1 2	(Published in the Topeka Metro News on September 14, 2020)
3	ORDINANCE NO. 20257
4 5 6 7 8	AN ORDINANCE introduced by City Manager Brent Trout adopting the 2018 Uniform Plumbing Code, amending Chapter 14.35, Sections 13.10.280, 13.20.130 and 5.63.030 of the Topeka Municipal Code
9	BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS:
10	Section 1. That section 13.10.280, Repair and responsibilities of property
11	owner and City, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read
12	as follows:
13	Repair and responsibilities of property owner and City.
14	(a) The customer water service line shall be the responsibility of the property
15	owner and shall be constructed, maintained, repaired or replaced at the sole cost of the
16	property owner. All installation or repair work shall be done as required by the currently
17	adopted plumbing code and other appropriate ordinances.
18	(b) All customer water service lines which are not located on public property,
19	public right-of-way or easement shall be the responsibility of the property owner and
20	shall be repaired or replaced at the sole cost of the property owner. All installation or
21	repair work shall be done as required by the currently adopted plumbing code and other
22	appropriate ordinances.
23	(c) Any contractor licensed to install city utilities, including a plumbing
24	contractor, may install or repair a water main, city water service line, or customer water
25	line, servicing an industrial or commercial development project that has been designed
26	by a licensed engineer. The contractor shall ensure that all connection and service lines
27	are tested up to the cap outside each building.
28	(ed) Property owner shall be responsible for any expenses incurred by the

29	Water Division for the repair to the customer water service line, including, but not limited
30	to, any materials, equipment, service, or labor, including the repair to public property,
31	streets, alleys or other public utilities caused by the property owner's negligent or
32	intentional actions.

(de) All City water service lines shall be the responsibility of the Water Division and shall be repaired only by the Water Division.

<u>Section 2</u>. That section 13.20.130, Permit -- Required, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Permit – Required.

- (a) No sewer or drain of any kind shall be connected with the sewers constructed under authority of the City within any of the main sewer districts or sewer subdistricts of the City, except by written permission of the City Engineer and by compliance with all the rules, regulations and specifications provided for the proper construction and maintenance of such sewers or drains.
- (b) Any person owning property within the City limits, which property is not within any lateral sanitary sewer district theretofore created, desiring to make connection to the sanitary sewage system, shall make application for a permit to the Utilities Department.
- (c) Any contractor licensed to install city utilities, including a plumbing contractor, may install or repair any sewer line servicing an industrial or commercial development project that has been designed by a licensed engineer. The contractor shall ensure that all connection and service lines are tested up to the cap outside each building.
 - Section 3. That section 14.35.010, Uniform Plumbing Code Adopted, of The

54	Uniform Plumbing Code – Adopted.
55	(a) The 2018 Uniform Plumbing Code, 2012 Edition, is hereby adopted by
56	reference and made part of the code for the city. The 20122018 Uniform Plumbing Code
57	Illustrated Training Manual and the 20122018 Uniform Plumbing Code Answers and
58	Analysis Manual as published by the International Association of Plumbing and
59	Mechanical Officials may be considered and applied by the authority having jurisdiction
60	to the extent necessary in the authority's sole discretion to implement and enforce this
61	code.
62	(b) The following appendices are hereby adopted:
63	Appendix A – Recommended Rules for Sizing the Water Supply System.
64	Appendix B – Explanatory Notes on Combination Waste and Vent Systems.
65	Appendix C – Alternate Plumbing Systems.
66	Appendix D – Sizing Stormwater Drainage Systems.
67	Appendix E – Manufactured/Mobile Home Parks and Recreational Vehicle Parks.
68	Appendix G – Sizing of Venting Systems Serving Appliances Equipped with Draft
69	Hoods, Category 1 Appliances, and Appliances Listed for Use With Type B
70	Vents.
71	Appendix H – Private Sewage Disposal Systems.
72	Appendix I – Installation Standards for PEX Tubing Systems for Hot- and Cold-
73	Water Distribution and the Installation Standards for Trenchless Insertion of
74	Polyethylene (PE) Pipe for Sewer Laterals set forth in TMC 14.35.440.
75	Appendix J - Combination of Indoor and Outdoor Combustion and Ventilation
76	Opening Design.

Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

77	Appendix K – Potable Rainwater Catchment Systems.
78	Appendix L - Sustainable Practices (with prior approval by the city of Topeka
79	plumbing board appeals).
80	Appendix M – Peak Water Demand Calculator.
81	Section 4. That section 14.35.020, Authority having jurisdiction designated, of
82	The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:
83	Authority having jurisdiction designated.
84	Whenever the term "authority having jurisdiction" is used in the code, it shall be
85	construed to mean the development services division director or his or her designee.
86	Section 5. That section 14.35.030, Uniform Plumbing Code – Copies on file in
87	clerk's office, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as
88	follows:
89	Uniform Plumbing Code – Copies on file in clerk's office.
90	At least one copy of the Uniform Plumbing Code as adopted shall be on file with
91	the city clerk to be available for inspection by the public at all reasonable business
92	hours. The administrative departments of the city charged with the duty of enforcement
93	of this chapter shall be supplied, at the cost of the city, such a number of copies of the
94	code as may be deemed necessary by the respective department heads.
95	Section 6. That section 14.35.050 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
96	is hereby amended to read as follows:
97	101.11.5 <u>102.7</u> , Moved Buildings.
98	Section 101.11.5102.7, Moved Buildings, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
99	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

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Plumbing systems that are part of buildings or structures moved into this

101	jurisdiction shall comply with the provisions of Chapter 8.60 TMC and Section
102	103.5.5.2105.2 of the 20122018 Uniform Plumbing Code.
103	Section 7. That section 14.35.060 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
104	is hereby amended to read as follows:
105	102.1103.1, Authority Having Jurisdiction.
106	102.1103.1, Authority Having Jurisdiction, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
107	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
108	The Authority Having Jurisdiction shall be the Authority duly appointed to enforce
109	this code. The Authority Having Jurisdiction shall have the power to render
110	interpretations of this code and to adopt and enforce rules and regulations
111	supplemental to this code as deemed necessary in order to clarify the application
112	of the provisions of this code. Such interpretations, rules, and regulations shall
113	comply with the intent and purpose of this code.
114	In accordance with the prescribed procedures and with the approval of the
115	appointing authority, the Authority Having Jurisdiction shall be permitted to
116	appoint such number of technical officers, inspectors and other employees as
117	shall be authorized from time to time. The Authority Having Jurisdiction shall be
118	permitted to deputize such inspectors or employees as necessary to carry out the
119	functions of the code enforcement agency.
120	Section 8. That section 14.35.065 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
121	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.090 and amended to read as follows:
122	102.3 <u>107.0,</u> Board of Appeals.
123	102.3107.0, Board of Appeals, including subsections 102.3.1107.1 and 107.2, is

hereby deleted in its entirety.

125	Section 9. That section 14.35.070 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
126	is hereby amended to read as follows:
127	103.1.1 <u>104.2</u> , Exempt Work.
128	103.1.1104.2, Exempt Work, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following
129	provisions shall be substituted therefor:
130	A permit shall not be required for the following:
131	(1) The stopping of leaks, in drains, soil, waste, or vent pipe, provided that a
132	trap, drainpipe, soil, wastes, or vent pipe become defective and it becomes
133	necessary to remove and replace the same with new material, the same shall be
134	considered as new work and permit shall be procured and inspection made as
135	provided in this code. Replacement of fixture fittings and/or faucets, tubular
136	traps, continuous wastes and tailpieces shall not require a permit.
137	(2) The clearing of stoppages, including the removal and reinstallation of
138	water closets, or the repairing of leaks in pipes, valves, or fixtures, provided
139	such repairs do not involve or require the replacement or rearrangement of
140	valves, pipes or fixtures.
141	Exemption from the permit requirements of this code shall not be deemed to
142	grant authorization for work to be done in violation of the provisions of the code
143	or other laws or ordinances of this jurisdiction.
144	Section 10. That section 14.35.075 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
145	is hereby repealed.
146	103.1.2.1, Permits and Licensing – Water Softener Installations.
147	103.1.2.1, Permits and Licensing Water Softener Installations, is hereby
148	created by the addition of the following provisions:

