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Title:	Sanitary Sewer Connections	Repeal Date:	
Department:	Engineering, Public Works and Transportation	Approval Date:	1983-JAN-03 CEPC

# PURPOSE:

To establish mandatory service connections.

## **DEFINITIONS:**

N/A

# SCOPE:

N/A

# POLICY:

In as much as the City of Nanaimo, since 1978 has passed Bylaws No. 1706 and 1925 and Bylaws No. 2460 and 2461, it may remain that some properties are not connected at this time to those sanitary sewer connections as installed. It is the intent the Public Works Director and supporting staff to approach the matter of administering the mandatory connection provision of "SEWER REGULAITON AND CHARGE BYLAW 1982 NO. 2496" is the following manner:

Commencing when Staff time is available, a check would be made, with the first bylaws and succeeding bylaws in age, to see which properties had not been connected to facilities as constructed. As these checks were made, Staff would also intend to carry out investigations to see if there were particular reasons for those connections not being in place, whether they be financial, soil condition, structural or otherwise.

If Staff found that, because of the non-connection, health hazards were being created and causing a public nuisance, immediate action would be taken to serve notice to those properties to have the connection made.

For those properties where there seem to be no obvious health or environmental problems, the Director of Public Works would meet with Senior Staff members from the Public Works Department and Administration, to discuss the implementation or the enforcement of Part 3, Section 21, 21 and 22 of Bylaw No. 2496, as amended. From initial calculations and interpreting the Staff time limitations because of the 1983 Budget shortfalls, the Director of Public Works anticipates that the full checking of the complete system would take almost the entire 1983 year to complete.

# PROCESS:

N/A

# **RELATED DOCUMENTS:**

"Sewer Regulation and Charge Bylaw 1982 No. 2496"

# **REPEAL/AMENDS:**

N/A