

RULES AND REGULATIONS
OF
PAA-KO COMMUNITIES SEWER ASSOCIATION
EFFECTIVE
3-15-04

The following rules and regulations of PAA-KO Communities Sewer Association are adopted to be effective immediately upon commencement of operation of said association.

1. Plans and Specifications of Facilities of Members.

Each member of the Association shall construct a septic tank and lift pumps, as may be required, based upon the specific individual design, taking into consideration the elevation of the house, hydraulic grade of the sewer, distance from the main line, and all other relevant factors, and in accordance with specifications imposed by all applicable governmental authorities. Specific individual design specifications must be sufficient to allow it to function in accordance with the PAA-KO Communities Sewer Association, system. The sewer association shall reserve the right to impose criteria and to inspect the installation of all tanks.

The minimum size of septic tank required of each member shall be as required by local, state or national ordinances or governmental organizations. In the case of any conflict, the most stringent (maximum) specifications shall be followed.

Each septic tank shall have a concrete standpipe and cap extending above ground or at ground level so as to facilitate easy pumping of the septic tank. Each septic tank will be located on each member's property in such a location as to allow reasonable access to the septic tank for pumping, testing and inspection.

2. Pumping.

Pumping of each septic tank shall be done regularly, as deemed necessary by the sewer association. The Association shall have the right to contract with third parties to pump the septic tanks, or to request that homeowner's schedule their own pumping with a company from an "approved contractor's list" provided by the Association. The Association shall have the right to pay the contractor directly, or to reimburse the homeowner upon receipt of satisfactory proof of payment of the homeowner to an approved contractor. Should the homeowner need to or choose to pump more frequently than required by the Association, then the homeowner shall be solely responsible for payment. The Association shall be responsible for the cost of such pumping as otherwise described herein, the expense being included in the Association's annual charges to the members.

The Association will make direct contact to do the pumping or will have each member contact the company that is to do the pumping to schedule times in which the pumping may be conducted. In the event the member does not make arrangements with the pumping company within 60 days of their required schedule, then the pumping company is authorized to enter upon the member's property and to pump the septic tank at such time as the company wishes and at the request of the Association, provided that the member is given at least three days notice, in person, or by posting on the member's property, or by mail directed to the member at the address shown on the Association's books and records.

The Association shall not be liable for loss or damage to the homeowner's property, of any type or kind, or from any cause whatsoever even in the case where the Association has scheduled pumping due to the failure of the homeowner to do so.

3. Access.

The Association will at all times have access to enter upon the member's property to test the septic tank and related pipelines, pumps and facilities, to see that they are in proper operation, and to see that no improper liquid wastes, or solid wastes of any type, are being disposed of through the septic tank, and to otherwise enforce the rules and regulations of the Association.

Each member grants access to the Association in and upon the property for the purposes of disconnecting member's septic tank and line from the Association's lines and facilities in the event the Association determines that the property owner has violated any of the rules and regulations, articles, or bylaws of the Association or in the event the property owner has not paid its dues.

4. Limitations on Discharge into System.

No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged any storm water, surface water, ground water, roof runoff, subsurface drainage, uncontaminated cooling water, or unpolluted industrial process waters to any sewer line.

No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged any of the following described liquids or liquid wastes to any sewer lines connected to the liquid wastewater system:

(a) any gasoline, benzene, naphtha, fuel oil or other flammable or explosive liquid, solid or gas.

(b) any waters or liquid wastes containing toxic or poisonous solids, liquids or gases in sufficient quantity, either singly or by interaction with other liquid wastes to injure or interfere with any liquid wastewater facility, constitute a hazard to humans or animals, create a public nuisance, or to create any hazard in the receiving waters of the liquid wastewater system.

⑥ any persistent pesticides or herbicides, such as dieldrin, aldrin, chlordane, endrin, heptachlor, toxaphene, lindane, and BAC, or other toxic refractory organic chemicals.

(d) any waters or liquid wastes having a PH lower than 5.5 or having any other corrosive property capable of causing damage or hazard to structures, equipment and personnel of the liquid wastewater facility.

(e) solid or viscous substances in quantities or of such size capable of causing obstruction to the flow in lines, or other interference with the proper operation of the liquid wastewater facility such as, but not limited to, ashes, cinders, sand, mud, straw, shavings, metal, glass, rags, feathers, tar, plastics, wood, unground garbage, whole blood, paunch manure, hair and fleshings, entrails and paper dishes, cups, milk containers, etc., either whole or ground by garbage grinders.

(f) solids of any other form or nature.

