

ORDINANCE 126

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SEWER AND WATER SYSTEM CONNECTION FEE FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF CROOKS, MINNEHAHA COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

WHEREAS, the City Council of Crooks, South Dakota, desires to establish a fee for residential and commercial properties for connecting to the City of Crooks Municipal Water and Sewer system.

Section 1. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to establish a fee for new connections to the City of Crooks Municipal Water and Sewer System.

Section 2. EFFECT

Ordinance 126 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Crooks, South Dakota, as hereinafter set forth, will establish a fee of \$1000.00 (One Thousand) for residential properties, and a fee of \$1000.00 (One Thousand) for commercial properties to connect to the City of Crooks Municipal Water and Sewer System. Multi-unit buildings shall be charged at a rate of \$1000.00 (One Thousand) plus \$25 (Twenty Five Dollars) per unit.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE AND ENACTMENT OF FEE

Be it ordained by the City of Crooks, South Dakota, from and after the 1st day of January, 2003, there is hereby imposed, as a fee for connecting to the City of Crooks Municipal Water and Sewer System, the sum of \$1000.00 (One Thousand) for residential properties, and \$1000.00 (One Thousand) for commercial properties. Multi-unit buildings shall be charged at a rate of \$1000.00 (One Thousand) plus \$25 (Twenty Five Dollars) per unit.

Section 4. INTERPRETATION.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. USE OF REVENUE.

Any revenues received under Section 3 of this ordinance may be used for Water\Sewer Expansion, as approved by the City Council of the City of Crooks.

Section 6. SEPARABILITY.

If any provision of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances held invalid, the constitutionality of the remainder of the ordinance, and applicability thereof to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

The City Council of Crooks recommend that no changes occur in the rates listed above for a period of three years.

Dated this 13th day of January, 2003.

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Second Reading	January 4, 2003
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Effective Date	February 19, 2003


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