



# **SANITARY DISTRICT No.1**

**TOWN OF WILSON, SHEBOYGAN COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

As of January 1, 2015 the Sanitary District No. 1 of the Town of Wilson is requiring all new construction to have a backwater valve installed on the building drain per Section 4.03 of the Sanitary District Ordinances.

## 4.03 Backflow Preventers

In this section, “sanitary building drain” means horizontal piping within or under a building, installed below the lowest fixture or the lowest floor level from which fixtures can drain by gravity to the building sanitary sewer. All new residential, commercial and industrial buildings shall have backflow prevention valves installed on all sanitary building drains at the owner’s expense, except as provided below. A property owner may apply in writing to the plumbing inspector for an exception to the provisions of this section. The application must include evidence of the elevation of both the sanitary building drain and the nearest manhole to which the sanitary building drain is or will be connected. The plumbing inspector may approve the exception if the elevation of the sanitary building drain is at least two feet higher than the elevation of the nearest manhole to which the sanitary building drain is or will be connected.

If you have any questions please call the Sanitary District inspector, Larry Hilbelink, at 946-0252.