



OPENING FOR WATER TAPS, BLOW-OFFS, AIR RELEASE VALVES AND SIMILAR APPURTENANCES

1. WRAPPING (3) THREE LAYERS OF POLYVINYL – COMPATIBLE ADHESIVE TAPE COMPLETELY AROUND THE PIPE TO COVER THE AREA WHERE THE TAPPING MACHINE AND CHAIN WILL BE MOUNTED, EXTENDING A MINIMUM OF 2" BEYOND THE MOUNTING SURFACE.
2. MOUNT THE TAPPING MACHINE ON THE PIPE AREA COVERED BY THE TAPE AND MAKE THE TAP. INSTALL THE CORPORATION STOP DIRECTLY THROUGH THE TAPE AND POLYETHYLENE.
3. INSPECT THE ENTIRE CIRCUMFERENTIAL AREA FOR DAMAGE AND MAKE ANY NECESSARY REPAIRS WITH TAPE.
4. TO MINIMIZE THE POSSIBILITY OF DISSIMILAR METAL CORROSION AT SERVICE CONNECTION, WRAP THE CORPORATION STOP AT A MINIMUM CLEAR DISTANCE OF THREE FEET FROM THE COPPER WATER TAP WITH POLYETHYLENE OR A SUITABLE DIELECTRIC TAPE.