

### REGIONAL DISTRICT NORTH OKANAGAN

## GREATER VERNON WATER CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL PROGRAM

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# ATTENTION CERTIFIED BACKFLOW TESTERS!! Change Is Coming on Submitting Backflow Assembly Test Reports

**Starting January 1, 2023**, a data entry fee of \$20/report will apply to all Backflow Assembly Test Reports submitted to the Regional District of North Okanagan **NOT** using the MTS Inc.'s FAST Tester mobile web application (<a href="www.fastbfp.ca">www.fastbfp.ca</a>). This fee **MUST** be paid in person at the RDNO office. Using FAST Tester is easier for the certified backflow assembly testers and more efficient and accurate for Greater Vernon Water.

The RDNO Certified Tester List, that is made available to the public, will only include those companies that submit test reports exclusively through FAST.

Submitting test reports via FAST Tester is <u>free</u> after MTS Inc.'s annual fee (currently \$25.00 for your 1<sup>st</sup> year, \$50.00 annually thereafter).

### RDNO Backflow Assembly Test Report Fees - 2023\*

Paper Form In Office \$20.00/report
Via FAST Tester Free

\*per Greater Vernon Water Rates Imposition Bylaw No. 2864, 2020

Start using FAST Tester today! - register at www.fastbfp.ca or call MTS Inc. at 250-503-0893.

#### Benefits of FAST Tester include:

- No more paper! everything is submitted digitally
- Pre-populated with backflow assembly and facility information – no need to enter every detail for annual tests already in FAST.
- Automatic Pass/Fail and buffer calculations
- Easily produce copies of the test report for your customers
- Receive email confirmation that your test report was accepted
- Have access to all municipalities that accept FAST reports



Need help with FAST Tester? Contact MTS Inc. at 250-503-0893 or support@fastbfp.ca.

Questions about Greater Vernon Water's Cross Connection Control Program? Visit <a href="https://www.rdno.ca/ccc">www.rdno.ca/ccc</a> or contact us at 250-550-3654 or <a href="mailto:ccc@rdno.ca">ccc@rdno.ca</a>.



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## **Steps for Submitting Backflow Assembly Test Reports**

### **FAST Tester**

- 1. Select "Regional District of North Okanagan" as the Water Purveyor.
- 2. Search the Serial number. Information for existing assemblies will automatically fill in or you can enter information for new assemblies.
- 3. Enter your test results and hit "Submit".
- 4. Done! You will receive a confirmation email when your test report has been accepted.

#### In Office

- 1. Payment MUST be made in Person. Bring your completed test reports into our office or the address for each test report being submitted.
- 2. Pay the fee for <u>each</u> test report. Payment can only be collected in office AND with the address of each test report to be filed. We accept cash, debit, cheque, or credit. Additional fees apply for credit card payments.
- 3. Your test report will be processed by our staff and you will be notified if any further information is required.
- 4. Electronic copies may be emailed <u>after</u> in-person payment is received WITH confirmation of payment attached.

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