

ORDINANCE NO. 77

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO WATER METERS, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 11, PROVIDING PENALTIES, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF TROUTDALE:

SECTION 1. No water shall be taken from the Troutdale Water System until a meter has been installed for the specific dwelling unit, commercial establishment or other place of use of the water. The meter and installation thereof shall conform to the requirements set forth by the Common Council and be under the direction of the Marshall and Maintenance Man.

SECTION 2. The meter shall be installed at or near the property line. The cost of the meter and installation shall be paid by the property owner to the Town, on the basis of the following schedule, based upon inside diameter size of intake pipe of meter:

<u>Size</u>	<u>Cost</u>
3/4 inch	\$75.
1 inch	\$100.
1½ inch	\$125.

The charge so calculated shall be the total charge and shall include installation and laying of pipe from street to property line. If laying of pipe is necessary to bring a water line to a point in the street in front of the property, the cost thereof shall be an additional charge to the owner.

SECTION 3. All water meters shall remain the property of the Town.

SECTION 4. Any person tampering with, or turning on or off, any water meter, or connection thereof, of the Troutdale Water System, without authority from the Town, shall be subject to fine of not to exceed \$25.00 or imprisonment of not to exceed 10 days, or both.

SECTION 5. Upon the taking effect of this ordinance, Ordinance No. 11 of Troutdale, passed by the Council and signed by the Mayor on or about May 14, 1946, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed; provided, however, that any fees, charges or penalties incurred under such repealed ordinance shall continue to be in effect until satisfied.

SECTION 6. It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Town, and therefore an emergency is declared to exist and this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect when signed by the Mayor.

Passed by the Common Council of the Town of Troutdale this 9 day of July, 1963.

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Signed by the Mayor this 9 day of July, 1963.

(s) Vernon Rathman  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

(s) J. Stanley Nuffer  
RECORDER

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