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**Jean Vollum Natural Capital Center  
721 NW 9th Avenue  
Portland, Oregon 97209  
2005 Oregon Plumbing Specialty Code**

**Subject:** City Of Portland Request For Site Specific  
Use Of Non-Flush Urinals

**Code Section:** Section 301.0

**Code Edition:** 2005 Oregon Plumbing Specialty Code

**Date:** November 1, 2005

**Question:** The Portland Bureau of Development Services utilizes the Jean Vollum Natural Capital Center for its Office of Sustainable Development. As such, the city believes the center falls under the provisions of Interpretive Ruling No. 04-02, which allows use of non-flush urinals in city, county and federal facilities. Therefore, the city is requesting site-specific approval to allow the non-flush urinals in the public restrooms at the center.

**Answer:** The division agrees that this facility meets the intent of the ruling and is permitted to install the non-flush urinals.

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