149	Individuals licensed under TMC 5.63.080 working in the water
150	softening/conditioning trade shall be allowed to install water softening/conditioning
151	appliances and connect them to the potable water supply lines. The licensed individual
152	may install up to ten (10) feet of pipe horizontally for each connection plus the licensed
153	individual may install pipe in a vertical drop to the appliance. Piping from the water
154	softening/conditioning appliance to any fixture shall be done by a licensed plumbing
155	contractor.
156	Section 11. That section 14.35.080 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
157	is hereby amended to read as follows:
158	103.4 <u>104.5</u> , Fees.
159	103.4104.5, Fees, including subsections 103.4.1, 103.4.2, 103.4.3,
160	103.4.4104.5.1, 104.5.2, 104.5.3 and Table 103.4104.5, is hereby deleted in its entirety.
161	Section 12. That section 14.35.090 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
162	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.100 and amended to read as follows:
163	Definitions.
164	Chapter 2, Definitions, 204.0, Bathroom Group, is hereby deleted in its entirety
165	and the following definition shall be substituted therefor:
166	Bathroom Group. Any combination of fixtures, not to exceed one water closet,
167	two lavatories, either one bathtub, or one combination bath/shower, and/or one
168	shower, and may include a bidet and an emergency floor drain.
169	Chapter 2, Definitions, 206.0, is hereby amended by the addition of the following
170	definition:
171	Dry Vent. A vent that does not receive the discharge of any sewage or waste.

Section 13. That section 14.35.100, 312.12.3 TUB WASTE OPENINGS of The

173	Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.110.
174	Section 14. That section 14.35.110, 314.4 EXCAVATIONS, of The Code of the
175	City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.120.
176	Section 15. That section 14.35.120 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
177	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.300 and amended to read as follows:
178	705.7.2 <u>705.6.2</u> , Solvent Cement Joints.
179	705.7.2705.6.2, Solvent Cement Joints, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
180	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
181	Plastic pipe and fittings designed to be joined by solvent cementing shall comply
182	with appropriate IAPMO Installation Standards.
183	Solvent cement joints for PVC pipe and fittings shall be clean from dirt and
184	moisture. Pipe shall be cut square and pipe shall be deburred. Where surfaces to be
185	joined are cleaned and free of dirt, moisture, oil, and other foreign material, apply primer
186	in accordance with ASTM F656. Primer shall be applied until the surface of the pipe and
187	fitting is softened. Solvent cements in accordance with ASTM D 2564 shall be applied to
188	all joint surfaces. Joints shall be made while both the inside socket surface and outside
189	surface of pipe are wet with solvent cement. Hold joint in place and undisturbed for 1
190	minute after assembly.
191	Exception: One step cements for non-pressure PVC, drain, waste and
192	vent piping that comply with the requirements of ASTM D2564-96(a), ASTM
193	F493-92 and ASTM F656-96(a) may be used without the use of primer.
194	Section 16. That section 14.35.130 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
195	is hereby repealed.

403.4, Metered Faucets.

197	403.4, Metered Faucets, is hereby deleted in its entirety.
198	Section 17. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
199	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.130, which said section reads as follows:
200	314.4.1 Installation of Thermoplastic Pipe and Fittings.
201	314.4.1, Installation of Thermoplastic Pipe and Fittings, is hereby deleted in its
202	entirety.
203	Section 18. That section 14.35.140 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
204	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.150 and amended to read as follows:
205	402.11402.10, Slip Joint Connections.
206	402.11402.10, Slip Joint Connections, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
207	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
208	Fixtures having concealed slip joint connections shall be provided with a framed
209	area no less than 12" x 18" to be used for access. This area may be covered with
210	wallboard, paneling or other interior wall finishes.
211	Section 19. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
212	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.140, which said section reads as follows:
213	407.4, Transient public lavatories.
214	407.4, Transient public lavatories, is hereby deleted in its entirety.
215	Section 20. That section 14.35.150, 418.6 SPECIAL PROVISIONS, of The
216	Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.180.
217	Section 21. That section 14.35.143 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
218	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.160 and amended to read as follows:
219	414.3, Drainage Connections.
220	414.3. Drainage Connections, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following

221	provisions shall be substituted thereforamended by the addition of the following
222	<u>exceptions</u> :
223	EXCEPTIONS:
224	1. Domestic dishwashers may be installed without an airgap fitting on the
225	discharge side of the dishwashing machine provided the waste hose is securely
226	fastened to the bottom side of the countertop.
227	2. Commercial dishwashing machines shallmay discharge indirectly through
228	an air gap or direction connection in accordance with Section 704.3 with floor
229	drain protection.
230	Section 22. That section 14.35.147 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
231	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.170 and amended to read as follows:
232	418.4418.3, Location of Floor Drains.
233	418.4418.3, Location of Floor Drains, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
234	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
235	Floor drains shall be installed in the following areas:
236	(1) Toilet rooms containing two or more water closets or a combination of one
237	water closet and one urinal, except in a dwelling unit.
238	(2) Commercial kitchens and in accordance with Section 704.3.
239	(3) Laundry rooms in commercial buildings and common laundry facilities in
240	multi-family dwelling buildings.
241	(4) Repair garages and/or gasoline stations where oil or flammable waste may
242	exist. Floor drains shall drain to an approved oil or flammable liquid interceptor
243	installed in accordance with Section 1017.0.
244	Section 23. That section 14.35.160 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,

