

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-1**

**ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER,  
COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
ESTABLISHING THE 2024 BOROUGH OF ELMER WATER SERVICE RATES**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Elmer, County of Salem, and State of New Jersey, having found the need to set forth water service rates for the Borough of Elmer for 2024 as follows:

A. Connection fee shall be as follows:

1. 3/4" or 1" water service: \$4,537.50
2. 1 1/4" water service: \$5,022.50
3. 1 1/2" water service: \$5,361.25

4. 2" and above: the applicant is required to assume all costs associated with the new water connection.

B. Subsequent to the adoption of this Ordinance, all water meters shall be installed in the interior of the premises to be serviced unless there is a lack of interior space as determined by the Water Department Superintendent or his designated representative, or unless the owner shall otherwise request in writing. If the water meter is to be installed outside of the premises to be serviced, it shall be located adjacent to or near the curb line. The expense of the installation of a new water meter shall be borne by the applicant in accordance with the following fee schedule:

1. 3/4" meter pit: \$3,182.50 each
2. 1" or 1 1/4" meter pit: \$3,905.00 each
3. 1 1/2" meter pit: \$3,905.00 each

4. 2" meter pit and above: the applicant is required to assume all costs associated with the new meter pit.

C. If any section or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof.

D. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances, heretofore adopted that are inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

E. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its final passage, adoption, and publication in the manner prescribed by law.

Introduced: January 10, 2024

Adopted: February 14, 2024

Approved by the Mayor on February 14, 2024

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF ELMER**

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**Sarah D. Walker, CLERK**

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Joseph Stemberger, MAYOR**

ROLL CALL VOTE as follows:

	<u>MOTION</u>	<u>SECOND</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Schneider	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Davis	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Foster	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Nolan	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Schalick	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Zee	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION  
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**ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ESTABLISHING THE 2024 BOROUGH OF ELMER WATER SERVICE RATES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing proposed Ordinance was introduced and passed by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Elmer, County of Salem, and State of New Jersey, at its regular meeting held on Wednesday, January 10, 2024, and that a public hearing thereon will be conducted by the Mayor and Borough Council at its meeting on Wednesday, February 14, 2024, at 7:30 p.m., at the Borough Hall, Elmer, New Jersey, after which the Ordinance will be considered for adoption.

Sarah D. Walker, RMC

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION  
ORDINANCE NO. 2024-1**

**ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ESTABLISHING THE 2024 BOROUGH OF ELMER WATER SERVICE RATES**

The foregoing named Ordinance was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Elmer on February 14, 2024.

Sarah D. Walker, RMC