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ORDINANCE NO. 309

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND FIXING RATES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES AND DELIVERY OF WATER TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF REXBURG;

PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION OF METERS AND REGULATING THE READING OF WATER METERS PROVIDING FOR THE BILLING OF PROPERTY OWNERS AGENTS AND TENAnTS OF PROPERTY ON WHICH WATERIS USED AND PROVIDING A DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT OF SUCH CHARGES: REPEALING SECTION TWENTY-ONE OF ORDINANCE NUMBER 110AND ORDINANCE NUMBER 216 AMENDING SECTION 21 OF ORDINANCE NUMBER 110 SECTIONS 22 AND 23 OF ORDINANCE NUMBER 110 AND ORDINANCE NUMBER 237 AMENDING SECTIONS 22 and 23 OF ORDINANCE 110; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED By the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rexburg, Idaho.

amended ord. 317

Section 1.-- There shall be charged and collected, as in this ordinance provided, for water supplied to the owners of property, tenants and agents of owners of property upon which water is used from and through the municipal water system of the City of Rexburg, in all cases where meters are not used the following rates monthly, namely:

Each residence or dwelling house occupied by one family only, without inside toilet or bathroom, $1.20 per month.

Each residence or dwelling house occupied by one family only, with toilet and bathroom, or either, $2.00 per month.

Each residence or dwelling house occupied by more than one family the minimum rates hereinabove plus $1.00 extra for each additional family or part of a family or extra room rented to lodgers.

Each blacksmith shop $1.50 per month.

Each Club Room or Lodge room not less than $1.25 per month, and not more than $2.00 per month, depending upon whether one or more toilets and lavatories are in use.

Each office except dental parlors, 75 cents per month.

Each theatre and dance hall not less than $1.25 and not more than $3.25 per month, depending upon whether one or more toilets and lavatories are in use.

Watering animals, for each horse, mule, cow or other domestic animal, 10 cents per month.

Sprinkling or watering lawns and gardens or either, one-half cent per square yard per month.

Churches and public schools free. See P.220

Stockyards and corrals where live stock are gathered and held for shipment or other purposes, $5.00 per month.

Amended Sec 2 and 322

Section NO 2.--Meters shall be placed installed and used at all places of business and other places whereon water is used not included in any of the classes memtioned in Section one of this Ordinance; and the City Council shall have power to order that meters be installed at any time on any property where water is used when considered best in the interest of the City. For every meter installed there shall be deposited by the owner of the property , or by the tenant therof in possession, with the City Clerk to be held while such meter is in use, a sum of money equal to the estimated monthly charges for water to be taken through such meter, which deposit shall be not less than $5.00 in any case. All meters shall be read monthly by the Superintendent of Water Works, amd the amounts of water taken as shown by such readings, respectively, shall be reported by him to the City Clerk before the end of each month.

Section No 3.---There shall be charged and collected in all cases where meters are or shall be installed, for water taken through such meters as shown by the monthly readings thereof, respectively, the following rates and charges nonthly:

In every case for meter service and the first 1000 gallons or less of water used. $1.75.

All cases wherein the water readings show more than 1000 gallpns and not over 10,000 gallons, $1.75 for the first 1,000 gallons and 30 cents per 1000 gallons for all over 1000 gallons.

All cases wherein the meter readings show more than 10,000 gallons and not more than 30,000 gallons, the rates above specified for the first 10,000 gallons and 20 cents per 1,000 gallons f or all over 10,000 gallons.

All cases wherein the meter readings show more than 30,000 gallons and not more than 50,000 gallons, the rates above specified for the first 30,000 gallons and 14 cents per 1,000 gallpns for all over 30,000 gallons.

All cases wherein the meter readings show more than 50,000 gallons and not over 100,000 gallons, the rates above specified for the first 50,000 gallons and 10 cents per 1,000 gallons for all over 50,000 gallons.

All cases wherein the meter readings show more than 100,000 gallons and not over 300,000 gallons, the rates above specified for the first 100,000 gallons and 8 cents per 1,000 gallons for all over 100,000 gallons.

All cases wherein the meter readings show more than 300,000 gallons, the rates above specified for the first 300,000 gallons and 6 cents per 1,000 gallons for all over 300,000 gallons.

Section No 4,--- All rates and charges for service and water supplied for use shall be charged to the owner of the property whereon same is supplied and shall be due and payable on the first day of each month; and in all cases where tenants or lessees of property demand water for use thereon, the tenant or lessee shall make written application therefor and obtain the written consent to such service signed by the owner or his duly authorized resident agent, on forms furnished by the City Clerk and such application shall be filed with the Clerk. In cases where no meters are maintained such charges shall be payable for the ensuing month in advance, and in cases where meters are maintained such charges shall be payable for the monthe immediately passed. Provided, that in all cases where the service charge and monthly rates are paid in full on or before the 10th day of the month in which the same are due, the party making such payment shall be entitled to a reduction of 25 cents from the bill furnished.

Section No 5.--- It shall be the duty of the City Clerk to prepare and sent by United States Mailto every owner of property, or to the agent or tenant of the owner of property whereon water is furnished, as directed in the application filed with the Clerk, on the first day of each month a written statement showing the charges for monthly service and water used, which statement in each case where no meter is in use shall show the charges for the ensuing month according to the rates provided in Section ~~one of this Ordinance~~ 1-223, and in each case where a meter is used said statement shall show the charges for the month immediately passed, according to the rates set forth in Section two of this Ordinance.

Section No 6.---If any bill, charge or account for services or water furnished is not paid within thirty days after the service of the statement thereof as herein provided , the City Clerk shall notify the Superintendent of Water Works of such delinquency and it shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Water Works to immediately shut off the water supplied to the property in respect to whichsuch delinquency exists and when water has been so shut off it shall not be turned on again until all delinquent charges plus $1.00 for expenses shall have been paid.

Section No 7.--- Section 21 of ordinance number 110 and ordinance number 216 amending section 21 of ordinance number 110 and sections 22 and 23 of ordinance number 110 and ordinance number 217 amending sections 22 and 23 of ordinance number 110 of the City of Rexburg, and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the profisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section No8.0-- WHEREAS An emergency exists, and such emergency is hereby declared this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed the 26th day of October, 1931.

Attest:

Approved the 26th day of October 1931.

City Clerk

Mayor

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