245 is hereby renumbered as 14.35.190 and amended to read as follows: 246 422.1, Fixture Count. 247 422.1, Fixture Count, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions 248 shall be substituted therefor: 249 Plumbing fixtures shall be provided for the type of building occupancy and in the 250 minimum number shown in Table 2902.1 of the International Building Code, 251 20062015 Edition. 252 Section 24. That section 14.35.180 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, 253 is hereby repealed. 254 507.4, Drainage Pan. 507.4, Drainage Pan, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions 255 256 shall be substituted therefor: 257 When a water heater is located in an attic, attic-ceiling assembly, floor-ceiling 258 assembly, or floor-subfloor assembly where damage may result from a leaking 259 water heater, a watertight pan of plastic or non-corrosive materials having a 260 minimum size of twenty-four (24) inches square or twenty-four (24) inches in 261 diameter with a minimum two (2) inch lip shall be installed beneath the water 262 heater with a minimum three-quarter (3/4) inch (20 mm) diameter drain to an 263 approved location. 264 Section 25. That section 14.35.170, TABLE 422.1 MINIMUM PLUMBING 265 FACILITIES, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.200. 266 267 <u>Section 26</u>. That section 14.35.190 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,

is hereby repealed.

507.5, Relief Valve Discharge.

507.5, Relief Valve Discharge, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

Discharge from a relief valve into a water heater pan shall be prohibited. Provided, however, relief valves on water heaters in multiple story residential units, each having an individual tank, may discharge into a water heater pan if the pan is provided with a full two (2) inch vented floor drain, is connected to the building drain and vent system, and provisions are made to ensure that the trap is properly primed. Water heater relief valves on water heaters installed over a crawl space may discharge into a water heater pan if the pan is provided with a full two (2) inch floor drain and that drain is extended to the exterior of the building. The relief valve may not discharge directly into the crawl space.

Section 27. That section 14.35.200 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby repealed.

603.4.3, Access and Clearance.

603.4.3, Access and Clearance, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

Access and clearance shall be provided for the required testing, maintenance, and repair. Access and clearance shall require a minimum of one (1) foot (305 mm) between the lowest portion of the assembly and grade, floor, or platform. Installations elevated more than five (5) feet (1524 mm) above the floor or grade shall be provided with a permanent platform capable of supporting a tester or maintenance person. Authority Having Jurisdiction approval is required before backflow devices are installed at an elevation of six (6) feet or more above the

293	floor or grade.
294	Section 28. That section 14.35.220 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
295	is hereby amended to read as follows:
296	603.5.18603.5.17, Potable Water Outlets and Valves.
297	603.5.18603.5.17, Potable Water Outlets and Valves, is hereby deleted in its
298	entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
299	Potable water outlets, freeze-proof yard hydrants, combination stop and waste
300	valves, or other fixtures that incorporate a stop and waste feature that drains into
301	the ground shall not be installed underground. Freezeless yard hydrants, meeting
302	the requirements of ASSE 1057 (Freeze resistant Sanitary Yard Hydrants with
303	Backflow Protection) shall be approved for use within the city limits of Topeka.
304	These devices are to supply potable water without danger of damage to the
305	hydrant due to freezing, to provide protection of the potable water supply from
306	contamination due to ground water, and to prevent potential backflow by means
307	of back siphonage with the installation of an approved atmospheric vacuum
308	breaker meeting the requirements of ASSE 1052 (Performance Requirements for
309	Hose Connection Backflow Preventers).
310	Section 29. That section 14.35.230, TABLE 610.3, of The Code of the City of
311	Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.280.
312	Section 30. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
313	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.230, which said section reads as follows:
314	605.0 JOINTS AND CONNECTIONS; 605.05 Generally.
315	605.05, Generally, is hereby created under "Joints and Connections" and shall

read as follows:

