

ORDINANCE NO. 24

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING CROSS CONNECTIONS WITH THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM, I.E., A CONNECTION OR ARRANGEMENT OF PIPING OR APPURTENANCES THROUGH WHICH WATER OF QUESTIONABLE QUALITY, WASTES OR OTHER CONTAMINANTS CAN ENTER THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM.

Effective February 2, 1976

THE TOWNSHIP OF AU SABLE ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the Township of AuSable adopts by reference the Water Supply Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Public Health being R 325.431 to R 325.440 of the Michigan Administrative Code.

Section 2. That it shall be the duty of the Township of AuSable 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 re-inspections based upon potential health hazards involved shall be as established by the AuSable Township Water Department and as approved by the Michigan Department of Public Health.

Section 3. That the representative of AuSable Township shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply system of the Township 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 AuSable Township Water Department 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 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 as:

Section 6. That this ordinance does not supercede the State plumbing codes, but is supplementary to them.

WATER UNSAFE FOR DRINKING

Section 7. That any person or customer found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or any written order of the AuSable Township Water Department, in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$100.00 for each violation. Each day upon which a violation of the provisions of this act shall occur shall be deemed a separate and additional violation for the purpose of this ordinance.

I hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of Ordinance No. 24 duly adopted by the Township Board of the Township of AuSable, County of Iosco, Michigan, at a regular Meeting held on February 2, 1976, at which all the Members were present except \_\_\_, and that public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to Act No. 261, Public Acts of Michigan, 1968, including in the case of a special or rescheduled meeting notice by publication or posting at lest twelve hours prior to the time set for the meeting.

I further certify that Member Otto Thomas moved adoption of said ordinance and that Member Mornelva Snitchler supported said motion.

I further certify that the following Members voted for adoption of said ordinance Palmiter, Thomas, Matthews, Spencer, Snitchler and that the following Members voted against adoption of said ordinance 24.

I further certify that said ordinance has been recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Township and that such recording has been authenticated by the signatures of the Supervisor and Township Clerk.

TOWNSHIP of AuSable

Dated: Original document undated  
Estimated Date: 2/2/76

Mornelva Snitchler  
By: Mornelva Snitchler  
Its: Clerk