

## **Chapter 9. POWERS AND AUTHORITIES OF INSPECTORS**

**Section 9.10.** Duly authorized employees and agents of the District shall be permitted to enter all properties for the purpose of inspection, observation, measurement, sampling, and testing in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance. The District may seek an inspection warrant pursuant to State law for any inspector denied access under this section.

**Section 9.20.** Duly authorized employees and agents of the District shall be permitted to enter all private properties through which the District holds an easement for the purposes of, but not limited to, inspection, observation, measurement, sampling, repair, and maintenance of any portion of the sewage works laying within said easement. All entry and subsequent work, if any, on said easement, shall be done in full accordance with the terms of the duly negotiated easement pertaining to the private property involved.

**Section 9.40.** Any person constructing a public or private sewer system or extension pursuant to this Ordinance, or pursuant to any District rule, regulation, or order, or any agreement with the District, shall allow inspection of the progress of construction as deemed appropriate by the District, its Commissioners, representatives, or agents. Prior to the commencement of any such construction, the person performing the construction or the person's agent shall meet with the District's representative and establish a minimum schedule of inspections. No work shall be closed up or filled in prior to inspection so as to make impracticable any inspection so scheduled. If work has been so closed up or filled in, the District may order the work re-opened or excavated at the owner's expense to allow inspection. The District may order the work halted if it is not meeting prescribed standards and specifications or if inspections have not been permitted as required.