

ORDINANCE NO. 289

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ELY, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO SEWER SERVICE CHARGES

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

SECTION 1. SECTION MODIFIED. Section 99.01 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Ely, Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

99.01 SEWER SERVICE CHARGES REQUIRED. Each customer shall pay sewer service charges for the use of and for the service supplied by the municipal sanitary sewer system based upon the amount of water consumed as follows:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

1. Resident Customers.

Gallons Used Per Month	Sewer Rate (increases 2% each year)	7/1/2020	7/1/2021	7/1/2022	7/1/2023	7/1/2024
0 to 1,000 gallons	Minimum Bill (\$33.35)	\$33.35	\$34.01	\$34.69	\$35.38	\$36.08
1,001 to 3,000 gallons	\$33.35 plus \$2.39 per 1,000 gallons	\$2.39	\$2.43	\$2.47	\$2.51	\$2.56
3,001 to 8,000	\$38.13 plus \$4.40 per 1,000 gallons	\$4.40	\$4.48	\$4.56	\$4.65	\$4.74
8,000 gallons or more	\$60.13 plus \$5.68 per 1,000 gallons	\$5.68	\$5.79	\$5.90	\$6.01	\$6.13

2. Nonresident Customers. Nonresident customers of the City sanitary sewer service shall be charged a sum equal to 150 percent of the monthly rate charged to resident customers. This charge shall apply to each separate use if the customer is a temporary user.

3. Premises with Multiple Families or Businesses. Premises having more than one family or business unit located thereon and served by the sewer system, but having only one water bill for the entire premises, shall be charged the normal rate set forth above for the total amount of water service attributable to the premises, and for each additional unit an additional amount equal to the minimum monthly sewer service charge.

4. Home Operated Businesses. Home operated businesses, which are permitted under the Zoning Ordinance of the City, shall not be considered as an additional business unit under the provisions of this section.

5. Water Used for Irrigation. Each premises acquiring a second water meter solely for irrigation purposes shall install said water meter as set out in Section 91.11 of this Code of Ordinances. Sewer service charges shall not be charged for water used for irrigation or other purposes measured by said additional water meter.

SECTION 2. 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 3. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Passed by the Council the 15 day of February, 2021, and approved this 15 day of February, 2021.



Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk

First Reading: Jan. 18, 2021

Second Reading: Feb. 1, 2021

Third Reading: Feb. 15, 2021

I certify that the foregoing was published as Ordinance No. 289 on the 24 day of February, 2021.


City Clerk