

ORDINANCE NO. 878

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE DEPOSIT OF
CERTAIN PRESCRIBED SUBSTANCES INTO THE
CITY SEWERAGE SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the City of Golden has entered into an agreement with the Adolph Coors Company providing for the treatment of Golden sewage and the City Council therefore desires to specify standards for the deposit of sewage into the municipal sewage system.

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

Section 1. The Golden Revised Ordinances of 1965, as amended, are hereby amended by the addition of Section 13.12.053, as follows:

"13.12.053 Deposit of certain substances prohibited. No customer or person, firm or corporation shall deposit sewage into the city sewerage system which contains any of the following substances:

a. Any solid or viscous material which could cause an obstruction of flow in the sewers or in any way could interfere with the treatment process, including as examples of such materials but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, significant proportions of ashes, wax, paraffin, cinders, sand, mud, straw, shavings, metal, glass, rags, lint, feathers, tars, plastics, wood and sawdust, paunch manure, hair and fleshings, entrails, lime slurries, grain processing wastes, grinding compounds, acetylene generation sludge, chemical residues, acid residues, food processing bulk solids, snow, ice, and all other solid objects, material, refuse, and debris not normally contained in sanitary sewage;

b. Sludge or other material from sewage or industrial waste treatment plants or from water treatment plants;

c. Any garbage other than that received directly into the Golden waste water disposal system from domestic and commercial garbage grinders in dwellings, restaurants, hotels, stores, and institutions, by which such garbage has been shredded to such a degree that all particles will be carried freely under flow conditions normally prevailing in public sewers with no particle greater than one-half (1/2) inch in any dimension;

d. Night soil or septic tank pumpage;

e. Storm water drainage;

h. Any liquid or vapor having a temperature higher than 150° F. or exceeding any lower limit fixed by Coors to prevent odor nuisance where the volume of discharge represents a significant portion of the sewage flow;

i. Any water or wastes containing grease or oil or other substances that will solidify or become discernibly viscous at temperatures between 32° F. and 150° F.;

j. Any water or wastes containing emulsified oil or grease exceeding 75 parts per million of ether-soluble matter;

k. Any gasoline, benzine, naphtha, fuel oil, lubricating oil, or other flammable or explosive liquid, solid, or gas;

l. Any wastes with sulfides over 10-ppm, expressed as hydrogen sulfide;

m. Any cyanides or compounds capable of liberating hydrocyanic acid gas over 2 ppm, expressed as hydrogen cyanide from any individual outlet, the delivery of any cyanides in lesser amounts to be permitted only upon evidence of satisfactory and continuous control of the concentration and the volume of the delivery;

n. Any wastes that contain a corrosive, noxious, or malodorous material or substances which (either singly or by reaction with other wastes) is capable of causing damage to the Coors wastewater treatment system or to any part thereof, or of creating a public nuisance or hazard;

o. Any wastes that contain concentrated dye wastes or other wastes that are either highly colored or could become highly colored by reacting with any other wastes;

p. Any water or wastes containing a toxic or poisonous substance in sufficient quantity to injure or to interfere with any sewage treatment process, to constitute a hazard to humans or to animals, or to create any hazard in the waters which receive the treated or untreated sewage, the twenty-four (24) hour average concentration of certain toxic substances in sewage as it arrives at the point of delivery from the Golden interceptor to the Coors wastewater treatment system not to exceed:

(1) Iron as FE 15 parts per million

q. Any water or wastes containing the discharge of acid iron pickling wastes or plating solutions unless satisfactorily pretreated to an acceptable condition;

r. Any radioactive toxic isotopes of over 100 days' half life, the radioactive isotopes I131 and P32 as used at hospitals not being prohibited if properly diluted at the source;

s. Any wastes which are unusual in composition, i.e., contain an extremely large amount of suspended solids or BOD; are high in dissolved solids such as sodium chloride, calcium chloride, or sodium sulfate; contain substances conducive to creating tastes or odors in drinking water supplies; or otherwise make such waters unpalatable even after conventional water purification treatment; or are in any other way extremely unusual unless Coors determines that such wastes may be treated in its wastewater system;

t. Any material or substance not specifically mentioned in this section which is in itself corrosive, irritating to human beings and animals, toxic, noxious, or which by interaction with other wastes produce undesirable effects, including deleterious action on the system of or any part thereof, could adversely affect any treatment process, could constitute a hazard to humans or to animals, or could have an adverse effect upon the receiving stream.

Section 2. Any ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Introduced, read and ordered published this 10th day of December , 19 81 .

Adopted, approved and ordered published this 28th day of December , 19 81 .

Frank I. Leek, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sharon L. Bennetts, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

I, Sharon L. Bennetts, City Clerk of the City of Golden, Colorado, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and read at a regular meeting of the City Council of said City, held on the 10th day of December, 1981, and was published as a proposed ordinance in the Colorado Transcript, legal newspaper, as the law directs seven days or more prior to its passage; and, that on the 28th day of December, 1981, the said proposed ordinance was read and passed by the City Council at a regular meeting and ordered published in the aforesaid newspaper as the law directs.

Witness my hand and official seal of the City of Golden, Colorado, this 29th day of December, 1981.

(SEAL)

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