



CITY OF CORNER BROOK

Index	Public Works		Section	Water and Sewer		
Title	Tree Root Intrusion		Policy Number	06-01-14	Authority	Council
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PURPOSE

To outline City responsibility and procedures for clearing building laterals blocked by tree roots.

POLICY STATEMENT

The City accepts responsibility for all sewers within the City rights-of-way. Homeowners are responsible for their house service from the street right-of-way to the house.

A fee is charged for rodding the building lateral. If tree roots are found to be the cause of the blockage, a root killer is added to the line at no additional charge.

If the affected sewer cannot be rodded and cleared and the home-owner replaces the sewer on his property, the City will inspect the City section of sewer and, if warranted, will replace the section from the property line to the sewer main at no charge to the home-owner.

REFERENCE

December 19, 1977

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this policy is sealed with the Common Seal of the City of Corner Brook.

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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK