

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 2178

AN ORDINANCE establishing water service and consumption charges for the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue, and repealing Ordinance 2166.

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into November 1, 1973, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Bellevue Sewer District, has assumed the obligations of the district and has taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into July 15, 1970, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Lake Hills Sewer District, has assumed the obligations of the district and has taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into November 7, 1972, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 99, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into October 27, 1970, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 97, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into February 26, 1973, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 68, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellevue operates its own municipal water system, including the facilities heretofore acquired from Water Districts Nos. 68, 97 and 99, King County, Washington, and its own sanitary sewerage system, including the facilities heretofore acquired from Bellevue Sewer District and Lake Hills Sewer District, King County, Washington, and

WHEREAS, said municipal water system and sanitary sewerage system have been combined into the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue pursuant to Ordinance No. 2169, adopted January 20, 1975, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the public interest to establish the following schedule of charges for water service and consumption for said Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue, now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. There are hereby established and shall be collected from each user of water service provided by the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue, water service and water consumption charges as hereinafter provided. The schedule of charges hereby established shall supercede as of the effective date designated in section 6 hereof, all existing schedules of charges, whether established by the City of Bellevue or by Water Districts Nos. 68, 97 or 99.

Section 2. The service charge per bi-monthly billing period for each user of water service, except those specifically governed by section 4 hereof, for locations outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be as follows:

<u>Meter Size (inches)</u>	<u>Bi-monthly service Charge Per Meter in Operation</u>
5/8 or 3/4	\$ 8.50
1	10.70
1-1/2	15.90
2	27.60
3	43.80
4	79.00
6	142.80
8	240.00
10	380.00

The charge for locations inside the city limits of Bellevue shall be 105.233% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

Section 3. The consumption charge per bi-monthly billing period for each user of water service, except those specifically governed by section 4 hereof, for locations outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be as follows:

<u>Consumed Cubic Feet</u>	<u>Charge Per 100 Cubic Feet of Water</u>
0-1,000	no charge
1,001-2,000	\$ 0.372
2,001-20,000	0.334
Over 20,000	0.267

The charge for locations inside the city limit of Bellevue shall be 105.233% of the appropriate charge as determined above. In addition, there shall be a \$2.00 per bi-monthly billing period surcharge on former Water District No. 23 customers until March 11, 1984, and a \$2.00 per bi-monthly billing period surcharge on former Norwood Village customers until July 1, 1979.

Section 4. The charge per bi-monthly billing period for each multi-family residential structure or facility served through a single meter shall be as follows:

- A. The service charge set forth in Section 2 above for the size of the meter serving the premises plus
- B. A service charge of \$6.00 per dwelling unit, excepting one dwelling unit, for locations outside the City limits of Bellevue. For locations inside the City limits of Bellevue, the service charge shall be 105.233% of the charge as determined hereunder, plus
- C. A consumption charge for all water consumed for locations outside the City limits of Bellevue in excess of 1,000 cubic feet per dwelling unit, based on the following table. For locations inside the City limits of Bellevue, the consumption charge shall be 105.233% of the charge as determined by said table:

<u>Cubic Feet Consumed (in excess of 1,000 per dwelling)</u>	<u>Charge Per 100 Cubic Feet of Water</u>
1-1,000	\$ 0.372
1,001-19,000	0.334
Over 19,000	0.267

For purposes of this section "multi-family residential structure or facility" shall mean any residential structure or facility containing two or more dwelling units, including, but not limited to, duplexes, triplexes, apartment buildings, trailer parks, and parcels containing two or more separate dwelling units, but shall not include hotels and motels.

Section 5. The service charge per bi-monthly billing period for fire standby meters for locations outside the City limits of Bellevue shall be as follows:

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Bi-monthly Charge</u>
2"	\$ 7.00
3"	9.00
4"	11.00
6"	17.00
8"	27.00
10"	37.00

For locations inside the City limits of Bellevue, the charge shall be 105.233% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

Section 6. All charges herein established shall apply to water consumed and services provided on and after February 1, 1975. Ordinance No. 2166 shall cease to be in effect, and shall be repealed as of said date.

Section 7. If any section of this ordinance, or any portion of any section of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance or the application of the provision to other persons and circumstances, shall not be affected.

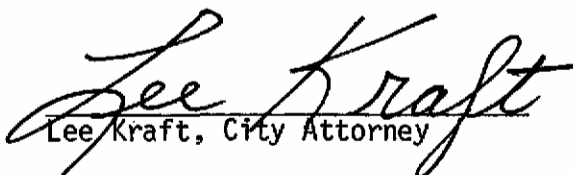
Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five days after its passage, approval and legal publication.

PASSED by the City Council this 20 day of January, 1975, and signed in authentication of its passage this 20 day of January, 1975.


(SEAL)


Richard M. Foreman, Mayor

Approved as to form:


Lee Kraft, City Attorney

Attest:


Patricia K. Weber, City Clerk

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