TOWN OF SUSSEX POLICY

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The storm sewer service connection from a private property to the Town's storm sewer system is what is termed as a courtesy connection. That is, the Town as a courtesy accepts water from perimeter and cellar drains for conveyance to its storm system. There is no compulsion to connect and the Town takes no responsibility for damages resulting from the connection.

The construction and maintenance of the storm sewer service connection, that is, from the storm sewer main line to a building, is the sole responsibility of the property owner. Any work carried out on a Town right-of-way or a Town easement must be done or inspected by Town forces at the expense of the property owner.

All lands and improvements, if disturbed during the construction of a storm sewer connection from a private property, are to be reinstated at the expense of the property owner and all work shall be to the satisfaction of the Town of Sussex.

Any storm sewer connection determined to be contributing any materials other than storm sewer run off to the Town's storm sewer system may be disconnected and the property owner will be responsible for all costs associated with environmental clean-up if required.