



TOWNSHIP OF SPRING

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Cisterns

All fire protection cisterns shall be cleaned, and all sediment removed annually, or as deemed necessary by the fire marshal.

Every 5 years an internal inspection shall be conducted with the cistern being fully emptied and cleaned.

An external inspection should be performed quarterly.

Property owners who fail to meet the maintenance requirements may be fined not less than \$200.00 per violation to cover the cost of equipment for proper maintenance.

Refill of the fire protection cisterns following maintenance or emergency use shall be the responsibility of the party that removed the water.