



Eagle River Water & Sanitation District's Backflow Tester Criteria

Eagle River Water & Sanitation District (ERW&SD) would like to invite qualified people to be a part of our **Approved Tester List**. This list will be mailed out to all consumers who have a regulated device. The consumer will be instructed that annual test forms will only be accepted from the testers included on our list.

The goal of establishing an Approved Tester List is to ensure that our consumers have a list of qualified tester's to choose from. Below is the criteria that must be met in order to be on ERW&SD's Approved Tester List. In addition, future failure of a tester to meet these criteria justifies his/her removal from the list.

ERW&SD's Testers List Criteria

1. The tester must be currently certified by an agency that is approved by the State of Colorado. Also, the tester must have on file a copy of his/her certification at the Backflow Prevention Office at ERW&SD.
2. All test kits must be certified and calibrated to the National Institute of Standards and Technology and meet the current standards outlined in ASME/ANSI B40.01. All certifications of kits used must be current and on file at the Backflow Prevention Office at ERW&SD.
3. Tester must always submit legible, complete, accurate, and signed reports.
4. All submitted test reports must be filled out on approved ERW&SD's Backflow Prevention Device Test & Maintenance Report forms (located at www.erwsd.org/backflow.htm)
5. All test forms must be submitted with ERW&SD's Notice of Annual Testing. This form will have information regarding the device (e.g., account number, serial number of device, meter number, etc.) that must be included on the test form. If any of this information is found to be in error by the tester (e.g., device serial number) it is expected of the tester to correct and fill out the information on the Notice of Annual Testing before submitting it with the Backflow Prevention Device Test & Maintenance Report form.