

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 17-47 (a)(5) OF THE  
GILLETTE CITY CODE TO REVISE WHOLESAL WATER  
RATES FOR WATER FURNISHED BY THE CITY OF GILLETTE

SECTION ONE. Section 17-47 (a)(5) of the Gillette City Code is amended to read as follows:

(5) Wholesale Water Rates. This rate applies to all organizations which operate water distribution systems (Wholesale Customers), as well as all individual customers, who receive water from the Gillette Regional Water Supply System, pursuant to the Gillette Regional Water Supply System Joint Powers Agreement, approved by the Wyoming Attorney General January 4, 2011 (the JPA). The Wholesale Water Rates pay the operation and maintenance costs of pumping water, treatment and transporting water to the distribution systems which furnish that water to individual connections. Wholesale Customers distribute water through their own distribution system to their individual customers. Wholesale Customers may establish rates to cover the costs of their own distribution systems. The City of Gillette is a Wholesale Customer of the Gillette Regional Water Supply System. Wholesale Customers shall be billed at the rate they select. Individual customers of the City of Gillette distribution system shall pay the rate listed in §17-47 (A) (5) A of the Gillette City Code, in addition to the rate in §17-47 (A) (1) or (2) Gillette City Code, that applies to their service.

A. Year-Round Rate. This rate applies to wholesale customers who are constantly connected to the City's water supply and take water throughout the year. The rate is the sum of two parts, a fixed monthly charge and a usage charge.

(i) Fixed Charge - \$6.50 per individual connection per month.

(ii) Usage charge - \$3.01 per thousand gallons.

B. Intermittent Rate. This rate applies to wholesale customers who are not constantly connected to the water supply. The rate is the sum of two parts, a fixed monthly maintenance charge for the water system and a usage charge.

(i) Maintenance Charge - \$5.00 per individual connection per month.

(ii) Usage charge - \$6.03 per thousand gallons.

SECTION TWO. This ordinance shall become effective for water delivered starting on November 1, 2016.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

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John Opseth, Mayor

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ATTEST:

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Karlene Abelseth, City Clerk  
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