

ORDINANCE NO. 1043

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND AMENDING CERTAIN PORTIONS OF CHAPTER 13.08 AND CHAPTER 13.10 OF THE GOLDEN REVISED ORDINANCES OF 1965 RELATING TO WATER AND SEWER RATES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO:

Section 1. The fourth and fifth paragraphs of Section 13.08.010 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 are hereby amended as follows:

"13.08.010 Water rate schedule I - Domestic and commercial users billed quarterly.

. . .

Next 15,000 gallons per living unit at \$1.10 per thousand gallons.

All usage in excess of 24,000 gallons per living unit at \$1.25 per thousand gallons."

Section 2. The fourth and fifth paragraphs of Section 13.08.020 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 are hereby amended as follows:

"13.08.020 Water rate schedule II - Water users outside the city.

. . .

Next 15,000 gallons at \$2.20 per thousand gallons.

All usages in excess of 24,000 gallons at \$2.50 per thousand gallons."

Section 3. Section 13.08.030 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby repealed.

Section 4. The second paragraph of Section 13.08.040 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.08.040 Table I - Minimum quarterly charges inside the city.

. . .

MINIMUM QUARTERLY CHARGE
TABLE I

5/8" x 3/4" or 3/4" x 3/4" meter . . *	\$ 12.00
1" meter	12.50
1-1/4" and 1-1/2"	20.00
2"	30.00
3"	60.00
4"	100.00
6"	225.00
8"	375.00
10"	600.00

(*Includes meters up to and including one and one-half inch size when the service line pressure is less than fifty psi working pressure.)"

Section 4. The second paragraph of Section 13.08.050 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.08.050 Table II - Minimum quarterly charges outside city.

. . .

MINIMUM QUARTERLY CHARGE
TABLE II

5/8" x 3/4" or 3/4" x 3/4"	\$ 24.00
1"	25.00
1-1/4" or 1-1/2"	40.00
2"	60.00
3"	120.00
4"	200.00
6"	450.00
8"	750.00
10"	1200.00"

Section 5. Section 13.08.070 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.08.070 Charges due upon termination of service with notice.

. . .

together with the charge of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for turning off the water. A service charge of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) shall likewise be paid for turning on water at such premises."

Section 6. The second paragraph of Section 13.08.120 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.08.120 Procedure upon failure to pay due charges.

. . .

If such rates and charges are not paid within thirty days after becoming due the city shall assess a delinquent charge of ten dollars (\$10.00). If such rates and charges including delinquent charges are not paid within forty-five days after becoming due, the city shall assess an additional delinquent charge of ten dollars (\$10.00). The fee to turn on any water service that has been disconnected due to delinquent charges shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00). In addition, twenty dollars (\$20.00) shall be charged a customer to test a water meter on the test bench if the meter proves to be accurate."

Section 7. Sub-section (1) and sub-section (2) of Section 13.10.020 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 are hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.10.020 Sewer rate schedule.

. . .

(1) Quarterly minimum twelve dollars (\$12.00) to be charged on the basis of water usage up to and including nine thousand gallons of water per residential unit.

(2) All usage in excess of nine thousand gallons of water per residential unit shall be billed at the rate of one dollar and ten cents (\$1.10) per thousand gallons of water used during the first quarter each year."

Section 8. Sub-section (1), sub-section (3) and sub-section (4) of Section 13.10.022 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 are hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.10.022 Maximum domestic sewer charges.

. . .

(1) Residential users.

. . . the lesser charge shall apply, except in no case shall the charge be less than twelve dollars (\$12.00) per quarter.

(3) Commercial Class. Quarterly minimum twelve dollars (\$12.00). All usage in excess of nine thousand gallons of water shall be charged at a rate of one dollar and ten cents (\$1.10) per one thousand gallons of water.

. . .

(4) Industrial Class. Quarterly minimum of twelve dollars (\$12.00). All usage in excess of nine thousand gallons of water shall be charged at the rate of one dollar and ten cents (\$1.10) per one thousand gallons of water.

. . .

The rate of surcharge shall be ten cents per pound of biochemical oxygen demand and suspended solids contributed in excess of the base.

. . ."

Section 9. Section 13.10.040 of the Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965 is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 13.10.040 Rates for service extended beyond city limits.

The city may extend the use of its sewer system beyond the corporate limits of the city, and in such cases the rates and charges for such service shall be as in the schedule set forth in this chapter, except that the quarterly minimum shall be twelve dollars. Where such use is extended beyond the city limits, and such user makes no use of city water, an appropriate sewer charge shall be determined by the city manager on the basis of cost of service and estimate of effluent."

Section 10. Any ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Introduced, read and ordered published this 13th day of October, 1988.

Adopted, approved and ordered published this 27th day of October, 1988.

Marvin L. Kay
Mayor

ATTEST:

Sharon L. Bennetts
City Clerk

Approved as to form:

BRADLEY, CAMPBELL & CARNEY
Professional Corporation

By _____
Victor F. Boog
Acting City Attorney

I, Sharon L. Bennetts, City Clerk of the City of Golden, Colorado, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was introduced on first reading and read at a regular meeting of the City Council of said city, held on the 13th day of October, 1988 and was published as a proposed ordinance in the Golden Transcript, legal newspaper, as the law directs seven days or more prior to its passage. A public hearing was held and on the 27th day of October, 1988, the said proposed ordinance was read on second reading and passed by the City Council and ordered published in the aforesaid newspaper as the law directs.

Witness my hand and official seal of the City of Golden, Colorado, this 28th day of October, 1988.

(SEAL)

Attest: _____
Sharon L. Bennetts, City Clerk
of the City of Golden, Colorado