

**VILLAGE OF MATTAWAN**  
**CROSS CONNECTION ORDINANCE**  
**Ordinance 39**

THE VILLAGE OF MATTAWAN, VAN BUREN COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

SECTION 1.

The Village of Mattawan adopts by reference the Water Supply Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Public Health being R 325.11401 to R 325.11407 of the Michigan Administrative Code. (Ord 39, eff. 10-16-77, amended by Ord. 124, eff. 10-26-92)

SECTION 2.

That it shall be the duty of the Village of Mattawan, the Inspection Agency to cause inspections to be made of all properties served by the public water supply where cross connections with the public water supply is deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and reinspections based on potential health hazards involved shall be as established by the Village of Mattawan and as approved by the Michigan Department of Public Health.

SECTION 3.

That the representative of the Village of Mattawan shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply system of the Village of Mattawan for the purpose of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof for cross connections. On request the owner, lessees or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the inspection agency any pertinent information regarding the piping system or systems on such property. The refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, shall be deemed evidence of the presence of cross connections.

SECTION 4.

That the Village of Mattawan is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property wherein any connection in violation of this ordinance exists, and to take such other precautionary measures 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.

SECTION 5.

That the potable water supply made available on the properties served by the public water supply shall be protected from possible contamination as specified by this ordinance and by the state plumbing code. Any water outlet which could be used for potable or domestic purposes and which is not supplied by the potable system must be labeled in a conspicuous manner.

SECTION 6.

That this ordinance does not supersede the state plumbing code but is supplementary to it.

SECTION 7.

Any person convicted of violating or assisting in the violation of any provision of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and costs of prosecution or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than ninety (90) days, or both at the discretion of the Court. Each violation and every day upon which such violation shall occur shall be a separate offense. (Ord. No. 39, eff. 10-16-1977, amended by Ord. No. 114, eff.1-3-1992)

Any ordinance or parts of any ordinance of the Village of Mattawan in conflict with this ordinance is hereby repealed. The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any clause, sentence, paragraph, section or subsection is declared void or inoperable for any reason, it shall not affect any other part or portion hereof.

Effective date this Ordinance shall take effect on October 16, 1977.