

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND ESTABLISHING RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE SERVICES OF THE WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF NETTLETON, MISSISSIPPI.

WHEREAS, the City of Nettleton, Mississippi, owns and operates its water and sewer system and in order to provide funds for the operation of said systems, were establish as reordered in Minute Book #32 that rates for the use and services of the utility.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF NETTLETON, MS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Therefore the rates and charges for the use and services of the municipal water and sewer of the City of Nettleton be amended hereby this resolution. Such rates and charges shall be made and collected against each customer who shall directly or indirectly receive water and sewer service from the municipal system. The rates and charges shall be based upon the quantity of water used be each consumer, as measured by the water meter, and the charges shall be computed on a monthly bases. The following rate schedules are established.

SECTION 2. The Mayor and Board of Alderman of the sewage works shall review the Sewer User Charge System periodically, and the Town/City shall revise the Sewer User Charge System and/or Rates, if necessary, to generate sufficient revenue to pay the total cost necessary for the proper operation and maintenance (including replacement) of the sewage works and retirement of debt including the repayment of Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund loans, bonds and other water and sewer loans.

Category	Residential	Commercial	Multifamily
<u>Water Rates</u>			
Base Minimum	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50
Base Amount	2000 gal	2000 gal	2000 gal
Over 2000	\$5.65 per 1000 gals	\$5.65 per 1000 gals	\$5.65 X No. of Units per 1000 gals
<u>Sewer Rates</u>			
Base Minimum	\$9.50	\$9.50	\$9.50
Base Amount	\$2000 gal	2000 gal	2000 gal
Over 2000	\$5.65 per 1000 gals	\$5.65per 1000 gals	\$5.65 X No. of Units per 1000 gals

Furthermore, .10 per 1000 gallons will be added yearly effective the month of this passage to the over anything over 2000 gals until further notice.

SECTION 3: Water shall be supplied through meters and the meters shall be read monthly by the city. The following rate schedules are adopted for methods of payment for connection, meter deposits and others.

Special services:

(A). A connection fee of \$300.00 for each connection to the water system and a connection fee of \$300.00 for connection to the sewer system. A two (2) inch meter connection shall be based on cost. Said fees shall be paid before water service is turned on.

(B). A water deposit of \$50.00 and a \$25.00 service charge shall be deposited with the city before water service is turned on to the premises for all buyers. \$125.00 for renters plus \$25.00 service charge.

(C). There will be a nonrefundable \$30.00 connection fee for any temporary cut on for 3 days.

(D). Utility bills will be mailed out on or about the 25th day of the month and will be due on or before the 10th day of the month.

(E). If not paid by the 10th of the month a 10% discount shall be forfeited on the amount of the bill.

(F). If not paid by the 21<sup>st</sup>, service will be discontinued. A disconnect charge of \$40.00 shall be added to the amount due.

(G). Before making any water or sewer connections, the owner or person in charge shall make application to the City of Nettleton at City Hall.

(H). When any vacant premises are occupied, the customer shall first notify the City of Nettleton before any water is turned on or used.

(I). Each family or establishment using City water shall be metered separately.  
(J). 2" Meter or above connection shall be at cost.

(K). No water that has been disconnected for non-payment will be turned back on after 4:00 p.m., except for a medical emergency.

SECTION 4. Any person, firm or corporation, who shall violate any of the provisions of this resolution, shall upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$500.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the financial condition of the City of Nettleton, Mississippi requires that this resolution become effective immediately.

After the aforesaid Resolution was read and considered Alderman Thomas Adams moved that the foregoing Resolution be adopted and approved. The motion was seconded by Jeff Finch and the matter was put to vote:

Alderman Adams	YEA
Alderman Fulco	YEA
Alderman Finch	YEA
Alderman Gladney	YEA
Alderman Lee	YEA

**WHEREUPON, the** foregoing Resolution was declared passed and adopted at a meeting of the Mayor and Board of Alderman held at 5:00 pm on the 4TH day of May, 2018.

Mem Riley  
Mayor

Attest: Dana Burcham  
City Clerk