

Sump Pump Regulations

Please be advised that the target area for sump pumps in the city of Niagara Falls is only in the LaSalle section of the city.

Water Board regulations require only homes in this area that have infiltration of storm water into the sanitary sewer as needing a sump pump. Please note that not all homes in LaSalle are in need of a sump pump. Downtown homes are not required at this time to have sump pumps installed.

Inspections are only done at the time of a home sale and after the seller's attorney sends a request letter along with payment. At that time the water board makes a determination of whether or not a sump pump is required as well as any other violations in need of correction for compliance.

The Niagara Falls Water Board <u>strongly recommends</u> that you wait for us to inspect the house before contacting a plumber or taking advice from any other parties.

Please contact the Cross Connections Inspector with any question or concerns:

283-9770 X 2400