#### PSC No. 5 - WATER

### COMPANY: NEW YORK AMERICAN WATER COMPANY, INC.

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### IX. LAWN SPRINKLER SERVICES – RULES AND REGULATIONS

See Section II, Definitions, beginning at Leaf No. 6 for the definition of terms used in this section.

# A. Applicable to Lawn Sprinkler Systems supplied by an existing service line installed prior to March 15, 1947 which supplies both lawn sprinkler systems and general service (one service line – two meters).

- 1. Service Classification No. 4 Season starts May 1 and ends November 1, annually.
- 2. The service under this classification is available exclusively for the purpose of supplying water for underground lawn sprinkler systems which are supplied from the existing service line which also furnishes the general supply.
- 3. The customer may install and maintain a meter box or pit of substantial construction or provide an accessible location within the foundation of the building, at a location to be approved by the Company.
  - 3.1. The customer shall provide the necessary piping for the connection of the water meter.
  - 3.2. The customer shall furnish and install one lock stop shut off, an approved double check valve (DCV), or reduced pressure zone (RPZ) device and three resilient seat type valves in accordance with the layout furnished by the Company filed with the Public Service Commission of the State of New York in this Section IX, Subsection E. The DCV or RPZ device shall be installed in accordance with New York State Health Department Guidelines regarding cross connection control, and as described under Section VII, Subsection J.
- 4. The Company does not guarantee that the existing service line is adequate to furnish both general and sprinkler service. The Company will not be obligated to replace the existing service line if it is found inadequate.
- 5. The Company shall not be obligated to increase the size of the meter to meet the combined seasonal and domestic demand. Meters shall be sized for domestic demand only.

# B. Applicable to Lawn Sprinkler Systems supplied by a separate service line installed on or after March 15, 1947 which supplies only the lawn sprinkler system (two service lines – two meters).

- 1. Service Classification No. 4 Season starts May 1 and ends November 1, annually.
- 2. The service under this classification is available exclusively for the purpose of supplying water for permanent underground lawn sprinkling systems installed in or under the customers' lawns, such sprinkler systems to have attached jets or sprinkler heads which will sprinkle the lawn on a customer's premises when valves under the control of the customer are opened.
  - 2.1. A separate service pipe will be installed to service applicants under this classification.
  - 2.2. No cross-connections will be permitted between the lawn sprinkling system and any service line or pipes supplying water for other purposes.

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