NONRESIDENTIAL USES OF ANY TYPE MUST BE SPECIFICALLY APPROVED BY THE ASSOCIATION PRIOR TO MEMBERSHIP PURCHASE.

No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged the following described substances, materials, waters or liquid wastes if it appears likely in the opinion of PAA-KO Communities Sewer Cooperative, Inc., that such wastes can harm the liquid wastewater facility or equipment, or can otherwise endanger life, limb, public property, or constitute a nuisance. In forming an opinion as to the acceptability of these waters, the Association will give consideration to such factors as the quantities of subject liquid wastes in relation to flows and velocities in the sewer lines, materials of construction of sewer lines, nature and capacity of the liquid wastewater facility, degree of treatability of liquid wastes in the liquid wastewater treatment works and other pertinent factors. The substances which must be considered include, but are not limited to the following:

(a) any liquid or vapor having a temperature higher than one hundred fifty (150)F (65)C, at the service connection to the system.

(b) any water or liquid waste containing fats, grease, wax or oils, whether emulsified or not, in excess of one hundred (100)mg/l or containing substances which may solidify or become viscous at temperatures between thirty-two (32)F and one hundred fifty (150)F, (0 and 65).

⑥ any whole blood, paunch manure, hair, fleshings or entrails.

(d) any waters or liquid wastes containing strong acid, iron pickling wastes, or concentrated plating solution.

(e) any waters or liquid wastes containing reducing substance of an organic or inorganic nature, toxic or nontoxic, which exert an immediate chlorine demand.

(f) any waters or liquid wastes containing phenols or other taste or odor producing substances.

(g) any radioactive liquid wastes or isotopes.

(h) any waters or liquid wastes having a PH in excess of

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(I) materials which exert or cause.

(1) unusual concentrations of inert suspended solids (such as, but not limited to, Fullers earth, lime slurries and lime residues) or of dissolved solids (such as, but not limited to, sodium chloride and sodium sulfate).

(2) excessive discoloration (such as, but not limited to, dye wastes and vegetable tanning solutions).

(3) unusual chemical oxygen demand, or biochemical oxygen demand, or chlorine requirements in such quantities as to constitute a significant load on the liquid wastewater treatment works.

(4) slugs or shocks constituting an unusual volume of flow or concentration of liquid wastes which will disturb the normal functioning of the wastewater treatment works.

(j) waters or liquid wastes containing substances which are not amenable to treatment or reduction by the liquid wastewater treatment works employed.

(k) any waters or liquid wastes discharge that collectively with other discharges contain concentrations of metals which cause the treated effluent discharge to exceed the values listed below:

arsenic	0.05	mg/l
barium	1.0	mg/l
boron	0.75	mg/l
cadmium	0.01	mg/l
chromium (total)	0.01	mg/l
copper	0.01	mg/l
lead	0.05	mg/l
manganese	0.1	mg/l
mercury	0.001	mg/l
molybdenum	0.01	mg/l
nickel	0.1	mg/l
selenium	0.1	mg/l
silver	0.05	mg/l
zinc	0.5	mg/l

If any waters or liquid wastes are discharged, or are proposed to be discharged said waters or liquid wastes contain the substances or possess the characteristics enumerated in this Covenant, and which in the judgment of PAA-KO Communities Sewer Cooperative, Inc., may have a deleterious effect upon the liquid wastewater facilities, or which otherwise create a hazard to life or constitute a public nuisance, the Association may:

(a) reject the liquid wastes,

(b) require pretreatment to an acceptable condition for discharge, or

® require control over the quantities and rate of discharge into the liquid wastewater treatment system.

THE ASSOCIATION SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DISCONNECT MEMBER'S SEPTIC TANK AND LINE FROM THE ASSOCIATION'S LINES AND FACILITIES IN THE EVENT THE ASSOCIATION DETERMINES THAT THE PROPERTY OWNER HAS VIOLATED ANY OF THE RULES AND REGULATIONS, ARTICLES, OR BYLAWS OF

THE ASSOCIATION OR IN THE EVENT THE PROPERTY OWNER HAS NOT PAID ITS DUES.

5. Damages.

Each member shall be responsible for damages to the Association's lines and wetlands by reason of the member's failure to abide by these Rules and Regulations.

6. Required Maintenance of System.

Members must follow operating and maintenance requirements as may be promulgated by the Association.

7. Dues.

The initial annual dues of the Association shall be paid in advance each January. Dues shall be prorated to the date of membership transfer. Dues may be adjusted annually at the sole discretion of the Association.