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ORDINANCE NO. 206.

AN ORDINANCE IN RELATION TO WATER RENTS.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction,

Colorado:

Section 1. All persons using water from the city water works shall, on the first day of January, April, July and October of each year, except as otherwise by this ordinance provided, procure a new license for the use of water and pay the rent therefor. If so paid within ten days from the date the same shall become due and payable, a discount of five per cent. shall be given; if not paid within thirty days, the water shall be shut off. Whenever the water shall be shut off on account of non-payment of water rent, the water shall not again be turned on until the back water rent and the rent for the current quarter shall have been paid, together with one dollar additional for the trouble and expense of shutting off and turning on the water.

Sec. 2. Meter rates shall be paid monthly, and if not paid within thirty days after the same shall become due and payable, the water shall be shut off. Whenever the water shall be shut off on account of non-payment of water rent, the water shall not be again turned on until the back water rent shall have been paid, together with one dollar additional for the trouble and expense of shutting off and turning on the water. No discount shall be given on meter rates.

Sec. 3. The annual rates for the use of water from the city water works used within the city limits are hereby established, payable quarterly in advance, as in this ordinance provided; for each

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Residence, hospital, sanitarium, hotel and office building of four rooms or less . . and $2.00 for each additional room over
                                                                                        $11.50
         four rooms.
                                                                                          18.00
Drug Store
Bakery and Candy Factory,
         . $18.00 to
                                                                                          30.00
                                                    . from $15.00 to
Restaurant,
according to the amount of water used. Soft Drink Parlor and Club
                                                                                         20.00
Store not otherwise specified
                                                                                         11.50
Soda Fountain
                                                                                           6.00
Barber Shop, one chair
Each additional chair
                                                                                         11.50
                                                                                           3.00
                                                                                          7.00
Public Bath Room, one tub
        Each additional tub .
                                                                                           3.50
Photograph Gallery
                                                                    $15.00 to
         according to amount of water used.
Hand Laundry
                          Steam Laundry
Livery Stable .
                                                           from $65.00 to
                                                                                     100.00
according to amount of water used.
Public Automobile Garage from $18.00.to
according to amount of water used.
Dentist Parlor, per chair
Vegetable Fountain
                                                                                        30.00
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 Urinal
School Houses in School District No. 1, per scholar
Water sold from hydrant, per tank wagon
Each bottling establishment, brick yard, chemical
laboratory, railway establishment, steam
boiler, and all other concerns not mentioned,
according to the amount of water used; provided, however, that the minimum annual rent to
any water user shall be
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Sec. 4. The following monthly rate shall be paid for water used within the city limits and measured by meter:

For quantities less than 100,000 gallons, 15c per 1,000 gallons 12c per 1,000 gallons and less than 400,00 gallons. For quantities of 400,000 gallons and less than one million gallons, 10c per 1,000 gallons.

For quantities of one million gallons and less than two million gallons, 09c per 1,000 gallons.

For quantities of two million gallons and less than three million gallons, 08c per 1,000 gallons.

For quantities of three million gallons and less than three million gallons, 07c per 1,000 gallons.

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For quantities of four million gallons and less than five million gallons, 06c per 1,000 gallons. For quantities of five million gallons and over, 05c per 1,000 gallons.

Sec. 5. Water rents to consumers using water outside of the city of Grand Junction shall be double the rate specified in Sections 3 and 4 of this ordinance. Provided, however, that the Commissioner of Water and Sewers shall have the right to place a meter on any such service line at his discretion, so that the quantity of water used can be ascertained. The following charges additional to double the flat rates as specified in Section 3 shall be charged for excess water used:

On service line, supplying a house of four rooms or less, 30c per thousand gallons shall be charged for all water used in excess of 6,000 gallons per month.

On five room house, 30c per thousand gallons for water used in excess of 7,000 gallons per month.

On six room house, 30c per thousand gallons for water used in excess of 8,000 gallons.

On seven room house, 30c per thousand gallons for water used in excess of 9,000 gallons per month.

On eight room house, 30c per thousand gallons for water used in excess of 10,000 gallons per month.

The City will furnish the meters on such service lines, which shall remain its property, and to secure their return shall require a deposit of \$10.00 per meter.

Sec. 6. Ordinance No. 200 is hereby repealed.

Passed and adopted this 3d . day of December, A. D. 1912.

Mayor.

Attest:

Charles K. Holmburg.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing ordinance, entotled "An Ordinance in Relation to Water Rents," was introduced and read at a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, held on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1912, and that the same was published in full in the Daily News, a daily newspaper published and in general circulation in said city, at least ten days before its passage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and

affixed the official seal of said City,

this 3d day of December, A. D. 1912.

City Clerk.

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