Proposed Amendments to Water Service Line Specifications and Fee Structure Location - July, 2023

(Proposed additions are in red. Proposed deletions are struck through.)

ARTICLE III. - WATER AND SEWERAGE DIVISION 2. - WATER Subdivision I. – Generally

Sec. 41-371. - Meters required.

No consumer shall be supplied with water unless a meter system purchased from the city at a price established by the city based on the size of the same shall have been installed at the location approved by the city administrator or his designate. The water meter system shall be installed by the city. A water service that extends from the main water line to the curb stop shall consist of k-copper pipe. An outside meter system with a permanent meter tile shall be installed by the city at or near the property line of the customer. The installation of the water service line and meter system shall be approved by the city administrator or his designate. Water shall not be supplied unless a meter system is purchased from and installed by the city. Water service lines shall meet city specifications.

Sec. 41-373. - Water taps; application therefor; procedure; charges.

- (a) Any person, firm or corporation desiring a water tap shall make application through the office of the public works director. Applications for water taps shall be filed with the public works office.
- (b) Any person, firm or corporation requesting a water tap shall pay the city water tap and any necessary directional boring fees in accordance with the following schedule. Fees for water taps and directional boring shall be paid to the city in accordance with a fee schedule on file with the city clerk's office.
 - (1) Standard water tap fees: Three hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00) for a three-quarter (3/4) inch tap and four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for a one (1) inch tap.
 - (2) In addition to the aforesaid water tapping fee, the person, firm or corporation ordering a water tap shall pay the city an additional fee of four hundred fifty dollars (\$450.00) to cover the actual cost of boring (including, but not limited to, labor and materials), if applicable.
- (c) Any person, firm or corporation requesting a water tap, other than the standard water tap as provided herein, shall pay the city the standard tap fee, boring and/or street cut and repair fee, plus the actual cost thereof in excess of such charges as may be determined by the city administrator or his designate.

(Ord. No. 06-23, § 1, 3-6-06; Ord. No. 15-10, § 1, 2-17-15)

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Sec. 41-375. - Tap to be made by city; curb stop location.

- (a) All water taps to the city's water system of the city shall be made by the city, except as provided for in <u>chapter 57</u> of this Code.
- (b) Water service lines shall be extended a minimum of three (3) feet onto the lot from the front lot line maximum of ten (10) feet from the street pavement edge and capped with a curb stop.

(Ord. No. 06-23, § 1, 3-6-06)

Sec. 41-435. - Use of alternate materials.

In the event an applicant, property owner or customer must run a service line in excess of one hundred (100) feet from the curb stop to the meter, the city administrator or his designate may authorize the use of other substitutes but only if said PVC pipe or other substitutes substitute meets the city specifications therefor.