

ORDINANCE NO. 358

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF VALLEY SPRINGS, SD, AMENDING THE REVISED MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, TITLE 8: WATER AND SEWER, CHAPTER 8.02: WATER PROVISIONS, SECTION 8.0210: PAYMENT OF WATER RATES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF VALLEY SPRINGS, MINNEHAHA COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. That Section 8.0210 of the Revised Municipal Ordinances of the City of Valley Springs, South Dakota, is hereby amended to read as follows:

8.0210 Payment of Water Rates. The owner of any property where water service is supplied by the City of Valley Springs will be held responsible for the payment of all water bills by the 20th day of each calendar month. Any bill for water services which is not paid prior to the 21st day of the month in which it is due, shall be deemed delinquent and the water becomes subject to being shut off. A late fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) shall be added if payment is received after the 20th day of the month following billing.

After a bill becomes delinquent, a notice of disconnection will be sent to the user. If the past due amount is not paid, a City employee will personally serve notice that the water shall be shut off to the delinquent property within ten (10) days of service of such notice. If after such personal notice, the delinquent property owner has not either paid the bill, together with the actual costs of personal service or appealed the water and/or wastewater charge to the City Council, the Superintendent shall then shut off water service.

An appeal of the water charge may be had in the manner specified under Section 8.0104.

Adopted this 19th day of April, 2022.

Carl Zper
Mayor

ATTEST: Shirley Bayer
Finance Officer

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