

ORDINANCE NO. 21-104

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING RATES FOR WATER & SURCHARGE FEES FOR HOTEL/MOTEL/RV PARKS ICL IN CHAPTER 24 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT STOCKTON TITLED UTILITIES*, ARTICLE III. SERVICE RATES AND CHARGES, DIVISION 2. SERVICE RATES, SECTION 24-51. RATES FOR WATER, WASTEWATER, GAS SERVICES AND TAP CHARGES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS; & REPEALING ALL OTHER ORDINANCES OR PORTIONS THEROF IN CONFLICT, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the charges set forth would be in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Fort Stockton;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT STOCKTON, TEXAS:

**CHAPTER 24. UTILITIES*
ARTICLE III. SERVICE RATES AND CHARGES
DIVISION 2. SERVICE RATES**

SECTION 24-51. RATES FOR WATER, WASTEWATER, GAS SERVICES AND TAP CHARGES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS:

(a) RATES FOR WATER & SURCHARGES

The rates to be charged by the City of Fort Stockton, Texas, to consumers of water furnished by said City inside its corporate city limits shall be:

WATER AND SURCHARGES						
Date Effective				Oct. 2014	Oct. 2015-2016	Surcharge
Minimum Charge for All Meter Sizes						\$2.50
	0	2,000	gallons	\$11.96	\$15.15	\$0.75
Consumption Charge (per Thousand gallons)						
	2,001	3,000	gallons	\$2.67	\$2.67	\$0.75
	3,001	5,000	gallons	\$2.72	\$2.72	\$0.75
	5,001	8,000	gallons	\$2.74	\$2.74	\$0.75
	8,001	10,000	gallons	\$2.91	\$2.91	\$0.75
	10,001	15,000	gallons	\$3.08	\$3.08	\$0.75
	15,001	20,000	gallons	\$3.26	\$3.26	\$0.75
	20,001	50,000	gallons	\$3.51	\$3.51	\$0.75
	50,001	100,000	gallons	\$3.71	\$3.71	\$0.75
	100,001	Greater	gallons	\$4.03	\$4.03	\$0.75

Commercial and Governmental ICL						
Date Effective				Oct. 2014	Oct. 2015-2016	Surcharge
Minimum Charge for All Meter Sizes						\$7.50
	0	2,000	gallons	\$18.95	\$22.92	\$0.75
Consumption Charge (per Thousand gallons)						
	2,001	3,000	gallons	\$2.68	\$2.68	\$0.75
	3,001	15,000	gallons	\$2.72	\$2.72	\$0.75
	15,001	30,000	gallons	\$2.76	\$2.76	\$0.75
	30,001	50,000	gallons	\$2.79	\$2.79	\$0.75
	50,001	100,000	gallons	\$2.83	\$2.83	\$0.75
	100,001	Greater	gallons	\$2.86	\$2.86	\$0.75

Hotel/Motel/RV Parks ICL						
Date Effective				Apr. 2021	Surcharge	
Minimum Charge for All Meter Sizes						\$7.50
	0	2,000	gallons		\$24.92	\$0.75
Consumption Charge (per Thousand gallons)						
	2,001	3,000	gallons		\$4.68	\$0.75
	3,001	15,000	gallons		\$4.72	\$0.75
	15,001	30,000	gallons		\$4.76	\$0.75
	30,001	50,000	gallons		\$4.79	\$0.75
	50,001	100,000	gallons		\$4.83	\$0.75
	100,001	Greater	gallons		\$4.86	\$0.75

Prisons						
Date Effective				Oct. 2014	Oct. 2015-2016	Surcharge
Minimum Charge for All Meter Sizes						\$7.50
	0	2,000	gallons	\$18.95	\$22.92	\$0.75
Consumption Charge (per Thousand gallons)						
	2,001	Greater	gallons	\$4.15	\$4.15	\$0.75

- (b) RATES FOR WASTEWATER****
- (c) RATES FOR NATURAL GAS****
- (d) RATES FOR GAS, WATER & SEWER METERS & TAPS****
- (e) OUTSIDE CORPORATE CITY LIMITS****
- (f) FEES FOR BULK WATER SALES PERMIT PROGRAM****

Secs. 24-53 – 24-54****
 Secs. 24-55 – 24-65. Reserved
 Secs. 24-66 – 24-68****
 Secs. 24-69 – 24.80. Reserved

Conflicts. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance are hereby repealed; provided however, that such repeal shall be only to the extent of such inconsistency and in all other respects this ordinance shall be cumulative of other ordinances regulating and governing the subject matter covered by this ordinance.

Severability. If any provision, sections, exceptions, subsections, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or the application of same to any person or set of circumstances, shall for any reason be held unconstitutional, void or invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance or their application to other persons or sets of circumstances and to this end all provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Publication. The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to publish the descriptive caption of this ordinance in the manner and for the length of time prescribed by the law as an alternative method of publication.

This ordinance shall become effective April 1, 2021; with rate modifications to be indicated on the May 2021 utility billing cycle, upon first & final reading and its publication pursuant to law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 25th day of February 2021.


 Joe Chris Alexander, MAYOR


 Frank Rodriguez III, CITY MANAGER

ATTEST:



Marina A. Cantu, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM & LEGALITY:



Puja Boinpally, CITY ATTORNEY

****DENOTES THAT THE CURRENT INFORMATION IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT STOCKTON REMAINS THE SAME.