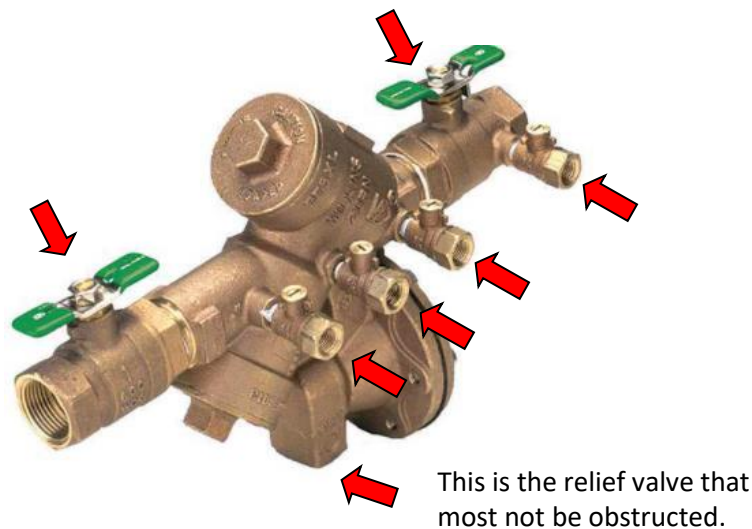


This is an important reminder regarding your backflow.

It is suggested that you insulate your backflow device to try to eliminate it from freezing in the winter months. If you are insulating your backflow assembly, please make sure the hole on the bottom of the backflow assembly is not obstructed. The reasoning is because if you have a backflow incident, it needs to dump the contaminated water to the ground to avoid going into the main water system. If you wrap it with tape, towels, or foam, it defeats the purpose of the backflow assembly and is out of compliance. Also, to allow the tester to have access to test the assembly each year, please make sure the 2 shut off valve and the 4 test valves are accessible. If not, the tester will have to cut through the tape/insulation to get to it.



You can purchase different types of insulators such as pouches or boxes so that the backflow assembly itself is not obstructed.

