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ORDINANCE NO. 779

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 21, ARTICLE 2, SECTION 206 THROUGH 208, INCLUSIVE.

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

Section One. Chapter XXI Article 2 Section 206 through 208, inclusive, shall be amended to read as follows:

21-206. WATER RATES. The rates to be paid by customers within the city limits of the City of Washington, Kansas, for the use and consumption of water furnished or supplied by the city shall be as follows: (Ord. 755, 12-8-2011)

Base Rate -----	Up to a ¾" meter	\$12.00;
	Up to a 1" meter	\$13.00;
	Up to a 2" meter	\$17.00;
	3" and larger	\$22.00;
Each 1,000 gallons or part thereof -----		\$2.25 per 1,000.

The base rate shall automatically increase by \$1.00 each year for the next four (4) years, and the use rate shall increase by \$0.25 each year for the next four (4) years for use and consumption of each 1,000 gallons. *(rates will increase January 1st of years 2012-2016)*

21-207. SAME; OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS. The rates to be paid by customers outside of the city limits of the City of Washington, Kansas, for the use and consumption of water furnished or supplied by said city shall be as follows: (Ord. 755, 12-8-2011)

Base Rate -----	Up to a ¾" meter	\$14.00;
	Up to a 1" meter	\$15.00;
	Up to a 2" meter	\$21.00;
	3" and larger	\$27.00.
Each 1,000 gallons or part thereof -----		\$3.00 per 1,000.

The base rate shall automatically increase by \$1.00 each year for the next four (4) years, and the use rate shall increase by \$0.25 each year for the next four (4) years for use and consumption of each 1,000 gallons. *(rates will increase January 1st of years 2012-2016)*

21-208. SAME; BULK WATER RATES. The rate to be paid by customers purchasing bulk water from the City of Washington, Kansas shall be as follows: \$4.00 per 1,000 gallons.

An additional fee of \$100 shall be charged for the use of a meter and backflow device to be installed by the City at a fire hydrant. It shall be a \$100 fee for each separate setup. (Ord. 744, Dec. 7, 2010)

The bulk water rate shall automatically increase by \$0.25 per 1,000 gallons each year for the next four (4) years. (*rates will increase January 1st of years 2012-2016*) (Ord. 755, 12-8-2011)

Section Two. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect after its publication in the Washington County News, the official city newspaper.

Passed by the Governing Body of the City of Washington, Kansas, and approved by the Mayor, this 5th day of May, 2014.

Ryan W. Kern, Mayor

ATTEST:

Denise M. Powell, City Clerk