ORDINANCE 1001

AN ORDINANCE, regulating and offering of water supporting deposit by customers, fixing the charges and rates to be charged Customers for connections to the main and for water gave and repealing ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith only as far as they conflict.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the City of Elmdale, Kansas, is amended as follows:

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1001 OF THE CITY OF ELMDALE KANSAS RELATING SECBONS THREE (3), SECTION FOUR (4) AND SECTION EIGHT (8) TO CITY WATER SERVICE, SEWER, AND TRASH SERVICE RATES OF ELMDALE. KANSAS, AND PROVIDING MEANS FOR THE COLLECTION OF SUCH CHARGES AND FEES.

SECTION 1. That a charge of the actual cost be charged and paid by each customer applying for water service, sewer service and trash service \$75.00 deposit and tapping City water main at the charge of \$250.00 and furnishing material and labor incident to delivering water to curb in the street or nearest let line in the alley.

SECTION 2. When application is made, each customer shall deposit with the City Clerk, or other proper official of the City having jurisdiction of such matter, the sum of \$75.00, when said deposit to be refunded customer ceases to use City services provided all sums due the City from the customer have been paid.

ORDINANCE #1001 is amended as follows pursuant K.S. A. 12-3007

SECTION 3. That all persons, firms, and corporations purchasing water within the City Limits from the City of Elmdale, Kansas, and to 'whom water is furnished by said City for such water, on the monthly rate, for water the sum of \$30.00 for the first one (I) thousand gallons of water and fraction of thereof, and the sum of \$5.00 per thousand thereafter.

That all persons, firms. and corporations buying sewer service within the City Limits from the City of Elmdale, Kansas, and to whom sewer is given by said City for such sewer on the monthly rate, for the sum of \$15.00 for the first one (1) thousand gallons and the sum of \$5.00 per thousand thereafter.

That all persons., firms, and corporations purchasing trash service within the City Limits from the City of Elmdale, Kansas, and to whom trash service is provided by Steve's Trash is furnished by said City for such trash service, on the monthly rate, for the sum of \$20.00 for the trash service rate.

SECTION 4. That all persons, firms. and corporations purchasing water from outside the City Limits of the City of Elmdale, Kansas, and to whom water is furnished by said City for such water, on the monthly rate, for water the sum of \$40.00 for the first one (1) thousand gallons of water and fraction of thereof, and the sum of \$5.00 per thousand thereafter.

That all persons, firms, and corporations buying, sewer from outside the City Limits of the City of Elmdale, Kansas, and to whom sewer is given by said City for such sewer of the monthly rate, for the sum of \$16.00 and the sum of \$5.00 per thousand thereafter.

That all persons, firms. and corporations purchasing trash service from outside the City Limits of the City of Elmdale. Kansas, and to whom trash service is provided by Steve's Trash is furnished by said City for such trash service. of the monthly rate, for the sum of \$20.00 for the trash service rate.

SECTION 5. Consumers and customers owning or occupying separate residences or properties shall not be permitted to receive water through the same meter, but each customer or consumer shall be required to make a separate deposit and shall receive water through a separate meter and shall be liable for and pay all charges as provided by this ordinance.

SECTION 6. All customers or consumers with service connections to the water system shall be liable for all provisions in section three (3) and four (4) of this ordinance unless the said City is notified in writing to have their water service dropped.

SECTION 7. The City of Elmdale as well as all customers or consumers with service connections to the sewer system shall be responsible for the following within their portion of the system:

- a) Requiring the exclusion of excessive infiltration and inflows from the treatment works
- b) Prohibiting toxic concentrations of toxic materials in wastewater introduced into the treatment works; and
- c) Prohibiting other pollutants in amounts or concentrations that endanger public safety or the physical integrity of the treatment works; or cause violation of effluent or water quality limitations or cause residue or sludge processing or disposal problems.

SECTION 8. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict below, as far as they so conflict, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 9. Water bills will be charged, billed, and payable on a month rate basis, as specified in Sections three (3) and Sections four (4). All water consumers will be billed each month as follows: at the end of the first month a minimum rate of \$30.00 will be billed and payable one (1) thousand gallons and the sum of \$5.00 per thousand thereafter, meters will be read on the fourth (4th) week and any amount of water used over the minimum for the month will be billed and payable; water bills will be due on or before the 10th day of each month. Water bills not paid by the twenty-first (21st) day of the month following the billing date will be considered delinquent and water service will be promptly dropped thereafter. A charge of \$75.00 for reconnecting service on delinquent accounts will be payable before services can be reinstated.

SECTION 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from shall take effect upon publication in the Chase County Leader newspaper. This ordinance will be posted on www.cityofelmdale-ks.org and at the Elmdale Post Office on ________.

Passed and approved by the City Council, Elmdale, Kansas. on the 23 day of October 2024

ATTEST:

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Sheryle Baker

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Mayor:

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