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ORDINANCE NO. 22- 14

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING RATES AND FEES CHARGED FOR WATER SERVICE FROM THE WATER WORKS SYSTEMS OF THE CITY OF GALENA, CHEROKEE COUNTY, STATE OF KANSAS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS:

Section 1: Statement of Purpose, Review. It is the purpose of this Ordinance to establish minimum rates for each service unit for which consumers within the corporate limits of the City of Galena and minimum rates for those consumers outside the City limits who receive water service furnished by the water works system of Galena, Kansas.

Section 2: Article 1 of Chapter 15 of the Code of the City of Galena is hereby amended to add the following and repealing Ordinance No. 18-04 of the City of Galena, Kansas.

PART 1. That beginning with passage of this ordinance, the rates to be charged for the water service furnished by the water works system of the City of Galena, Kansas for consumers within the city limits shall be as follows:

A minimum base rate charge of \$ 15.08 shall be made for each service furnished by the water works unit for which each consumer *within the corporate limits* of the City of Galena, Kansas, taken during each meter reading month. A usage rate of \$6.03 per 1,000 gallons consumed for each consumer taken during each meter reading month. A bulk water rate of \$15.08 for the first 1,000 gallons and \$6.03 per 1,000 gallons after the first 1,000 gallons. A Meter Rental Rate of \$2.00 for each meter service furnished by the water works.

PART 2. That beginning with the passage of this ordinance, the rates to be charged for the water service furnished by the water works system of the City of Galena, Kansas for consumers *outside the city limits* shall be as follows:

A minimum base rate charge of \$23.30 shall be made for each service furnished by the water works unit for which each consumer outside the corporate limits of the City of Galena, Kansas, taken during each meter reading month. A usage rate of \$7.17 per 1,000 gallons consumed for each consumer taken during each meter reading month. A bulk water rate of \$13.31 for the first 1,000 gallons and \$4.88 per 1,000 gallons after the first 1,000 gallons. A Meter Rental Rate of \$3.90 for each meter service furnished by the water works.

PART 3. That beginning with the passage of this ordinance, there will be a Sewer Maintenance Fee to be charged for water service furnished by the water works system of the City of Galena, Kansas, for consumers inside AND outside the city limits; and the fee shall be \$0.77 per month for each consumer taken during each meter reading month.

Section 4. Effective date. This Ordinance shall take effect on December 5, 2022, and upon its publication as required by law.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Counsel of the City of Galena, Kansas this 5th day of December, 2022.


Ashley Qualls Groves, Mayor

ATTEST:

Flora Charles, City Clerk