

**BLUE LAKE SPRINGS MUTUAL WATER COMPANY**  
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**RULES AND REGULATIONS for NEW CONNECTIONS**

Effective: May 14, 2022

**APPLICATION FOR SERVICE:**

Prior to any use of water, an Application for Service must be made with this office. **NO TEMPORARY WATER CONNECTIONS WILL BE PERMITTED!**

**SERVICE CONNECTION:**

A fee for the service connection and installation shall be paid with the application per fee schedule in effect at the time of application. No service connection will be made until plans have been approved.

**FEE:**

\$8,574 service connection and installation fee; includes construction water.

**EXCESS WATER USE: (sprinkler system, drip systems, soaker hoses, spas, mister, spikes, etc.)**

Plans must be submitted and comply with the Rules and Regulations of the Blue Lake Springs Mutual Water Company relating to cross-connections.

**SERVICE PIPE:**

All service pipe, furnished and installed by the plumber, shall comply with the following Calaveras County requirements and it shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, to a depth of no less than 12 inches. The service pipe shall not be installed in or over the leach field or the septic tank. All service line materials and fittings must be NSF approved.

- a. Copper, type "K" or "L"
- b. PVC commercial standard C.S. 256-63, Schedule 40
- c. PEX, PEP

All service pipes shall be covered and have a shut off valve installed at the cabin or in the homeowner's water box located in front of BLSMWC's meter box before a connection can be made.

**PRESSURE REDUCING VALVE:**

The service shall be equipped by the owner with a pressure regulator. The regulator shall be installed, owned, and maintained by the owner and at owner's expense. The regulator shall be on the owner's side of the service. Blue Lake Springs Mutual Water Company shall not be liable for any damage arising from high or low water pressure.

**RELIEF VALVE:**

A check valve will be installed by the water company at the service box to insure against back siphoning. Temperature and pressure relief valves are required on all closed water heating systems.

**SEPTIC SYSTEMS:**

The septic tank or leach field shall not be installed closer than 10 feet from any existing water main. (Article 5, Section 64630, California Health and Safety Code)