

**15.08 CLEAR WATERS.** (1) DISCHARGE. No person shall cause, allow or permit any roof drain, surface drain, sub-soil drain, drain from any mechanical device, gutter, ditch, pipe, conduit, sump pump, or any other object or thing used for the purposes of collecting, conducting, transporting, diverting, draining or discharging clear water from any part of any private premises owned or occupied by said person to discharge into a sanitary sewer.

(2) NUISANCE. The discharge into a sanitary sewer from any drain enumerated in sub. (1) above is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and a hazard to the health, safety and well-being of the residents of the Village and to the protection of property.

(3) GROUND WATER. Where deemed necessary by the Plumbing Inspector, every dwelling shall have a sump pump installed for the purpose of discharging clear waters from foundation drains and ground infiltration and, where the building is not serviced by a storm sewer, shall either discharge into an underground conduit leading to a drainage ditch, gutter or dry well, or shall discharge onto the ground surface in such other manner as will not constitute a nuisance as defined herein. All clear water shall be discharged to the rear of the lot unless the Building Inspector approves another location.

(4) CATCH BASINS AND RECEPTACLES. See Wis. Adm. Code COMM 82.36.

(5) STORM SEWER LATERAL. Where municipal storm sewers are provided and it is deemed necessary by the property owner and/or the Village to discharge clear waters from a parcel of land, a storm sewer lateral shall be installed and connected to the storm sewer main at the expense of the owner.

(6) CONDUCTING TESTS. If the Director of Public Works or his designated agent suspects an illegal clear water discharge, as defined by this chapter or by any other applicable provision of the Wisconsin Administrative Code as it may from time to time be amended, he may, upon reasonable notice and at reasonable times, enter the private premises where such illegal clear water discharge is suspected and conduct appropriate tests to determine whether such suspected illegal ,clear water discharge actually exists.

(7) COMPLIANCE AND PENALTY. Any person determined to be in violation of any provision of this section shall be given a writ- ten notice stating the nature of such violation and providing a reasonable time limit for the satisfactory correction thereof. Any person who shall continue any violation beyond the foregoing time limits shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalties provided in sec. 25.04 of this Code.