

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING MUNICIPAL WATER RATES FOR THE CITY OF CANTON, MISSOURI, TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE IN REVENUE TO THE CITY OF CANTON, MISSOURI, MUNICIPAL WATERWORKS SYSTEM TO MEET THE COST OF OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE WATERWORKS SYSTEM, AND TO PROVIDE SUFFICIENT REVENUE FOR THE PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL WATERWORKS BONDS PREVIOUSLY AUTHORIZED BY THE VOTERS, AND TO KEEP THE MUNICIPAL WATERWORKS SYSTEM IN OPERATING CONDITION

Statement of Purpose

A. An increase in water rates for the City of Canton, Missouri, Municipal Waterworks System is necessary to meet the cost of operation and maintenance of the waterworks system.

B. The City of Canton, Missouri, has unpaid Municipal Revenue Bonds previously authorized by the voters of the City of Canton, Missouri, and an increase in water rates for the Municipal Waterworks System of the City of Canton, Missouri, is necessary to pay the obligations due on the Revenue Bonds and to keep the Municipal Waterworks System in operating condition.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF CANTON, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION ONE. Section 705.200 amended. Section 705.200 of the Municipal Code of the City of Canton, Missouri, is hereby amended and from and after the effective date of this ordinance shall be and appear as follows:

**“SECTION 705.200: THREE-FOURTHS INCH AND SMALLER WATER METER, IN-CITY CHARGES**

The rate for water service to customers of the waterworks of the City of Canton, Missouri, with water meters of three-fourths (3/4) inch or smaller where water service is provided within the corporate boundaries of the City of Canton, Missouri, shall be as follows:

0 gallons -- \$20.95 per month

1 gallon of water purchased or more -- \$20.95 per month plus \$6.10 per 1,000 gallons (61.0 cents per 100 gallons) used per month.”

SECTION TWO. Section 705.210 amended. Section 705.210 of the Municipal Code of the City of Canton, Missouri, is hereby amended and from and after the effective date of this ordinance shall be and appear as follows:

**“SECTION 705.210: THREE FOURTHS INCH AND SMALLER WATER METER OUT-OF-CITY CHARGES**

The rate for water service to customers of the waterworks of the City of Canton, Missouri, with water meters of three-fourths (3/4) inch or smaller where water service is provided outside of the corporate boundaries of the City of Canton, Missouri, shall be as follows:

0 gallons -- \$24.25 per month

1 gallon of water purchased or more -- \$24.25 per month plus \$8.72 per 1,000 gallons (87.2 cents per 100 gallons) used per month.”

SECTION THREE. Section 705.220 amended. Section 705.220 of the Municipal Code of the City of Canton, Missouri, is hereby amended and from and after the effective date of this ordinance shall be and appear as follows:

**“SECTION 705.220: LARGER THAN THREE-FOURTHS INCH WATER METER IN-CITY CHARGES**

The rate for water service to customers of the waterworks of the City of Canton, Missouri, with water meters larger than three-fourths (3/4) inch where water service is provided within the corporate boundaries of the City of Canton, Missouri, shall be as follows:

0 gallons -- \$23.70 per month

1 gallon of water purchased or more -- \$23.70 per month plus \$6.10 per 1,000 gallons (61.0 cents per 100 gallons) used per month.”

SECTION FOUR. Section 705.230 amended. Section 705.230 of the Municipal Code of the City of Canton, Missouri, is hereby amended and from and after the effective date of this ordinance shall be and appear as follows:

**“SECTION 705.230: LARGER THAN THREE-FOURTHS INCH WATER METER OUT-OF-CITY CHARGES**

The rate for water service to customers of the waterworks of the City of Canton, Missouri, with water meters larger than three-fourths (3/4) inch where water service is provided outside of the corporate boundaries of the City shall be as follows:

0 gallons -- \$28.20 per month

1 gallon of water purchased or more -- \$28.20 per month plus \$8.72 per 1,000 gallons (87.2 cents per 100 gallons) used per month.”

SECTION FIVE. Remainder of Chapter 705 ratified and confirmed. All provisions of Chapter 705 of the Municipal Code of the City of Canton, Missouri, not specifically herein amended shall remain unchanged and are hereby ratified and confirmed.

SECTION SIX. Prior inconsistent ordinances repealed. All prior ordinances or parts thereof in conflict with or inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION SEVEN. Effective date. This ordinance shall become effective after public posting as required by law, public reading before the Board as required by law, adoption as required by law, approval of the Mayor, and on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2023.

Adopted this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2023.

  
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Presiding Officer

Approved this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2023.

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Mayor



ATTEST:

Christina Searyman  
City Clerk



7/14/2023

Due to an error in Ordinance number listing 23-11 877-C An Ordinance adding article III to Chapter 615 of the municipal code of the City of Canton, Missouri, providing for a video service providers fee within the City of Canton will become 23-11-A 877-C per City Attorney Dennis Smith.