



## **PUBLIC INFORMATION NOTICE**

### **HUDSON UTILITIES CROSS CONNECTION/WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM**

Hudson Public Utilities prides itself on delivering safe, high-quality drinking water to its customers every day. To continue to provide this service, to protect public health and to keep the public water system safe from contaminants and pollutants we are required by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Wisconsin Department of Safety & Professional Services, and the City of Hudson Municipal Code to maintain a cross connection control program along with the implementation of a water meter replacement program as required by the Public Service Commission (PSC 185).

In order to reduce overall costs for compliance with DNR Regulation NR810.15, PSC 185 and Hudson Municipal Code 242-10 the Hudson Public Utilities has contracted with HydroCorp, Inc. (HCI), of New Berlin, Wisconsin to assist in managing our program. HCI is a consulting firm that specializes in backflow prevention education, cross connection control programs, inspections and water meter installation. Each HCI Inspector carries an easy to see Photo Identification Tag, is a full-time employee and has undergone an extensive background check. There is no fee to the resident for the cross connection inspection or the water meter replacement.

Over the next few months, HCI will be performing inspections and water meter replacements in residential homes throughout the community. Inspections in residential homes are necessary to detect actual & potential cross connections and to make recommendations for the installation of backflow prevention devices where necessary to ensure the protection of the municipal water supply.

These programs are scheduled to be completed over a 5 year time span, with approximately 1,200 inspections and meter replacements per year. HCI will be starting in the Village of North Hudson's (NW) quadrant and moving southeast. Selected residences will be receiving a letter in the mail from the City of Hudson Public Utilities/HydroCorp Inc. with instructions on how to set up an appointment and steps you must follow prior to your appointment. Each inspection and meter replacement should take approximately 45 minutes to complete and will be conducted Monday-Friday between 8AM & 5PM.

More information can be found at: [www.hudsonpublicutilities.com](http://www.hudsonpublicutilities.com); [www.hydrocorpinc.com](http://www.hydrocorpinc.com); [www.ci.hudson.wi.us](http://www.ci.hudson.wi.us); [www.northhudsonvillage.org](http://www.northhudsonvillage.org) or by calling 715-386-4760.