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ORDINANCE NO. 1055

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XV, ARTICL 4, SECTION 15-428,
IMPLEMENTING VARIOUS CHARGES FOR SEWER SERVICE WITHIN THE CITY
LIMITS OF THE CITY OF CHAPMAN, KANSAS, AND REPEALING ANY OTHER
CURRENT ORDINANCES OR PORTIONS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY
OF CHAPMAN, KANSAS:**

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER XV, ARTICLE 4, SECTION 15-428:

Chapter XV, Article 4, Section 15-428, of the Code of the City of Chapman, Kansas,
shall be amended in its entirety to read as follows:

15-428. Sewer Service Charge.

(a) A monthly service charge for the use of services rendered by the sewage disposal system shall be paid to the City by all persons, firms, corporations, and any organization, within or without the city, having a sewer connection, directly or indirectly, as follows:

- (1) The minimum monthly bill shall be \$20.00.
- (2) Every one thousand (1,000) gallons \$3.00.

(b) All users of the Chapman wastewater collection and treatment system are assessed a monthly user fee to be established annually by the Governing Body.

- (1) The minimum monthly charge is \$20.00.
- (2) Each user's sanitary sewer charge is based on the average water consumption per one thousand (1,000) gallons of metered water consumed for that user for the months of January, February, and March of a given calendar year. Once the sewer average has been established for that user in that calendar year, that average will be assessed throughout the current calendar year which shall be assessed as set forth above. Increases in water usage during the specified three months will affect the sewer average and attendant fees for the following year. Any user that has not established a sewer average during the applicable period, will be charged the current City average until they have established their own average.

(3) The average shall be computed and assigned to each user in April of that calendar year for each sewage utility user and will be assessed beginning in May of that year with that month's May sewage billing.

(c) A monthly Sewer Infrastructure Surcharge shall be charged on every sewer utility account, regardless of type, for funding of infrastructure rehabilitation and improvement projects within the municipal sewer system. The fee shall be \$15.00 per month.

SECTION 2. Revision, Replacement, and Repeal.

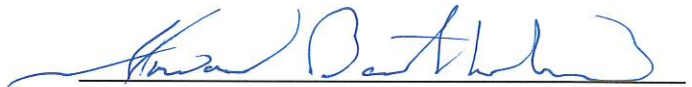
Any prior versions of this Section are hereby revised and replaced with the language in Section 1 hereof, and any other current ordinances or portions thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. Effective date.

This Ordinance shall be published shall take effect and be in force from and after the publication of this Ordinance one time in the Dickinson County News – Times.

ADOPTED AND PASSED by the Governing Body of the City of Chapman, Kansas on 14 September, 2022 and **APPROVED AND SIGNED** by the Mayor.

Approved:


Howard Battishill, Mayor, Chapman Kansas

ATTEST:


Bill Flanery, City Clerk

(Approved as to Form):

s/ Bradley D. Jantz
Bradley D. Jantz, Chapman City Attorney

Chapman, Kansas, this 14th day of September, 2022.

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SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 1055

On September 14, 2022, the Governing Body of the City of Chapman, Kansas passed an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XV, ARTICLE 4, SECTION 15-428, IMPLEMENTING VARIOUS CHARGES FOR SEWER SERVICE WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF CHAPMAN, KANSAS, AND REPEALING ANY OTHER CURRENT ORDINANCES OR PORTIONS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

This Ordinance amends the existing Chapter XV, amending Article 4, Section 15-428, to revise the schedule of certain charges for the City of Chapman, Kansas.

This modification of the Chapman City Code serves to revise the sewer surcharge and reinstate water averaging for annual sewer charges with continuing provisions for administration and enforcement.

The complete text of the Ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the office of the City Clerk, Chapman City Office, 446 N. Marshall Street, Chapman, Kansas 67431. A reproduction of the Ordinance is available for not less than 7 days following the publication date of this Summary at www.chapmanks.com.

This Summary is hereby certified to be legally accurate and sufficient pursuant to the laws of the State of Kansas.

DATED: September 14, 2022.

s/ Bradley D. Jantz
Bradley D. Jantz
Chapman City Attorney