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ORDINANCE NO. 110-2023-073

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HESSTON, KANSAS AMENDING CHAPTER XV, ARTICLE 2, SECTION 15-221 AND SECTION 15-225 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF HESSTON, KANSAS AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 110-2007-071.

WHEREAS, the City of Hesston, Kansas (the "City") has previously adopted Chapter XV, Article 2 and of the Code of the City of Hesston, Kansas (the "Code"), which contains provisions establishing monthly rate fees for obtaining water from the City's waterwork system; and

WHEREAS, the City finds it necessary to amend Chapter XV, Article 2, Section 15-221 and Section 15-225 of the Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HESSTON, HARVEY COUNTY, STATE OF KANSAS:

SECTION 1. This Ordinance repeals and replaces Chapter XV, Article 2, Section 15-221 and Section 15-225 of the Code.

SECTION 2. Chapter XV, Article 2, Sections 15-221 and 15-225 of the Code are hereby repealed and replaced, as follows:

- 15-221 RATES. The rates per month for the use of water from the City waterwork system shall be as follows for customers within the City:
 - 1. For the first 3,000 gallons purchased per month through any meter \$10.00.
 - 2. For all water purchased above the first 3,000 gallons \$4.10 per 1,000 gallons.
 - 3. For all water meters serving more than one dwelling unit, a multiple use metering charge shall apply. The multiple use metering charge shall be assigned to all apartment buildings, mobile home parks, senior housing, or special care facilities, dormitories and homes containing rented apartments or rooms occupied by someone other than the primary occupants of the residence. Multiple use metering charges shall be as follows:
 - a. Facilities with three or less multiple living units \$13.75 per meter
 - b. Facilities with more than three but less than ten multiple living units \$37.50 per meter.
 - c. Facilities with ten or more multiple living units \$60.00 per meter.

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- 15-225 RURAL CUSTOMERS. Rates for the use of City water extended to rural water districts and other rural customers as follows:
 - 1. Rural water districts and other rural customers will be billed a minimum charge of \$52.50 for the first 10,000 gallons purchased through any single or master meter.
 - 2. For all water purchased above the first 10,000 gallons a rate of \$4.75 per each 1,000 gallons will be charged.

SECTION 3. Other ordinances or portions thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, specifically, Ordinance No. 110-2007-071.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its adoption by the governing body of the City, approval by the Mayor and either (a) publication once in the official newspaper of the City, or (b) publication of a summary hereof certified as legally accurate and sufficient by the City Attorney.

PASSED, ADOPTED, AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Hesston, Kansas this 9th day of January, 2023.

CITY OF HESSTON, KANSAS

David K. Kauffman, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jason Thrasher, City Clerk

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Ordinance No. 110-2023-073 Summary

On January 9, 2023, the City of Hesston, Kansas adopted Ordinance No. 110-2023-073 Amending Chapter XV, Article 2, Section 15-221 and Section 15-225 of the Code of the City of Hesston, Kansas containing provisions establishing monthly rate fees for obtaining water from the City's waterwork system and amending said Code to be in conformance therewith. A complete copy of this ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the Office of the City Clerk at City Hall, 115 E. Smith or at www.hesstonks.org. This summary is certified legally accurate and sufficient by the Hesston City Attorney pursuant to K.S.A. 12-3001 et seq.

SUMMARY CERTIFIED:

J.T. Klays, City Attorney

Dated:

TWG REF: 989131 Code Ordinance (Water Rates)