

ORDINANCE # 7  
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INTRODUCTION

CITY OF COVINGTON  
ORDINANCE NUMBER 2010-2011-04

**ADOPTION**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON  
AMENDING THE FOLLOWING PROVISION OF THE  
COVINGTON CODE OF ORDINANCES: APPENDIX A  
SUBDIVISIONS, ARTICLE 3. IMPROVEMENT STANDARDS,  
SEC. 3.8. STORM DRAINAGE.**

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**WHEREAS**, a certain amendment has been suggested to the section of the Code addressing Storm drainage; and

**WHEREAS**, the Covington City Council deems this amendment appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Covington; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has held its public hearing in accordance with law; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Covington, at its regular session convened, that Appendix A Subdivisions, Article 3. Improvement Standards, Sec. 3.8. Storm drainage, be amended to read as follows:

- 3.802. Pipe used for subsurface storm drain shall be reinforced concrete pipe, corrugated steel asphalt bituminous coated pipe or an approved plastic asbestos bonded-pipe, as specified herein and subject to the recommendations and approval of the city engineer of the City of Covington. ~~Joint shall be rubber gaskets.~~
1. Reinforced concrete pipe (RCP) or reinforced concrete arch pipe (RCPA) shall be in accordance with Section 1006.03 – Reinforced Concrete Pipe and Section 1006.04 – Reinforced Concrete Pipe Arch of the Louisiana Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges (LSSRB), 2006 edition.
  2. Bituminous Coated Corrugated Steel Pipe and Pipe Arch (BCCSP)/BCCSPA shall be in accordance with Section 1007.02 of the LSSRB, 2006 edition.
  3. Plastic Pipe shall be in accordance with Section 1006.07 – Plastic Pipe of the LSSRB, 2006 edition.
  4. Exceptions – The approved pipe materials are subject to the following exceptions.
    - a. BCCSP or BCCSPA is not allowed in storm drain systems – defined as lateral drain pipes under curb and gutter, and other applications that connect drainage structures and is not open ended.
    - b. BCCSP/BCCSPA is not allowed for use as a cross drain under concrete pavement.
    - c. Plastic pipe is not allowed in open ended applications. Plastic pipe used for side drains must be provided with an approved end treatment.

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**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all other sections of Appendix A Subdivisions, Article 3. Improvement Standards, Sec. 3.8. Storm drainage, remain the same and in full force.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that if any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

**WHEREUPON**, this ordinance having been submitted in writing, having been read by title and adopted at a public meeting of the City Council of the City of Covington, State of Louisiana.

**WHEREUPON**, Blackall moved for adoption, <sup>as amended</sup> seconded by Romage and this ordinance was submitted to a vote and resulted in the following:

YEAS: 7                      NAYS: 0  
ABSTAIN: 0                  ABSENT: 0

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, ~~2010~~ <sup>2011</sup>.

Matthew Faust  
Matthew T. Faust  
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

Bonnie D. Champagne  
Bonnie D. Champagne  
CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

Presented to the Mayor this 1<sup>th</sup> day of January, ~~2010~~ <sup>2011</sup>, at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

Bonnie D. Champagne  
Bonnie D. Champagne  
CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

Approved  or Vetoed  by the Mayor this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, ~~2010~~ <sup>2011</sup>.

Candace Watkins  
Mayor Candace Watkins

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Received from the Mayor this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2010, at 1:25  
o'clock p.M.

Bonnie D. Champagne  
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CLERK TO THE COUNCIL