



# BELLINGHAM FIRE DEPARTMENT

Life Safety Division  
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## PRIVATE FIRE HYDRANTS AND WATER SUPPLY CONFIDENCE TESTING REPORT

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF HYDRANTS ON SYSTEM: \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER TESTED: \_\_\_\_\_

*Prior to conducting water flow tests, notify the Department of Public Works Water Department (778-7700)*

	YES	NO
1. Underground shut off valves fully operated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Underground valves returned to full open position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. All vegetation, landscaping and other obstructions are at least three feet away from hydrants.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. All threaded protective caps are easily removed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. All threaded connections are undamaged.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. All threaded connections are lubricated with graphite powder.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Operating stem nuts are not damaged or stripped.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Hydrants flushed at full capacity until flowing water is clear.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. When closed, hydrants drain properly.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. All private hydrants painted International Traffic Yellow or equal.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

***If a hydrant must be taken out of service, notify Public Works and the Fire Department***

PROBLEMS FOUND: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

CORRECTIONS MADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### CERTIFICATION

This is to certify the hydrants on this report have been properly tested and inspected for reliability to cover the items in this report and all corrections have been made.

Signature of Tester: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ State Lic. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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