317	All fittings that comply with ASSE 1061 shall not be used underground.
318	Section 31. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
319	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.260, which said section reads as follows:
320	608.5, Discharge Piping, subsection (7).
321	608.5, Discharge Piping, subsection (7), is hereby deleted in its entirety and the
322	following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
323	Discharge from a relief valve into a water heater pan shall be prohibited.
324	Provided, however, relief valves on water heaters in multiple story residential
325	units, each having an individual tank, may discharge into a water heater pan if
326	the pan is provided with a full two (2) inch vented floor drain, is connected to the
327	building drain and vent system, and provisions are made to ensure that the trap
328	is properly primed. Water heater relief valves on water heaters installed over a
329	crawl space may discharge into a water heater pan if the pan is provided with a
330	full two (2) inch floor drain and that drain is extended to the exterior of the
331	building. The relief valve may not discharge directly into the crawl space.
332	Section 32. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
333	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.270, which said section reads as follows:
334	609.11.2, Pipe Installation Wall Thickness.
335	609.11.2, Pipe Installation Wall Thickness, is hereby deleted in its entirety and
336	the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
337	Hot water pipe insulation shall have a minimum wall thickness of not less than 1
338	inch (25 mm) for a pipe ½ inch (13 mm) up to 1 ¼ inch (32 mm) in diameter.
339	Insulation wall thickness shall not be less than 1 ½ inches (37 mm) for a pipe of 2
340	inches (51 mm) or more in diameter, this can be reduced to 1 inch (25 mm) if

341	piping is located within a partition within a conditioned space.
342	Section 33. That section 14.35.280, 610.8, SIZE OF METER AND BUILDING
343	SUPPLY PIPE, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as
344	14.35.290.
345	Section 34. That section 14.35.290 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
346	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.310 and amended to read as follows:
347	705.9.1.1 705.8.1.1, ETCO "T" Cone and Couple Adapters.
348	705.9.1.1705.8.1.1, ETCO "T" Cone and Couple Adapters, is hereby created by
349	the addition of the following provisions:
350	The use of this type of clay tile to plastic adapter is limited to sanitary sewer
351	installations and may only be used for the connection of the building sewer to the
352	clay tile sewer main wye or tap. The joint and connecting pipe shall be installed
353	at no more than twenty-two (22) degrees from the horizontal and shall be laid on
354	undisturbed ground or a firm bed of one-quarter (1/4) inch crushed rock or similar
355	material. The crushed rock shall be no less than one-quarter (1/4) inch nor
356	greater than three-quarter (3/4) inch.
357	Section 35. That section 14.35.300, 707.4 LOCATION, of The Code of the City
358	of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.320.
359	Section 36. That section 14.35.310, 710.1, BACKFLOW PROTECTION of The
360	Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.330.
361	Section 37. That section 14.35.320, 712.2 WATER TEST, of The Code of the
362	City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.340.
363	Section 38. That section 14.35.330 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
364	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.350 and amended to read as follows:

723.0723.1, Building Sewer Test, General.

723.0723.1, Building Sewer Test, <u>General</u>, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

Building sewers shall be tested if in the opinion of the Authority Having Jurisdiction the building sewer is deteriorated, damaged or may not be watertight due to improper installation. If required, testing shall be done by plugging the end of the building sewer at its points of connection with the public sewer or private sewage disposal system and completely filling the building sewer with water from the lowest to the highest point thereof, or by approved equivalent low-pressure air test. The building sewer shall be watertight at all points.

<u>Section 39</u>. That section 14.35.360 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby repealed.

908.2, Horizontal Wet Venting for a Bathroom Group.

908.2, including 908.2.1 and 908.2.2, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

908.2.1 Where Permitted. A bathroom group located on the same floor level, in a residential application, shall be permitted to be vented by a horizontal wet vent if all of the following conditions are met.

908.2.1.1 Vent Connection. The dry vent connection to the wet vent shall be an individual vent for the bidet, shower, or bathtub. One or two vented lavatory(s) shall be permitted to serve as a wet vent for a bathroom group. Only one (1) wet-vented fixture drain or trap arm shall discharge upstream of the dry-vented fixture drain connection. All dry vents connections to the horizontal wet vent shall be in accordance with Sections 905.2 and Section 905.3.

389	908.2.1.2 Size. The wet vent shall be sized based on the fixture unit discharge into
390	the wet vent. The wet vent shall be not less than two (2) inches (50 mm) in diameter
391	for four (4) dfu or less, and not less than three (3) inches (80 mm) in diameter for five
392	(5) dfu or more. The dry vent shall be sized in accordance with Tables 7-3 and 7-5
393	based on the total fixtures units discharging into the wet vent.
394	908.2.1.3 Trap Arm. The length of the trap arm shall not exceed the limits in Table
395	10-1. The trap size shall be in accordance with Section 1003.3. The vent pipe
396	opening from the horizontal wet vent, except for water closets and similar fixtures,
397	shall not be below the weir of the trap.
398	908.2.1.4 Water Closet. The water closet fixture drain or trap arm connection to the
399	wet vent shall be downstream of all fixture drain or trap arm connections to the
400	horizontal wet vent.
401	908.2.1.5 Additional Fixtures. Additional fixtures shall discharge downstream of the
402	wet vent system and be conventionally vented. Only the fixtures within the bathroom
403	group shall connect to the wet-vented horizontal branch.
404	Section 40. That section 14.35.340 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
405	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.360 and amended to read as follows:
406	807.4807.3, Domestic Dishwashing Machines.

