



Interoffice Memorandum

May 8, 2017

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs
and Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Raymond E. Hanson, P. E., Director
Utilities Department

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**SUBJECT: BCC AGENDA ITEM – Discussion Agenda
May 23, 2017 BCC Meeting
Cross Connection Control
Contact Person: Todd P. Swingle, Deputy Director
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All Community Water Systems in Florida are required to establish and implement a Cross Connection Control and Backflow Prevention Program as specified by Florida Administrative Code 62-555 and 62-610. The purpose of the program is to protect the potable water system from possible contamination by other water sources at the customer's point of connection. Orange County Utilities first developed its Cross Connection Control and Backflow Prevention Manual in 2001. Since inception of the program, updates of the regulatory requirements have also occurred and require periodic review and update of Orange County's program.

Utilities staff will outline Orange County's current program requirements, implementation status, and proposed modifications to the residential portion of the program providing for Orange County ownership, testing and maintenance of backflow prevention devices.

Action Requested: Approval to update Orange County Utilities Cross Connection Control Program to provide for County ownership, testing and maintenance of residential backflow prevention devices.

All Districts.