

TESTING A DETECTOR CHECK VALVE (888)

- ASSEMBLY SHOULD BE ON AND AIR REMOVED FROM TEST COCKS.
- FIRST TEST THE BY-PASS CHECK VALVE:
 - O TURN ON TEST COCK #3 SLOWLY AND LET RUN SLOWLY.
 - O TURN OFF THE CITY SIDE BYPASS SHUT OFF VALVE.
 - OBSERVE IF THE TEST COCK #3 WATER FLOW STOPS. THIS WILL INDICATE IF THE BYPASS CHECK VALVE IS HOLDING BACKPRESSURE.
 - IF WATER CONTINUES TO FLOW FROM TEST COCK #3,
 CLEAN OR REPAIR, THEN RETEST.

MAIN ASSEMBLY TEST:

- o ATTACH A PRESSURE GAUGE TO TEST COCK #4, PRESSURIZE AND NOTE READING ON GAUGE.
- TURN OFF SHUT OFF VALVE #1.
- o SLOWLY OPEN TEST COCK #2 TO REDUCE PRESSURE TO THE CITY SIDE OF THE CHECK VALVE.
- THE PRESSURE GAUGE SHOULD STAY AT OR NEAR INITIAL READING THEN ASSEMBLY PASSES.
- o IF THE MAIN ASSEMBLY IS LEAKING, CLEAN OR REPAIR AND RECHECK.
- AS WITH ANY CHECK VALVE, IT MUST HOLD AT LEAST 1 PSI.