

## RP,RPDA,DCVA,DCDA, PVB and SCVAF Backflow Test Device Form

To be submitted by the property owner, or agent within 72 hours of the completed test. This test report form is for an RP, RPDA, DCVA, DCDA isolation device. Tests must be conducted by a certified tester under Appendix A of the Northumberland County By-law 38-2023. A plumbing permit is required for all new installations and replacements.

### Section 1 – Property owner or agent

First name	Last name	Telephone number
Address (street number and name, suite/unit number, city/town, municipality)		Postal Code
Email	If Municipally serviced: Water account number (located on any utility bill) or please provide the water meter serial number	

### Section 2 – Facility information

Facility address (street number and name, suite/unit number, municipality)		Email address
Is this BFP device for premise isolation?	Is this BFP device for zone isolation? What is it providing isolation for, explain.	
Is this BFP device on a fire system?		
Is this BFP device for source isolation? Provide the type of equipment it is protecting:		
Facility hazard classification: _____ Severe/Moderate/Minor		
What business is this facility engaged in: _____		

### Section 3 – Tester information

Plumbing permit number for all new installations & replacements		Certified tester name
Tester business name and email address		
Tester address (street number and name, suite/unit number, city/town)		
Tester telephone number	Tester's certification number /Expiry date	Test kit manufacturer
Test kit model number	Test kit serial number	Calibration expiry date (yyyy-mm-dd)

### Section 4 – Backflow device information

Type of device:		Hazard level:	
Serial number	Size	Manufacturer	Model number
Specific location of device: Room name or #, or location within the building			
Device orientation		Type of test	
Installed by (Company name if known)			Install date (yyyy-mm-dd)

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## Section 5 – Backflow testing

RP/RPDA			
Shut-off Valve #2	Relief Valve	Check Valve #1	Check Valve #2
Pressure differential across check valve #1 $\geq$ 5 psi in direction of flow		A _____ psi/ kPa	
Pressure differential across check valve #2 held tight in reverse direction		_____ psi/ kPa	
Opening point of relief valve $\geq$ 2 psi		– B _____ psi/ kPa	
Buffer A – B = C $\geq$ 3 psi		= C _____ psi/ kPa	
DCVA/DCDA ( $\geq$ 1 psi in direction of flow)			
Shut-off valve #1		Shut-off valve #2	
Check valve #1	Spring tension loss differential		_____ psi/ kPa
Check valve #2	Spring tension loss differential		_____ psi/ kPa
RP/RPDA & DCVA/DCDA			
Static inlet line pressure at the time of test _____		Test results	
Remarks		Test date (yyyy-mm-dd)	

## Section 6 – Repair(s) (if applicable)

If the device failed during initial testing, please note the repairs below, and complete Section 5 (above) with the re-test results.

Check applicable valve(s):

Relief valve    
  Check valve #1    
  Check valve #2    
  Shut-off valve #1    
  Shut-off valve #2

Remarks

## Section 7 – Certification

I certify that the above device has been tested in accordance with the Northumberland County By-law 38-2023..

Certified tester signature

Test date (yyyy-mm-dd)

Certified Property owner or agent signature

Test date (yyyy-mm-dd)

## Section 8 – Submission & information

Please submit test forms within 72 hours of a test to our backflow email: [backflow@northumberland.ca](mailto:backflow@northumberland.ca) or drop off at 600 William St Cobourg ON or for further inquiries:

**Webpage:** northumberland.ca  
**Phone:** 905-372-1929  
**Email:** backflow@northumberland.ca

**Mail:** Northumberland County  
 555 Courthouse Road  
 Cobourg, ON K9A 5J6

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## Section 9 – Form Abbreviations

Note: This page does not require submission

RP Reduced Pressure                      Psi Pounds per square inch

RPDA Principle Type RP  
Type for Fire Protection  
System                      kPa Kilopascal

DCVA Double Check  
Valve Assembly Type

DCDA DCVA Type for  
Fire Protection System

SCVAF Single Check  
Valve Assembly Type for  
Fire Protection System

PVB Pressure Type  
Vacuum Breaker