

ORDINANCE NO. 01-2017

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF GARNAVILLO, IOWA, BY AMENDING WATER AND SEWER RATES

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Garnavillo, Iowa:

**SECTION 1. SECTIONS MODIFIED.** Chapters 92.02 and 99.07 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Garnavillo, Iowa, are repealed and the following sections adopted in lieu thereof effective 7/1/2017:

**92.02 RATES FOR SERVICE.** Water will be furnished at the following rates within the City. The minimum base charge for the first 1,500 gallons per month shall be \$36.58. All gallons over 1,500 shall pay a rate of \$.0051 per gallon. On or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March of each year, the City Clerk shall compute an adjustment to the water rates based upon the multiplication of the current rate by a factor equal to the increase in the Consumer Price Index (C.P.I.) as established by the Federal Government for the preceding twelve (12) month period of January 1 through December 31. This adjustment shall be submitted to the City Council at the first Council Meeting in March. This increase shall go into effect on the succeeding 1<sup>st</sup> day of July unless otherwise ordered by the City Council.

**99.07 RATES FOR SERVICE.** The minimum base charge for the first 1,500 gallons per month shall be \$44.47. In addition, each contributor shall pay a user charge for usage in excess of 1,500 gallons per month at the rate of \$.00521 per gallon.

**SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE.** If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

**SECTION 4. WHEN EFFECTIVE.** Section 1 of this ordinance shall go into effect on July 1, 2017. This ordinance was passed, approved, and posted according to the law.

Passed by the Council the 12<sup>TH</sup> day of April, 2017, and approved this 12<sup>TH</sup> day of April, 2017.



Mark Priebe, Mayor

ATTEST:



Elizabeth Jaster, City Administrator/Clerk

First Reading: 3/8/17  
Second Reading: 4/12/17  
Final Reading & Passage: 4/12/17

I certify that the foregoing was posted as Ordinance No. 01-2017 on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017 until the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2017.



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Elizabeth Jaster, City Administrator/Clerk