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TOPIC #8 HYDRANT TAGS & SERVICE STATUS

HYDRANT TAGS:

A black tag denotes that a hydrant is "Off in the Street".

A red or orange tag denotes that a hydrant is "Out of Service".

To fasten a hydrant tag to a discharge chain, use a small piece of wire. Companies responsible for hydrants with defects will test and flow each hydrant when they are notified that it is back in service. The tag will then be removed. The Supervisor of fire hydrant maintenance is to be notified immediately when a hydrant is out of service (OOS) or off in the street (OIS).



BLACK = OFF IN THE STREET

RED & ORANGE = OUT OF SERVICE

FLOW ALL HYDRANTS THAT ARE REPORTED TO BE BACK IN SERVICE

Greater Cincinnati Water Works (GCWW) currently uses the following Out of Service tag. The tag is orange in color and fits around the 4 ½" discharge as pictured.

