

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RE-ENACTING TITLE 15, CHAPTER 15-02, "WATER SERVICE," ARTICLE 15-0216 – RATES AND CHARGES AS AMENDED OF THE REVISED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HEBRON, MORTON COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA OF 1971.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HEBRON, MORTON COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

That Section 15-0216 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Hebron, Morton County, North Dakota of 1971, and all subsequent amendments thereto are hereby repealed and re-enacted under this Ordinance as follows:

There shall be and there is hereby established rates and charges for the use of and for the service supplied by the municipal water system for the City of Hebron based upon the meter readings of the amount of water consumed as follows:

1 to 2,000 gallons used in a month **\$20.70 per month (min. monthly bill)**

All usage over 2,000 gallons used in a month \$10.35 per 1,000 gallons

Bulk water shall be charged at the rate of \$12.20 per 1,000 gallons.

The water surcharge for each premises supplied with municipal water services shall be \$5.00 per month.

Bills for the rates and charges as herein established by the City of Hebron shall be sent and shall be due when billed. All bills shall be payable at the office of the City Auditor of the City of Hebron.

If any charge for the services of the system shall not be paid by the 20th day of the month in which it shall become due and payable, a delayed payment charge equal to 1.5% of the charge for the services shall be added thereto and collected therewith and notice shall be sent by regular US Mail, posted upon the premises, or personally served upon the water customer, said notice stating that the water will be shut off unless payment is received within 10 days after date of mailing, posting, or personal service. This 1.5% delayed payment charge shall accrue every month that said payment remains delinquent. In the event that it becomes necessary to shut off the water supply, the water shall not be turned on again except on payment in full of all delinquent charges thereof.

The water rates to be charged shall be fixed from time to time by ordinance or resolution of the Governing Board, and the City reserves the right to change the rates from time to time as it deems best.

1. SEVERABILITY

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded and repealed.

2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its final passage.

3. SAVINGS CLAUSE

If any provision of this Ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.


GRANT WALTH
Mayor

ATTEST:


ERIN McCUTCHAN, City Auditor

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