

ORDINANCE NO. 04-07

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1985-9-1 of the Village of Camden.

THE VILLAGE OF CAMDEN ORDAINS:

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2. "Sewage" shall mean the liquid and water-carried waste from industrial, commercial processes and municipal operations, or domestic waste (including gray water) from dwellings, commercial buildings, industrial facilities and institutions, including excess waste, from cooling, condensing, or other sanitary systems. Sewage shall specifically not include surface or storm waters.

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3. The representative of the Village of Camden shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply of the Village for the purpose of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof for cross-connections. The Village of Camden may use any form of testing, including smoke testing, or other testing as deemed appropriate, to test for cross-connections. On request, the owner, lessees, or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the Village of Camden any pertinent information regarding the piping system or systems on such property. A refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, shall be deemed evidence of the presence of cross-connection.
4. The Village of Camden is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property where any connection violation of this ordinance exists and to take such other precautionary measures as deemed necessary to eliminate any danger of contamination of the public water supply system. Water service to such property shall not be restored until the cross-

connection(s) has been eliminated in compliance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

5. All testable back flow prevention devices shall be tested initially upon installation to be sure that the device is working properly. Subsequent testing of devices shall be conducted at a time interval specified by the Village of Camden and in accordance with the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality requirements. Only individuals approved by the Village of Camden shall be qualified to perform testing. The individual shall certify the results of his or her testing.
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7. This ordinance does not supersede the state plumbing code, but is supplementary to it.
8. Any person found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or any written order of the Village of Camden, in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 for each violation. Each day upon which a violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall occur shall be deemed a separate and additional violation for the purposes of this ordinance.
9. This Ordinance shall be published in full in the *Hillsdale Daily News*, a newspaper of general circulation in the Village of Camden, qualified under State law to publish legal notices, promptly after its adoption, and the same shall be recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Village of Camden and such recording authenticated by the signatures of the Village President and the Village Clerk.
10. This Ordinance shall be effective on the twenty-first day following its passage and following its publication.

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Attests

Mary Bailey  
President

Marilyn Koebke  
Village Clerk

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Village President Merry Bailey  
Village Clerk Marilyn Koebbe

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being first duly sworn, says that she is the Business Manager of the Hillsdale Daily News, published in the English language for the dissemination of local or transmitted news and information of a general character and legal news, and that she is a qualified newspaper, and that she is a copy of a certain order taken from a newspaper, in which the order was published on the following dates, to wit:

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Business Manager

sworn to before me this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2007

*Kelly J. Richardson*  
Notary Public for Hillsdale County, Michigan

My commission expires 9-6-13

KELLY J. RICHARDSON  
"NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF MICHIGAN  
COUNTY OF HILLSDALE"  
ACTING IN THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 6, 2013