

Town of Marion

Theft of Service and Tampering Policy Statement

Tampering with utility equipment or stealing service will be grounds for discontinuance of utility services. Theft of service shall include, but not be limited to the following:

- a) Opening valves at the curb or meter that have been turned off by utility personnel
- b) Breaking, picking or damaging cut off locks
- c) By-passing meters in any way
- d) Taking unmetered water from hydrants by anyone other than an authorized official of a recognized fire department, fire insurance company or utility for any purpose other than firefighting, testing or flushing of hydrants
- e) Removing, disabling, or adjusting meter registers
- f) Connecting to or intentionally damaging water lines, valves or other appurtenances for the purpose of stealing or damaging utility equipment
- g) Moving the meter or extending service without permission of the Town of Marion Water System
- h) Any other intentional act of defacement, destruction or vandalism to utility property or act that effects utility property
- i) Any intentional blockage or obstruction of utility equipment

The theft/tampering fees will be determined by the appropriate authority on a case-by-case basis.



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