



NOTES:

- 1. ALL PIPES TO BE GALVANIZED STEEL OR DUCTILE IRON. COPPER PIPE MAY BE USED ONLY WITH A BRASS RP VALVE.
- 2. ONE ADJUSTABLE SUPPORT REQUIRED FOR 2 1/2"-4" RP VALVES. SUPPORT UNDER CENTER FLANGE OF RP VALVE OR INSIDE FLANGE OF GATE VALVE.
- 3. TWO ADJUSTABLE SUPPORTS REQUIRED FOR RP VALVES 6" OR LARGER. POSITION SUPPORTS BENEATH INSIDE FLANGE OF GATE VALVES PER MANUFACTURE'S SPECIFICATIONS.
- FREEZE AND VANDALISM PROTECTION MAY BE REQUIRED.
- ALL RP ASSEMBLIES MUST BE APPROVED BY CA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH. NO TAPS TEES OR CONNECTIONS PERMITTED BETWEEN WATER METER AND BACKFLOW ASSEMBLY.
- 6. R.P VALVE MUST BE ACCESSIBLE FOR TESTING AND INSTALLED NEAR PROPERTY LINE AND DOWNSTREAM FROM THE WATER METER.
- RELIEF VALVE MUST FACE AWAY FROM BUILDING WALLS AND OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS.
- 8. PROVIDE POSITIVE DRAINAGE TO STREET AND TO EXTERIOR OF BUILDING. WHEN INSTALLED INDOORS.
- ALL BACKFLOW PREVENTERS MUST BE TESTED BY A CERTIFIED TESTER APPROVED BY THE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT. RESULTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO ENGINEERING FOR FINAL ACCEPTANCE.
- 10. ASSEMBLY SHALL BE THE SAME SIZE AS THE WATER SUPPLY LINE.
- 11. PRESSURE LOSS THROUGH THE RP ASSEMBLY MUST BE INCLUDED IN PRESSURE LOSS CALCULATIONS FOR SIZING OF THE WATER SYSTEM.
- 12. INSTALL A MINIMUM OF ONE UNION IN THE PIPING SYSTEM RISER WITHIN 12 INCHES OF THE ASSEMBLY - 34" THRU 2" SIZES.

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