1. An on-site preconstruction meeting with Denver Water is required for taps and service lines 1-inch and larger and projects involving more than one tap and service. Preconstruction meetings and meter inspections may be scheduled by calling Denver Water at 303-628-6145.

2. The meter and AMR/AMI device location shall be approved by Denver Water meter inspection. Meter settings 1-inch and larger shall be approved in the field by Denver Water prior to the installation of any service line or tap.

3. Service lines will not be activated unless the tap, meter setting, and service line are in accordance with the current version of the Denver Water Engineering Standards, approved project drawings, and written meter inspection instructions, as applicable. Deviations from these plans and standards must be approved in advance and in writing by Denver Water.

4. Meter pits and vaults shall be flush with the final grade of the landscape, which must include proper depth of soil amendment. If the street or ground is not to final grade at the time of the meter installation or inspection, the owner must raise or lower the meter pit/vault when final grade is established. The meter setting must be adjusted to the engineering standards after the meter pit/vault grade has been adjusted.

5. Curb boxes, meter pits, meter vaults, and AMR/AMI devices shall be protected throughout construction. No meter may be removed from its installed location until the existing tap has been cut at the main.

6. Backflow prevention devices may be required in accordance with the Denver Water Engineering Standards and standard drawings. If required, they must be in place before the final meter inspection.

7. Meter pits shall be furnished with a plastic frost lid in accordance with MS-25.

8. The AMR/AMI device will mount through the cast iron lid or under the composite lid, or a remote AMR device will be required. Meters shall be furnished with electronic digital encoder registers or mechanically encoded registers with a remote AMR device for each register.

9. A remote AMR device will be installed at a location determined by Denver Water at the time of meter inspection. AMR devices will typically be installed on the outside of the building facing a public street. Owner must provide conduit and signal wire from the meter to the AMR device location.

10. Master meter and read and bill distributors may impose additional standards not required by Denver Water.

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