

CHAPTER 24 – SUBDIVISIONS

Sec. 24-127. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination; Purpose.

(a) The purpose of Sections 24-120 through 24-143 of this Chapter is to provide for the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of the City of Peoria through the regulation of non-stormwater discharges to the storm drainage system to the maximum extent practicable as required by federal and state law. Sections 24-120 through 24-143 of this Chapter establish methods for controlling the introduction of pollutants into the MS4 in order to comply with requirements of the AZPDES permit process. The objectives of Sections 24-120 through 24-143 of this Chapter are all of the following:

- (1) To regulate the contribution of pollutants to the MS4 by stormwater discharges by any user,
- (2) To prohibit illicit connections and illegal discharges to the municipal separate storm sewer system, and
- (3) To establish legal authority to carry out all inspection, surveillance and monitoring procedures necessary to ensure compliance with this Code.

(b) All illicit discharge detection and elimination shall be performed pursuant to the provisions of Sections 24-120 through 24-143 of this Chapter but shall not be construed to prevent the enforcement of other laws which prescribe more restrictive limitations, nor shall the provisions of Sections 24-120 through 24-143 of this Chapter be presumed to waive any limitations imposed by other statutes or ordinances.

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