

ORDINANCE NO. 399

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 OF ORDINANCE NO. 322 FIXING RATES WHERE WATER METERS ARE USED AND PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE OF SAID WATER RATES, AND SECTION 4 OF ORDINANCE NO. 309, STATING WHEN WATER PAYMENTS SHALL BE DUE, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REXBURG, IDAHO:

SECTION I: That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 322 of the City of Rexburg, Idaho, be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

There shall be charged and collected by the City Clerk in cases where water meters have been or shall be installed for water taken through such meters as shown by the readings thereof, monthly, from users and occupants of buildings and premises in the several classes, respectively, the following rates and charges, said classes being defined in Section 4 of Ordinance No. 317.

Class One: For the first 3,000 gallons or less, \$2.00 per month.

Class Two: When occupied by only one family or when a separate meter is used for each family or user, which shall include dwelling apartments in business buildings, the rates prescribed herein as applying to Class one; and, when occupied by two or more families drawing water through one meter, the rates shall be as follows: For the first 3,000 gallons or less, \$2.00 as in the case of one family, and \$1.50 for 3,000 gallons or less for each additional family, and if the amount drawn exceeds 3,000 gallons for all over 3,000 gallons of such excess.

Class Three: For the first 3,000 gallons or less, \$2.50 per month. In every case where the meter readings show more than 3,000 gallons have been drawn, \$2.50 for the first 3,000 gallons and 20¢ per thousand gallons for the next 5,000 gallons or less; and if the meter readings show more than 8,000 gallons have been drawn, the rates above specified for the first 8,000 gallons and 15¢ per thousand gallons for the next 10,000 gallons or less, and if more than 18,000 gallons have been drawn then 10¢ per thousand gallons for all over 18,000 gallons.

Class Four: Churches, schools and other public places as defined in said Section 4 of Ordinance No. 317: All churches, seminaries, schools (public or private) and public libraries for the first 5,000 gallons or less \$2.00 per month, and if more than 5,000 gallons have been drawn then 5¢ per 1,000 gallons for all over 5,000 gallons.

Class Five: The City Council may by order entered upon the records of its proceedings, on sufficient showing made, authorize that water be supplied without charge to any indigent or poor person.

To each and every of the above classified users there shall be added monthly the amount provided in Section 3 of Ordinance No. 316, for meter rental and service charges, when such rental and service charges should be applied pursuant to the provisions of said section.

SECTION II: That Section 4 of Ordinance No. 309 of the City of Rexburg be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

All rates and charges for service and water supplied for use shall be charged to the owner of the property whereon same is supplied and shall be due and payable on the first day of each month; and in all cases where tenants or lessees or property demand water for use thereon, the tenant or lessee shall make written application therefor and obtain the written consent to such service signed by the owner or his duly authorized resident agent on forms furnished by the City Clerk and such application shall be filed with the Clerk. In cases where no meters are maintained such charges shall be payable for the ensuing month in advance, and in cases where meters are maintained such charges shall be payable for the month immediately passed. Provided, in all cases the service charge and monthly rates shall be paid in full on or before the 10th day of the month in which the name are due.

PASSED the 18th day of April, 1956.

APPROVED the 18th day of April, 1956.

Mayor of the City of Rexburg, Idaho.

ATTEST:

Loretta M. Rigby
City Clerk.