

*Repealed by
Ord. 1128*

ORDINANCE NO. 402

RELATING TO WATER SERVICE CONNECTIONS AND INSTALLATION COSTS;
AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 347; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City of Canby has been charging applicants for city water service a basic fee of \$30.00 for each water service meter installed, and except as otherwise provided by other City Ordinances, has absorbed any additional costs connected therewith, and

WHEREAS, the increased costs of labor and material is imposing a financial burden on the City under the present schedule for water connection charges, NOW THEREFORE,

THE CITY OF CANBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: All residents of the City of Canby who apply for City water service after the effective date of this ordinance shall be charged by the City the actual costs for the water service connection made, including the costs of meter, meter box, pipe, pipe fittings and the labor necessary for installing the same and including also the labor of any ditch digging.

Section 2: All water service installations shall be made by the City of Canby, under the supervision of the City Superintendent or City Engineer, as the case may be; provided, however, that the City Council may at its option let a contract for such work and material. Provided further, that the applicant for water service may if he desires dig the ditch in which the pipe is to be laid, but such ditch shall conform to all requirements imposed by the City Superintendent or City Engineer, and shall be first approved by such city official before connection is made to the City's water mains. If a property owner digs his own ditch he shall not be charged by the City for his labor and neither shall he be entitled to a credit for the same.

Section 3: In computing charges for water service install-

ations the City's actual cost, for the material used, not diminished by any rebates from suppliers or payment discounts, shall be the material cost billed to the water user, and the labor charge shall be the then current wage scale paid to the City's Water Department Employees who engage in making the connection multiplied by the total number of man hours actually spent on each particular project.

Section 4: Each water meter installed and the work and material connected therewith shall constitute one (1) separate work project for the purpose of billing the applicant for water service.

Section 5: Each water user shall receive a credit of \$30.00 on his bill for each water meter installed, and such credit shall be a charge against the Water Department fund and absorbed by the City as an operation expense.

Section 6: All materials used by the City in making a water service connection, including meter, meter boxes, pipe, fittings and other materials of whatsoever nature and kind shall remain the property of the City of Canby; and any applicant for City Water shall make and file with the City Recorder an easement for water service purposes if the same be necessary and the same shall be a condition precedent to furnishing water by the City.

Section 7: Section One (1) of Ordinance No. 347 is expressly repealed hereby, and other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are also repealed.

Section 8: It being deemed by the City Council for the City of Canby that an emergency exists, this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its final passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Canby City Council this 1st day of April, 1957; ordered posted as provided by City Charter and to come up for final reading and action at a regular meeting of the Council to be held in Canby City Hall

at 8:00 o'clock P. M., Oregon Standard Time on May 6th, 1957.

Beulah E. Dedmon
Mayor

Attest:

A. B. Evans
City Recorder

On May 6th, 1957, after second reading final action postponed until regular meeting May 20th, 1957.

Passed on final reading this 20th day of May, 1957, by the following vote:

YEAS: 5

NAYS: 0

Submitted to the Mayor this 20 day of May, 1957.

Approved by the Mayor this 20 day of May, 1957.

Beulah E. Dedmon
Mayor

Attest:

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