

153. "Pretreatment Requirements" - Any substantive or procedural requirement related to pretreatment, other than a National Pretreatment Standard imposed on an industrial user.
154. "Proper Operation and Maintenance" - Procedures executed in a prudent, cost-effective, and workman like manner which achieve the highest and/or required effluent quality of industrial discharge attainable in conformance with the best available technology and practices. Proper operation and maintenance requirements include avoidance of operational error, adherence to manual instructions, preventive maintenance, avoidance of careless or improper operation, neat accurate sampling, analysis and records retention; storage of process chemicals, lubricants, solvents etc., in a safe and organized manner, avoidance of accidental spillage, keeping operating logs, and any other activities which produce the desired effluent quality.
155. "Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTW)" - A treatment works as defined by Section 212 of the Act, (33 U.S.C. 1292) which is owned in this instance by the City. This definition includes any sewers that convey wastewater to the POTW treatment plant, but does not include pipes, sewers or other conveyances not connected to a facility providing treatment. For the purposes of this ordinance, "POTW" shall also include any sewers that convey wastewaters to the POTW from persons outside the city who are, by contract or agreement with the city, users of the city's POTW. Also, known as sewage works.
156. "POTW Treatment Plant" - That portion of the POTW designed to provide treatment to wastewater.
157. "Receiving Stream" - The watercourse, stream, or body of water receiving the waters finally discharged from the wastewater treatment plant.
158. "Sanitary Sewage" - The waste from water closets, urinals, lavatories, sinks, bathtubs, showers, basement drains, household laundries, garage floor drains, bars, soda fountains, cuspidors, refrigerator drips, drinking fountains, stable floor drains, and all other water-carried waste except industrial wastes.
159. "Sewage Works" - Sewers, wastewater treatment plant, sewerage system, and any associated structures or equipment. Also, know as POTW.
160. "Sewer" - A pipe or conduit laid for carrying wastewater or other liquids.
- 160.1 "Combined Sewer" - A sewer which carries both storm, surface, ground water runoff, and wastewater.
- 160.2 "Public Sewer" - A sewer in which all owners of abutting property have equal rights and which is controlled by public authority, including the following elements:
- Collection sewer - a sewer whose primary purpose is to collect wastewaters from individual point source discharges.
- Interceptor sewer - a sewer whose primary purpose is to transport wastewater from collector sewers to a treatment facility.
- Force Main - a pipe in which wastewater is carried under pressure.
- Pumping station - a station positioned in the public sewerage system at which wastewater is pumped to higher level.
- 160.3 "Sanitary Sewer" - A sewer which carries wastewater and to which storm, surface, and ground waters and unpolluted industrial wastewater are not intentionally admitted.
- 160.4 "Storm Sewer" - A sewer which carries storm, surface, and ground water drainage but excludes wastewater.
161. "Sewerage System" - The network of publicly owned sewers and appurtenances used for collecting, transporting and pumping wastewater to the wastewater treatment plant.