

Date: August 1, 2006

Subject: HYDRANT UPPER STEM REPLACEMENT PROJECT:
REPORTING AND LABOR ALLOWANCE CLAIM PROCEDURE

Clow Valve Company is providing a \$40 labor allowance to cover the cost of labor for each replaced hydrant upper stem covered under Clow's Hydrant Upper Stem Replacement Program. Before a labor allowance can be processed Clow must receive a complete and accurate Hydrant Upper Stem Replacement Log, the replaced stems, and four photographs for each stem as specified in the Upper Stem Replacement Manual.

In the "Contact Information" section of the log write the Name, Phone Number, and Address of the person/affiliate who was identified as the contractor in the Service Agreement; then include the name of the person(s) responsible for the replacement(s). Finish this section by filling in the name of the City/Water Authority who owns the hydrants being repaired.

The "Hydrant Information" must to be completed for every stem replaced. Begin by filling out the City and State where the hydrants are located. For every stem identify the hydrant location, zip code, model, cast year, and the date of stem removal. The Stem ID number will already be assigned. Hydrant location can be identified by nearest address, street intersection or the Municipality's Hydrant ID (if available). An incomplete log and/or failure to return a stem or photographs will delay payment of the labor allowance.

Please use the kit stem box to return the completed log with the replaced stems to:

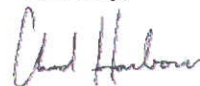
Clow Valve Company
Attn: Stem Replacement
902 South 2nd Street
Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Photographs should be submitted electronically on the Clow Valve website (www.clowvalve.com). Additional information and forms can also be found on the website. If you have any questions or need additional materials that are not addressed on the website, do not hesitate to contact us at (800) 829-2569. We are available Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. CST.

Clow Valve Company asks their employees to consider safety the #1 priority when assembling hydrants, we ask you to do the same during these repairs. Verify that the control valve is fully shut before replacing a stem. It is our goal to provide public safety the same commitment we do employee safety. With that goal in mind we move forward in this project to ensure that the dependability and performance of our product is not jeopardized.

Thank you for helping us to achieve this goal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "T. Chad Harbour".

T. Chad Harbour
Project Engineer