807.4807.3, Domestic Dishwashing Machines.

807.4807.3, Domestic Dishwashing Machines, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted thereforamended by the addition of the following exception:

EXCEPTION:

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Domestic dishwashers may be installed without an air-gap fitting on the discharge side of the dishwashing machine provided the waste hose is securely

413	fastened to the bottom side of the countertop.
414	Section 41. That section 14.35.350, 905.2 HORIZONTAL DRAINAGE PIPES,
415	of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.370.
416	Section 42. That section 14.35.390 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
417	is hereby repealed.
418	1007.0, Trap Seal Protection.
419	1007.0, Trap Seal Protection, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following
420	provisions shall be substituted therefor:
421	Floor drain or similar traps directly connected to the drainage system and subject to
422	infrequent use shall be protected with a trap seal primer, except where not deemed
423	necessary for safety or sanitation by the Authority Having Jurisdiction. Trap seal
424	primers shall be accessible for maintenance. Floor drains, subject to infrequent use
425	and not protected by a trap seal primer, shall be protected by an ASSE 1072 listed
426	barrier type floor drain seal protection device.
427	Section 43. That section 14.35.400 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
428	is hereby repealed.
429	1014.1.3, Food Waste Disposal Units and Dishwashers.
430	1014.1.3, Food Waste Disposal Units and Dishwashers, is hereby deleted in its
431	entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
432	Unless specifically required or permitted by the Authority Having Jurisdiction, no
433	food waste disposal unit or dishwasher shall be connected to or discharge into a
434	hydromechanical grease interceptor. Food waste disposal units and dishwashers
435	shall be required to discharge into a gravity grease interceptor.
436	Section 44. That section 14.35.410. 1014.1.4 EXCEPTIONS, of The Code of

437	the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.390.
438	Section 45. That section 14.35.420 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
439	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.400 and amended to read as follows:
440	1101.91101.10, Filling Stations and Motor Vehicle Washing Establishments.
441	1101.91101.10, Filling Stations and Motor Vehicle Washing Establishments, is
442	hereby deleted in its entirety.
443	Section 46. That section 14.35.430 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
444	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.410 and amended to read as follows:
445	1208.5.2.3 1208.6.3.2, Copper and Brass Copper Alloy Pipe.
446	1208.5.2.31208.6.3.2, Copper and BrassCopper Alloy Pipe, is hereby deleted in
447	its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
448	Copper and brass pipe shall not be used if the gas contains more than an
449	average of 0.3 grains of hydrogen sulfide per 100 scf of gas (0.7 mg/100 L).
450	Copper or brass pipe shall only be allowed if the natural gas supplier shall
451	warrant in writing that the hydrogen sulfide content of the gas shall at all times be
452	below the aforementioned amount. Therefore copper and copper alloy pipe and
453	fittings may not be used within the city limits of Topeka. All references in the
454	20122018 Uniform Plumbing Code to copper pipe and tubing as a material
455	acceptable for gas piping as well as the brazing and sizing requirements for
456	copper are hereby repealed.
457	Section 47. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
458	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.420, which said section reads as follows:
459	1208.6.4.2, Copper and Copper Alloy Tubing.
460	1208.6.4.2, Copper and Copper Alloy Tubing, is hereby deleted in its entirety and

the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

Copper and brass tubing shall not be used if the gas contains more than an average of 0.3 grains of hydrogen sulfide per 100 scf of gas (0.7 mg/100 L). Copper or brass tubing shall only be allowed if the natural gas supplier shall warrant in writing that the hydrogen sulfide content of the gas shall at all times be below the aforementioned amount. Therefore copper and copper alloy tubing and fittings may not be used within the city limits of Topeka. All references in the 2018 Uniform Plumbing Code to copper pipe and tubing as a material acceptable for gas piping as well as the brazing and sizing requirements for copper are hereby repealed.

<u>Section 48</u>. That section 14.35.440 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby renumbered as 14.35.430 and amended to read as follows:

1208.5.8.1 <u>1208.6.11.1</u>, Pipe Joints.

