**Division 3. Cross Connections –**

**Amended on 3/11/19 to include Sec. 66-62**

An ordinance regulating any connection or arrangement of piping or appurtenances through which water of questionable quality, wastes, or other contaminants can enter the public water system, otherwise known as a cross connection. This ordinance is intended to supplement the Michigan Plumbing Code.

**Sec. 66-56. Penalty.** Any person or customer found guilty of violating any provision of this ordinance and/or any written order of the City of Olivet, in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable as provided in Section 1-13 of this Code.

**Sec. 66-57. Rules Adopted.** The City of Olivet adopts and incorporates by reference the Water Supply Cross Connection Rules of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. Michigan Administrative Code R 325.11401 - R 325.11407.

**Section. 66-58. Inspections.** The City of Olivet shall conduct inspections of all properties served by the public water supply where cross connections with the public water supply are deemed possible. The City of Olivet shall establish the frequency of inspections and reinspections concerning potential health hazards, subject to the approval of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.

**Section 66-59. Right to Enter Property.** A representative of the City of Olivet shall have the right to enter any property served by a connection to the public water supply system at any reasonable time for the purpose of inspecting the piping system(s) thereof for cross connections. Upon request of the representative of the City of Olivet, the owner, lessees, or occupants of any property served by a cross connection with the public water supply shall provide to the inspection agency any pertinent information regarding the piping system(s) on such property. Failure to provide such information or refusal of access shall be deemed evidence of the presence of a cross connection.

**Sec. 66-60.** **Discontinuance of Water; Notice.** Upon reasonable notice to the owner, lessee, or occupant of any property served by a cross connection that is in violation of this ordinance, the City of Olivet shall discontinue water service and 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.

**Sec. 66-61.** **Protection of Potable Water; Contamination.** The potable water supply made available on the properties served by the public water supply shall be protected from possible contamination as specified by the Michigan Plumbing Code. Any water outlet which could be used for potable or domestic purposes that is not supplied by the potable system must be labeled in a conspicuous manner as:

**WATER UNSAFE FOR DRINKING**

**Sec. 66-62. Testing.** All back flow prevention assemblies shall be tested upon installation or relocation, and after any repair. Subsequent testing of devices shall be conducted at a time specified by the City of Olivet and in accordance with Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Requirements.