



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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180869  
SUBSTITUTE 1

### THE CHAIR

A substitute ordinance relating to surveys of water supply cross-connections.

97-12-6-b rc

97-12-9.5 cr

This ordinance changes the required frequency for surveys of commercial premises to identify possible water supply cross-connections from a minimum of once every 10 years to a minimum of once every 2 years. Two exceptions to this required survey frequency are provided:

1. For a commercial premises with a risk of cross-connection similar to or less than a residential premises, the survey shall be conducted a minimum of once every 20 years.
2. For a multi-family residential or condominium premises, except a premises heated by a boiler, the survey shall be conducted a minimum of once every 5 years.

This ordinance also authorizes the water works to delegate its inspection, survey, and enforcement authority and duties related the cross-connection control program to the department of neighborhood services pursuant to a memorandum of understanding.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Milwaukee do ordain as follows:

Part 1. Section 97-12-6-b of the code is repealed and recreated to read:

### 97-12. Cross-Connection Control Regulations.

**6. CROSS-CONNECTION CONTROL PROGRAM.**

b. Conducting a survey of each commercial premises and each public authority a minimum of once every 2 years, subject to the following exceptions:

b-1. For a commercial premises with a risk of cross-connection similar to or less than a residential premises, the survey schedule may be the same as described in par. a.

b-2. For a multi-family residential or condominium premises, except a premises heated by a boiler, the survey shall be conducted a minimum of once every 5 years.

Part 2, Section 97-12-9.5 of the code is created to read:

**9.5. DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY.** The water works may delegate the inspection, survey, and enforcement authority and duties established in this section to the department of neighborhood services pursuant to a memorandum of understanding.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

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Legislative Reference Bureau

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

IT IS OUR OPINION THAT THE ORDINANCE  
IS LEGAL AND ENFORCEABLE

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Office of the City Attorney

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

DPW - Water Works

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Jeff Osterman

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