

CITY OF MELVINDALE

ORDINANCE NO. 478-X

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 478, AS AMENDED, KNOWN AS "AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE WATER TAPS TO CITY WATER SYSTEM AND SEWER DRAINS; TO PROVIDE FOR PERMIT FEES; TO ESTABLISH PIPE SPECIFICATIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR INSPECTIONS; TO REGULATE THE PURCHASE OF WATER METERS AND PROHIBIT THEIR REMOVAL; TO PROHIBIT THE TAKING OF WATER FROM THE SYSTEM; TO REGULATE WATER SHUT-OFFS; TO ESTABLISH WATER RATES, OPERATION OF MAIN RATES, WATER METER SERVICE CHARGES AND SEWAGE RATES.

THE CITY OF MELVINDALE ORDAINS:

ARTICLE I. Amendment: That Ordinance No. 478, as previously amended, is hereby amended to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. Section 22-29 (4). "WATER SERVICE TO PREMISES OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS"

Sewerage Disposal Fee to be computed at the following rate effective on all bills rendered on or after September 1, 2008:

\$31.08 per thousand cubic feet.

Section 2. Section 22-50. "WATER RATES, WHEN PAYABLE"

The following rates for water supply shall be charged per thousand cubic feet on all bills rendered on or after September 1, 2008.

\$15.22 per thousand cubic feet

Section 3. Section 22-51. "CHARGES FOR THE COSTS OF OPERATIONS OF MAINS WITHIN THE CITY OF MELVINDALE"

The following rate shall be rendered in any bills issued on or after September 1, 2008: \$13.96 per thousand cubic feet.

ARTICLE II. Severability: Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any Court of competent jurisdiction or by any agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holding shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase or any portion of the Ordinance held to be invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of the Ordinance.

ARTICLE III. Conflicting Ordinances: All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Melvindale inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

ARTICLE IV. Reading and Publication. This ordinance shall be deemed an emergency ordinance and given a first reading on July 2, 2008 and second reading on July 16, 2008; shall be adopted on July 16, 2008; shall be published by posting three (3) copies in three (3) conspicuous places in the City and shall be effective upon such publication. The Clerk shall also publish a summary of this Ordinance and include in the publication notice that a true copy of the Ordinance can be inspected or obtained at the Clerk's office.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the Common Council of the City of Melvindale this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2008.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the ordinance adopted by the Common Council of the City of Melvindale at a regular meeting held on July 16, 2008.

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Kelly L. Blevins, City Clerk

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing ordinance was duly published by posting copies thereof in three (3) conspicuous places in the City of Melvindale on the 30 day of July, 2008, to wit:

1. City Hall, 3100 Oakwood Boulevard.
2. Ice Arena, 4300 S. Dearborn Road
3. Library, 18650 Allen Road

and by publishing a summary of the foregoing ordinance in the News Herald Newspaper on August 6, 2008.

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Kelly L. Blevins, City Clerk