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OFFICIAL NOTICE

TO: Contractors, Homeowners, and Developers
SUBJECT: Sewer Lateral Inspection for New Residences
DATE: May 18, 2016 (Reissued 6/14/2016)

[ATTENTION: This NOTICE is reissued with revised drawings.]

Effective for one- and two-family residential building permits issued on or after 7/1/2016:

Installation of the sewer lateral for each residence including the connection to the Gwinnett County public sewer system requires inspection by a building inspector. Inspection of the sewer lateral, which must be installed by a state of Georgia licensed plumber, is currently not performed by the County.

The Department of Water Resources has responded to several thousand requests for emergency service from homeowners over the past 5 years due to improper sewer lateral installation resulting in considerable cost to homeowners and to the County. The purpose of the inspection is to eliminate unnecessary expense and ensure compliance with the applicable plumbing code requirements and the attached Standard Drawings S13 and S14 of the Water Main and Sanitary Sewer Design and Construction Standards and Specifications established by the Department of Water Resources.

Inspection of the sewer lateral can be scheduled online at www.gwinnettcountry.com by selecting "Plumbing Sewer Lateral" inspection.

For questions or additional information, please contact Building Inspections at 678.518.6050 during 7-7:30 a.m. / 3-4 p.m. (Mon – Fri).

**ATTACHED: Dwg. No. S13 (4" Lateral to 6" Service Connection Installation)
Dwg. No. S14 (6" Clean-Out at R/W)**

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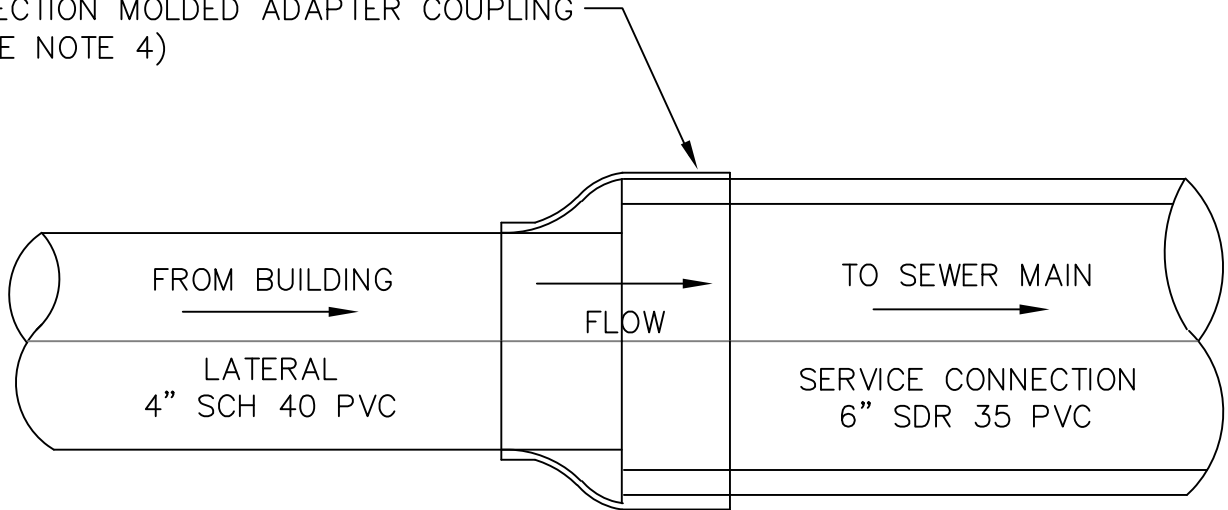
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ORIGINAL ISSUE: 4-05-16

6" X 4" SDR TO SCHEDULE 40 PVC
INJECTION MOLDED ADAPTER COUPLING
(SEE NOTE 4)



NOTE:

1. CONCRETE GROUT WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.
2. BELL MUST BE REMOVED FROM 6" SERVICE CONNECTION.
3. DAMAGED END OF 6" SERVICE CONNECTION PIPE SHALL BE CUT STRAIGHT.
4. EACH INSTALLATION MUST UTILIZE INJECTION MOLDED 6"x4" SDR TO SCH 40 ADAPTER COUPLING (Multi Fittings OR EQUAL).

GWINNETT COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

DESIGN BY: STD. COMMITTEE
DRAWN BY: GCDWR
CHECKED BY: PSB
APPROVED BY: ARS
SCALE: NONE

**4" LATERAL TO
6" SERVICE CONNECTION
INSTALLATION**

DRAWING NO.

S13

