

PLUMBING INSPECTIONS

All persons doing plumbing in unincorporated Garfield County must maintain active registration and licensing per the State of Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies and the regulations. This includes Plumbing Contractors, Master Plumbers, Journeyman and Apprentice Plumbers. Provisions for homeowners to do their own plumbing exist but are limited.

Garfield County will be checking for the above requirements in the course of regular plumbing inspections and on a random basis while the plumbing work is being completed with permitted work. Copies of the wallet card or current certificates will be requested and kept on file for the various projects requiring a building permit. Verification of certifications will be checked with the DORA online licensing system. Plumbing contractors' compliance with licensee-to-apprentice ratio will be verified as required. Failure to provide the required information in a timely manner will result in a stop work order related to plumbing work. Violators will be reported to the Department of Regulatory Agencies if they fail to produce required information.

The above provisions will be in effect during the permitted project. Any changes in plumbing personnel doing the work must be updated immediately. Please call Community Development at 970-945-8212 with any questions.