EAST DUCHESNE CULINARY WATER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

ORDINANCE #24-1

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE CONNECTION FEE CHARGES AND THE SERVICE FEE CHARGES TO BE LEVIED UPON ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES WHICH OBTAIN WATER SERVICE FROM THE EAST DUCHESNE CULINARY WATER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE EAST DUCHESNE CULINARY WATER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I

<u>Purpose and Definitions</u>. The purpose of this ordinance shall be to establish the method which shall be used to determine the connection fee charges and the service fees for water service provided by the East Duchesne Culinary Water Improvement District.

All reference to the "District" herein shall mean the East Duchesne Culinary Water Improvement District and/or its governing body. The charges set forth herein are only for water service and connection fees or charges which must be paid before the water service may be obtained by the consumer.

Consumer" shall mean any person receiving any water which is delivered through the culinary water system owned or operated by the "District", or operated by the East Duchesne Culinary Water Improvement District.

SECTION II

<u>Water Rates</u>. The rates to be charged by the "District" and paid by the "Consumer" for water provided to "Consumer" by "District" shall be \$45.00 for zero to ten thousand (10,000)

gallons of water delivered during each one (1) month billing period. Any water delivered to any "Consumer" in excess of ten thousand (10,000) gallons in a one (1) month billing period shall be billed at a rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per thousand gallons for residential consumers and one dollar and sixty five cents (\$1.65) per 1,000 gallon for commercial consumers.

SECTION III

Billing for Water Supply. The billing period for water service shall be one (1) calendar month. "Consumer" shall pay at the office of "District" for all water delivered by "District" during the preceding one (1) month billing period on the twenty fifth (25^{th}) of each month.

SECTION IV

Water Meters. "District" shall furnish, inspect, test, repair and keep in repair all meters and other instruments which may be required to measure the water delivered to "Consumer" by "District". "Consumer" shall furnish adequate and convenient space for any meters and instruments which are to be located on "consumer's" premises. "Consumer" may at any time inspect and test any and all such meters and instruments. Such inspection shall be made in the presence of a representative of "District" upon giving "District" ten (10) days prior written notice of the inspection. Water meters and instruments shall be at all times the sole

property of "District" and may be removed by "District" at any time after water service to "Consumer" is discontinued.

SECTION V

Discontinuance of Water Service. "District" may discontinue delivery of water to any "Consumer" upon failure of "Consumer" to pay or make suitable arrangements to pay for any water service provided to "Consumer" by "District", if said bill remains unpaid for more than sixty (60) days after billing. The "District" will send a registered letter to the "Consumer" demanding payment of delinguency and/or notice of intent to disconnect.

Once water service has been discontinued for failure to pay water service fees, service shall not be restored until the "Consumer" seeking restoration of service shall have made full payment of all service fees and interest due from said "Consumer". In addition, the "Consumer" shall be assessed and must pay before service is restored, a one hundred fifty dollar (150.00) re-connection fee.

SECTION VI

Change in Water Service Rates. The water service rates established by this ordinance may be changed at any time upon adoption by the Board of Trustees of a written resolution setting forth the reasons for the change of rates and the new rate schedule. No resolution to increase water rates may be acted upon by the Board of Trustees of "District" until notice of the proposal

to increase said rates shall have been published in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation in the "District" for at least three (3) weeks prior to the date upon which the resolution is acted upon. No resolution to increase water service rates may be acted upon unless a copy of the full text of the said resolution shall have been delivered to each member of the Board of Trustees of the "District" not less than ten (10) days prior to the meeting at which the resolution will be considered. Any resolution to increase water service rates must be approved by not less than three (3) members of the Board of Trustees and said resolution must be considered and voted upon at a regularly scheduled meeting of "District".

SECTION VII

Cost for Hook-ups. The "Consumer" will pay the "District" the sum of four thousand-five hundred dollars (\$4,500) for each hook-up requested. The "District" must be paid in full for the hook-up prior to the installation.

SECTION VIII

<u>Water Connection</u>. Acceptance by the "District" of payment of the connection fee shall entitle the payor to a water connection of the size for which payment has been received. A water connection shall entitle the purchaser thereof to connect a water line of the size of the connection purchased to a water main owned or operated

by the East Duchesne Culinary Water Improvement District at the point designated by the "District". Actual connections to the water main owned or operated by the "District" shall be made by the "District" or in a manner and by a person approved by the "District". No water connection shall be buried until it has been inspected and approved by the "District" inspector. As part of the connection fee the "District" shall provide and set in place the water meter required by the connection and shall construct the water line from the main line to the boundary of the property owned by the owner of the connection provided that the property owned by the owner of the connection must be located not more than forty (40) feet from an existing water main owned or operated by the "District".

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