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AMENDING CITY OF WARRENTON ORDINANCE No. 855-A, ESTABLISHING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR WARRENTON WATER DEPARTMENT AND ALL AREAS SERVED BY THE MUNICIPAL WATER DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, certain changes are necessary to update and amend Ordinance No. 855-A;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of Warrenton, Oregon, ordains as follows:

Section 1. **APPLICATIONS** is hereby amended, adding (8):

(8) New services will not be allowed when the length of service lines or other hydraulic considerations would provide a level of service at the point of use that is below acceptable standards, which are defined as providing 30 PSI during periods of high system demand through a properly-sized meter. New services will be allowed only in areas where the system is able to provide an adequate level of service to existing customers throughout the year and where public mains front the property.

Section 2. **INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE** is hereby amended as follows:

(2) **SERVICE:** Except for in-city residential, all water users shall be required to install water meters, the kind or make of said meters to be approved or designated by the water department. Upon the applicant's payment, in full, of both current tap and meter charges, meters may be installed by the water department. Users requiring larger than a one-inch service shall be directly responsible for all labor, materials and meter costs. Upon such prepayment, the water department will furnish all labor, etc. as noted in **Section 2(1)**, plus a meter and meter box. The department will make all installations in the order received.

(3) **WATER METERS:** Meters will be installed to serve multiple living units, such as duplexes, apartment houses, etc., unless the owner requests a separate service for each unit. If a separate service is requested, each out-of-city service will be metered and charged the appropriate rate while the in-city customer is charged the flat rate for water usage.

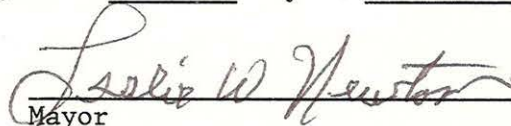
(9) **WATER METER OWNERSHIP & REPAIRS:** The applicant is responsible for the current tap fee or for all labor, materials and meter costs to install services that exceed one inch. The city will then assume ownership of the meter and be responsible for servicing and maintenance of the meter.


**First reading:** 5- 2-90

**Second reading:** 5-16-90

PASSED by the City Commission of the City of Warrenton, Oregon, this 16th day of May 1990.

APPROVED by the Mayor of the City of Warrenton, this 16th day of May 1990.

  
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Mayor

ATTEST:  
  
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City Manager/Auditor