

ORDINANCE NO. 481

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO TIME FOR PAYMENT OF UTILITY BILLS BY PUBLIC CORPORATIONS; AMENDING ORDINANCES NO. 314, 327 and 370; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Schedule 2 of Rule 16 of Ordinance No. 314 as amended by Ordinance No. 327 and Ordinance No. 370 provides among other things for water and electric utility rates to be charged by the Canby City Water and Light Departments and also provides that such rates as prescribed are net if paid within fifteen days from the billing date, and if not paid within such time shall be paid at the gross rate which is 5% higher; and

WHEREAS, several utility customers of the City are also public or municipal corporations or political subdivisions and because of their accounting procedures, are unable to pay such utility bills within fifteen days of the billing date and are therefore penalized; and

WHEREAS, special considerations are warranted and should be extended such customers; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY OF CANBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: All applicable parts and provisions of Schedule 2, Rule 16 of Ordinance No. 314 as amended by Ordinance No. 327 and Ordinance No. 370 are hereby amended to provide that:

"PAYMENT


The specified rate for any utility service is net, the gross rates being 5% higher. Except as to utility bills to either public or municipal corporations, political subdivisions or agencies of Federal, State or County government, the net rate shall apply if paid within 15 days from the date of the bill, and if not paid within such period, the gross rates shall apply. In cases of public or municipal corporations, political subdivisions, or agencies of Federal, State or County government, the net rate shall apply if current monthly bills are paid within 30 days from the date of the bill, and if not so paid, then the gross rates shall apply."

Section 2: It being deemed by the Canby City Council that an emergency exists, this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its final passage by the Canby City Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Canby City Council this 15th day of March, 1965; ordered posted in three public and conspicuous places in the City of Canby for a period of two full calendar weeks as required by the Canby City Charter, and to come up for final reading and action of the Canby City Council at a regular meeting thereof to be held on the 5th day of April, 1965, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., at the Canby City Hall.


FRED STEFANI - Mayor

ATTEST:



J. R. RICHARDSON - City Recorder

Passed on final reading by the Canby City Council this 5th day of April, 1965, by the following vote: Yeas 6 . Nays 0 .

Approved by the Mayor for the City of Canby this 5th day of April, 1965.


FRED STEFANI - Mayor

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