1208.5.8.11208.6.11.1, Pipe Joints, is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:

Pipe joints shall be threaded, flanged, brazed, or welded, or press-connect fittings that comply with CSA LC-4. Where nonferrous pipe is brazed, the brazing materials shall have a melting point in excess of 1,000° F (538° C). Brazing alloys shall not contain more than 0.05 percent phosphorus. (NFPA 54:5.6.8.1) Welded joints on ferrous piping shall be performed by individuals licensed as journeymen in the plumbing or mechanical trade with a current certification of welding competency from a state recognized testing agency. The testing requirements for the welder's competency shall be based on the requirements of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IX.

485	Section 49. That section 14.35.450 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
486	is hereby renumbered as 14.35.440 and amended to read as follows:
487	1208.5.9.2 1208.6.12.2, Heat-Fusion Joint.
488	1208.5.9.21208.6.12.2, Heat-Fusion Joint, and Fittings is hereby deleted in its
489	entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
490	Heat-fusion joints shall be made in accordance with qualified procedures that
491	have been established and proven by test to produce gastight joints at least as
492	strong as the pipe or tubing being joined. Joints shall be made with the joining
493	method recommended by the pipe manufacturer. Heat-fusion fittings shall be
494	marked "ASTM D 2513." All joints in approved heat fusion welded plastic gas
495	piping shall be performed by individuals who are licensed as journeyman in the
496	plumbing or mechanical trade and certified to do heat fusion welding by the
497	manufacturer of the piping being installed.
498	Section 50. That The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended
499	by adding a section, to be numbered 14.35.450, which said section reads as follows:
500	Appendix I.
501	Appendix I is hereby amended by the addition of the following provisions for
502	Installation Standards for Trenchless Insertion of Polyethylene (PE) Pipe for Sewer
503	<u>Laterals:</u>
504	IAPMO IS 26-2006
505	1.0 Scope.
506	1.1 Scope.
507	This standard shall govern the Trenchless Installation of Polyethylene (PE) pipe
508	for use in sanitary and storm sewers. The installed pipe shall comply with the

509	requirements of the Uniform Plumbing Code (UPC) published by the International								
510	Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials (IAPMO) as to grade and								
511	connections to existing pipe and shall also comply with this standard.								
512	Note: The following sections of the Uniform Plumbing Code apply:								
513	103.5.6 Testing of Systems								
514	103.5.7.2 Responsibility								
515	103.5.8 Other Inspections								
516	103.5.81 Defective Systems								
517	103.6.1 Other Connection								
518	218.0 Definition of PE								
519	301.1 Minimum Standards								
520	309.0 Workmanship								
521	312.0 Protection of Piping and Materials and Structures								
522	314.0 Trenching, Excavating and Backfill								
523	Chapter 7 Sanitary Drainage								
524	701.2 Drainage Fittings								
525	705.11.3 Plastic Pipe to Other Materials								
526	2.0 PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS								
527	2.1 Minimum Standards								
528	2.1.1 Materials. Materials shall comply with the following: The polyethylene								
529	pipe used is covered by the American Society for Testing (ASTM) standards								
530	listed later in this standard. [UPC 301.1]								
531	Materials: HDPE Extra High Molecular Weight 3408 SDR 17 Pipe Socket-Type								
532	PE Fittings for Outside Diameter-Controlled Polyethylene Pipe								

533	Note: The HDPE 3408 SDR 17 pipe used in this process was selected because
534	of its ability to retain its circular shape even when bent on a 4-foot radius during
535	and after installation.
536	2.1.2 Table 1401.1 Standards.
537	ASTM D 2239
538	ASTM D 2447
539	ASTM D 2657
540	ASTM D 2683
541	ASTM D 3261
542	<u>ASTM F 714</u>
543	ASTM F 894
544	IAPMO PS 25
545	2.2 Protection of Pipe.
546	2.2.1 Storage and Handling. Pipe shall be stored in a way to protect it from
547	mechanical damage (slitting, puncturing, etc.). It shall be stored under cover to
548	keep it clean and avoid long term exposure to sunlight. Exposure to sunlight
549	during normal construction periods is not harmful.
550	2.3 Types of Joints. PE joints shall be made as follows:
551	2.3.1 Molded Rubber Coupling Joints. Molded rubber coupling joints shall be
552	installed in accordance with Appendix I of the UPC and with section 705.
553	2.3.2 Shielded Coupling Joints. Shielded coupling joints shall be installed in
554	accordance with Appendix I of the UPC and with section 705.4.2.
555	2.3.4 Hubless Cast Iron Pipe Joints. Hubless cast iron pipe joints shall be
556	installed in accordance with Appendix I of the UPC and with section 705.4.2.

