. Lawn backflow preventers

## Meter pit usage

Minimum size 48", manhole size 24" minimum

Precast concrete or as approved by the Water Superintendent

Only CPS fittings are allowed

Stainless steel with stiffener fitting and pack joint fitting are to be used

It was decided to allow meter pits outside the city limits only. They are to follow the above guidelines.

## Plastic service lines

Pro - cost

Con - Hard to locate if tracer wire gets damaged

Con - DIY plumbers

It was decided to stay with the current plumbing code that requires a copper service line.

## Lawn backflow preventers

Remind all contractors that new backflow preventers require testing at time of installation.

All lawn sprinkler installers must register as contractors.

All lawn sprinkler installs will need a building permit.

Licensed plumbers are to install the backflow devices.

Licensed plumbers, Grade VI water contractors and operators can test, repair and install backflow devices.

Lawn backflow devices should be a minimum 18" above the highest sprinkler head.

Adjourned 4:33pm.

Dan Aude Planning Director City of York