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NEW SEWER SERVICES

1. A “New Sewer Service Application” shall be filed with a \$1000.00 residential or \$1000.00 non-residential application fee with the Department of Public Works prior to the granting of a permit. No new service will be installed between December 1st and April 1st and no new sewer service application will be accepted by the department after November 15th.
2. Materials: 4” Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Sewer Pipe conforming to ASTM designation D3034-73 SDR 35. All joints to be rubber gasket type. Alignment of service to be approved by the Department of Public Works Engineers. Non-residential services may require larger pipe. All connections to existing mains will be made using a Fernco Flexible Tap Saddle (Tee or Wye) or approved equal.
3. Property owner to engage a qualified and insured contractor to perform excavation; provide all materials, tap the main, lay pipe, restore lawns, sidewalks, curbs, and roadway. The contractor shall have the proper equipment and material on the site before work begins. The contractor shall have a backhoe and operator, a compressor, a compactor, a jackhammer, pavement saw, and proper traffic control barricades.
4. The contractor must call Dig-Safe and obtain an Excavation/Trench Permit from the Department of Public Works before excavating.
5. All Materials and work to be approved and inspected by the D.P.W. prior to burial. The contractor must notify Engineering Inspector when trenches will be patched.
6. Road Open Permits: Permits shall be granted to qualified contractors upon 72 hours (excluding Saturdays, Sundays or Holidays); written notices to all utility companies, as well as obtaining a Dig-Safe number 72 hours prior to excavating. Contact the Engineering Office at 413-772-1528.

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