557	2.3.5 Heat Fusion Joints. Heat fusion joints shall be made according to the									
558	manufacturer's procedure, installation instructions, and either ASTM D 2659 or									
559	ASTM D 3261.									
560	2.4 Trenchless Installation of sewers will be as follows:									
561	I. Preliminary Steps. Inspect the inside of the sewer line using a television									
562	camera and video tape recorder to ascertain the line condition. Mark the details									
563	revealed by the video inspection including:									
564	1. The ground surface to show the location of the lateral tie of the city wye.									
565	2. The line location with an arrow in the street pointing back at the lateral.									
566	3. The property denoting the lateral location.									
567	4. The locations of the proposed excavations.									
568	Obtain utility line identification service contact information and all applicable									
569	permits.									
570	II. Excavation. In addition to the above markings, the local utility companies									
571	will mark utilities. Considerations are soil density; clearance from obstacles,									
572	utilities, and structures; location of bends; and water service locations.									
573	Excavations and shoring shall be in accordance with jurisdictional safety									
574	requirements.									
575	III. Set Up. Fuse the proper length of polyethylene pipe in accordance with ASTM									
576	D 2657 and fuse the end to a small length that is attached to the pulling head. A									
577	rod pusher cable is pushed through the damaged host pipe and attached to the									
578	pulling cable, which is then drawn through the pipe. The clevis end of the cable is									
579	attached to the pulling head. The pulling equipment is then set up according to									
580	the manufacturer's instructions.									

581	IV. Pulling. Pull the pulling head through. Once the pull is done, complete the
582	connection to the existing piping.
583	2.5 Cleanouts. Cleanouts shall be installed in accordance with UPC Section
584	<u>707.0.</u>
585	2.6 Inspections. The completed piping shall be internally inspected by
586	television camera unless waived by the Administrative Authority. [UPC 103.5]
587	2.7 Testing. Completed piping shall be subjected to testing in accordance with
588	Section 712.0 or 723.0 of the UPC.
589	Section 51. That section 14.35.460 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
590	is hereby repealed.
591	1211.5, Appliance Shutoff Valves and Connections.
592	1211.5, Appliance Shutoff Valves and Connections, is hereby deleted in its
593	entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
594	Appliances connected to a piping system shall have an accessible, approved
595	manual shutoff valve with a nondisplaceable valve member, or a listed gas
596	convenience outlet installed within six (6) feet (1.8 m) of the appliance it serves.
597	Where a connector is used, the valve shall be installed upstream of the
598	connector. A union or flanged connection shall be provided downstream from this
599	valve to permit removal of controls.
600	Exceptions:
601	(1) Shutoff valves shall be permitted to be accessibly located inside
602	or under an appliance where such appliance is removed without
603	removal of the shutoff valve.
604	(2) Shutoff valves shall be permitted to be accessibly located inside

605	wall heaters and wall furnaces listed for recessed installation where
606	necessary maintenance is performed without removal of the shutoff
607	valve.
608	Section 52. That section 14.35.480 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
609	is hereby repealed.
610	Appendix I, Installation Standards – IAPMO IS 9-2006 Section 2.7.6, Primers.
611	Appendix I, Installation Standards - IAPMO IS 9-2006 Section 2.7.6, Primers, is
612	hereby deleted in its entirety and the following provisions shall be substituted therefor:
613	Primers. A listed primer in compliance with ASTM F656 shall be used on all PVC
614	DWV joints. Provided, however, one step cements for non-pressure PVC, Drain,
615	Waste and Vent piping that comply with the requirements in ASTM D2564-96(a),
616	ASTM F493-92 and ASTM F656-96(a) may be used without the use of primer.
617	Section 53. That section 5.63.030, License required, of The Code of the City of
618	Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:
619	License required; water softener/conditioner additional authorized work.
620	(a) <u>License required.</u> It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct, carry on
621	or engage in the business of commercial or residential construction or remodeling,
622	excavation, elevator repair or construction, concrete work, demolition, swimming pool
623	construction, roofing, fire alarm installation, fire sprinkler installation, water
624	softener/conditioner, lawn irrigation system installation or mechanical, electrical or
625	plumbing trades, without first obtaining the appropriate contractor's license.
626	(b) Water softener/conditioner additional authorized work. Individuals licensed
627	in the water softener/conditioner trade may install water softening/conditioning
628	appliances and connect the appliances to the potable water supply lines. Licensees

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