



<b>Policy Number:</b>	<b>6000</b>
<b>Policy Title:</b>	<b>Standard Specifications</b>

1. In order to provide a uniform and consistent method of regulating and guiding the design and preparation of plans for construction of water facilities; and, of insuring proper installation of all private works involving water facilities, Standard Specifications, including Design Details, shall be maintained by the District.
2. The purpose of the Standard Specifications is to provide standards to be applied to water facilities improvements and private works to be dedicated to the public and accepted by the District for operation and maintenance. This is necessary in order to provide for coordinated development of required facilities to be used by the public.
3. It is recognized that it is not humanly possible to anticipate all situations that may arise or to prescribe standards applicable to every situation. Therefore, any items or situations not included in the Standard Specifications shall be designed and/or constructed in accordance with accepted engineering practice and as required or approved by the General Manager of the District.
4. Where applicable, proposed changes in the Standard Specifications shall conform to the American Water Works Association and other water industry standards. Proposed changes shall be presented to the Board of Directors for their review and consideration. If the proposed change(s) is approved by the Board, staff shall incorporate said change(s) in the originals of said Standard Specifications, and shall annotate the date of said revision approval upon the documents.
5. Copies of the current Standard Specifications shall be available at the District office and shall be available to interested parties upon request and payment as set by the Board of Directors.