

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND RE-ENACT SECTION 21-12.1
OF THE THIBODAUX CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES**

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Thibodaux in regular session assembled, that Section 21-12.1 of the Thibodaux City Code of Ordinances is hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

(a) *Water service.*

- (1) The fee charged for the installation of a water service line and meter, regardless of size or length, shall be the estimated costs incurred by the city for labor and actual costs of materials as determined by the director of public works.**
- (2) The installation of an additional water meter to an existing service connection shall be eighty dollars (\$80.00) plus one dollar and fifty-five cents (\$1.55) per foot for the extension.**
- (3) The installation of a larger water meter than three-quarter inch by five-eighths inch shall be the actual costs to the city for labor and materials.**

(b) *Gas service.*

- (1) The fee charged for the installation of a gas service line and meter, regardless of size or length, shall be the estimated costs incurred by the city for labor and actual costs of materials as determined by the director of public works.**
- (2) The installation of a larger gas regulator and gas meter than one (1) inch shall be the actual costs to the city for labor and materials.**
- (3) The installation of an additional one-inch gas regulator and one-inch gas meter to an existing service connection shall be eighty dollars (\$80.00), plus one dollar and eighty cents (\$1.80) per foot for the extension.**

(c) *Sewer service installation.*

- (1) The fee charged for the installation of a sewer lateral (service) shall be the estimated costs incurred by the city for labor and the actual cost of materials as determined by the director of public works.**
- (2) If a lot has a sewer lateral existing on the property, a sewer service charge of twelve dollars (\$12.00) shall be charged for inspection.**
- (3) If a lot has a sewer lateral existing on the property and said lot owner desires to install another tap into the sewer line, he shall be charged at the rate of the actual costs to the city for labor, materials and equipment.**

(d) *Newly developed property.*

- (1) Newly developed property shall be that property which does not have sewer, water or gas mains servicing the property. Servicing shall mean that at some point the property in question shall be located adjacent to the sewer, water or gas mains.**
- (2) The owner or developer of the property shall be charged the actual cost to the city to have the sewer, gas and water main installed and having the sewer laterals, gas and water service installed to the property line.**
- (3) The costs of relocation of a water, gas or sewer service lateral shall be the actual cost to the city of the relocation.**

The above ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAINED:

ABSENT:

And the above ordinance was declared adopted this _____ day of _____, 2006.

Tommy Eschete, Council Adm.

Chad J. Mire, President