

BACKFLOW ASSEMBLY TESTING WEB APP

Facility Assessment Survey Technology (FAST)

MTS is proud to announce the New FAST TESTER for managing annual backflow assembly test reports.

FAST TESTER is a standalone web application that allows backflow assembly testers the ability to gather test data and submit electronic test reports to the water utility via their personal mobile phone or other hand held device (both Android and Apple iOS products). Utilities using the FAST Cross Connection Control Program can accept digital test reports with a few simple clicks. Testers can also just email the PDF test reports to municipalities not using the FAST system (if acceptable).

Water Utility Administrators - **no longer have to enter illegible paper test reports.** Customers – **simplifies annual testing process.**

Testers – no longer must fill out soggy test reports or track customer backflow assembly inventory.

How does it work?

- 1. Testers register online (\$49.99 annual fee provides use for all municipalities using the FAST system)
- 2. Municipalities email notifications (or mail) annual testing notifications to customers.
- 3. Customers forward the testing notification to a backflow tester of their choice. (Testers can also be CC'd the annual notifications with customer approval.)
- 4. Tester opens the attached PDF notice in the email from their hand held device & clicks on the FAST ID link for each device (or manually enters the device's unique FAST ID) and will auto load an Electronic Test Report Form with all completed pertinent information for that device, simply entering the test results. With a touch of a button the test form(s) are submitted directly to the water utility.
- 5. The Water Utility CCC Program administrator immediately receives the test report
- 6. A confirmation is sent back to the tester confirming the test report has been accepted.

This Feature is now available in your FAST Programs and can be utilized immediately. A draft notification template is available in the documents file in FAST to provide to your local backflow assembly testers.

The FAST Tester web app, is included in the FAST Desktop program annual subscription fee for all water utilities currently using the FAST Program.

Why use FAST TESTER?

- Saves administrative time, money and is environmentally friendly!
- Testers must enter the test data accurately in order to submit the Test Report avoiding errors
- Manages data for all removed and replaced backflow preventers to avoid inventory confusion
- Saves Backflow Testers time, money and prevents confusion on site
- Helps Backflow Testers manage existing customer backflow preventers (inventory, locations, annual

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- Auto PASS / FAIL & buffer calculations
- Email confirmation of sent and accepted test reports are tracked so no guesswork as to the status of the test reports
- Tester & owner signatures can still be collected on the mobile device in real time
- Testers can use FAST TESTER throughout the province for other water utilities that use the FAST System
- Testers can produce a PDF test report for customers or for submission to water suppliers not using the FAST System
- FAST Backflow Assembly Test Tags are available to attach to the device for accurate field inspections
- Annual low cost fee to Testers (An introductory offer of \$25.00 annual fee is available now!)
 Some municipalities may collect test report submission administration fees similar to test report form fees! This will be indicated in the shopping cart prior to submission of the test report.



For further details:

Contact our office at 250-503-0893 or visit our website at: www.mtsinc.ca

To register:

Using Google chrome, go to: https://www.fastbfp.ca/mobile

Each tester must use a unique email address, (test reports can be forwarded as usual) You will need a valid credit card, gauge calibration date

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