

**NORTH MARIN WATER DISTRICT
REGULATION 10
PRIVATELY OWNED FACILITIES**

a. Installation and Maintenance

The consumer shall, at his risk, furnish, install, maintain, repair and retain ownership and control over the pipes and water receiving equipment leading from the outlet of the District's water meter, provided, however, that if the consumer's pipes or equipment causes damage, nuisance or inconvenience to the District or its other consumers, the District shall have the right to compel the owner or user of such pipes or equipment to adjust, repair or replace the same or to discontinue use of water from the District.

b. Non-responsibility of District

The District shall not be responsible for any loss or damage caused by the negligent or wrongful act or omission of a consumer or any of his tenants, agents, employees, contractors, licensees, or permittees in installing, maintaining, using, operating or interfering with any water receiving equipment. The District shall not be responsible for damage caused by faucets, valves and other equipment which may be open at any time that water is turned on at the meter.

c. Connection to Meters

The consumer shall be responsible for connecting his pipeline to the District's meters. However, except for private fire protection services, the District will make the necessary connection if the consumer's pipeline is properly placed before the meter is installed.

d. Pressure Devices

Where it is desired to reduce or increase the pressure under which water is supplied by the District, the consumer shall be responsible for installing and maintaining the necessary regulators, pumps, or relief valves. In such cases, the equipment shall be installed on the consumer's side of the meter and at his own risk and expense.

e. Ground Wire Attachments

The District is not responsible for providing an electrical ground through water service equipment. Accordingly, consumers are cautioned not to attach any ground wiring to plumbing which is or may be connected to District service equipment. The District may hold the consumer liable for any injury to its personnel resulting from a ground wire attachment.