



**SURVEY OF ONTARIO MUNICIPALITIES WITH  
BACKFLOW PREVENTION BY-LAWS**

<b>Municipality Name</b>	<b>By-law Year</b>	<b>Property Classes Affected</b>
Cambridge	2003	Applies to existing industrial, commercial, institutional and multi-residential buildings and structures, except buildings of residential occupancies within the scope of Part 9 of <i>Ontario Regulation 403-97 (the Ontario Building Code)</i> . - Schedule applies where a condition exists in any building or structure that may be hazardous or detrimental to the potable water supply
Guelph	2000	Applies to existing industrial, commercial, institutional and multi-residential buildings and structures, except buildings of residential occupancies within the scope of Part 9 of <i>Ontario Regulation 403-97 (the Ontario Building Code)</i> Applies where a condition exists in any building or structure that may be hazardous or detrimental to the potable water supply
Halton Region	2005	Applies to any premises connected to the water distribution system
Kitchener	2002	Applies to existing industrial, commercial, institutional, and multi-residential building and structures, except buildings of residential occupancies within the scope of Part 9 of the building Code and except for lawn sprinkler systems
Leamington	2001	Applies to existing agricultural, industrial, commercial, institutional and residential buildings and structures
London	2005	Applies to all parts of every building or other premises to which any water service pipe is supplied
Midland	2005	Applies to all premises that are connected to the <i>water distribution system</i>
Orillia	2006	Applies to existing institutional, commercial, industrial or large volume consumers.
Stratford	2004	Applies to existing industrial, commercial, institutional and multi-residential buildings and structures, except buildings of residential occupancies within the scope of Part 9 of <i>Ontario Regulation 403-97 (the Ontario Building Code)</i> Applies to lawn sprinkler systems and also applies where a condition exists in any building or structure that may be hazardous or detrimental to the potable water supply as determined by the Chief Building Official or the director of Engineering and Public Works
St. Marys		Applies to all premises connected to the Water System of the Town as regulated by the Ontario Building Code
Township of West Grey	2005	Applies to all premises that are connected to the water distribution system
Windsor	1999	Applies to all properties
Hamilton		Currently, there is no By-law in place. The existing water system By-law prohibits cross-connections but is non-specific
York Region		Currently, there is no By-law in place in any of the area municipalities, or at the Regional Level.
Toronto		Currently, there is no By-law in place. Draft By-law has been prepared and will be presented to Council in September.
Region of Durham		Currently, there is no By-law in place
Peel Region		Currently, there is no By-law in place