

Town of Bear River

Resolution 05-04

A RESOLUTION TO ACCOMPANY THE 2005-2006 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ALL FEES, COSTS AND CHARGES TO BE COLLECTED FOR SERVICES, UTILITIES, SECURITY OR OTHER TOWN PURPOSES DURING THE 2005-2006 FISCAL YEAR, REPEALER; AUTHORITY TO AMEND

WHEREAS, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF BEAR RIVER charges and collect certain fees, costs and payments for the services, utilities, oversight and enforcement of the ordinance of the town; and

WHEREAS, those fees and charges may need to change from time to time to reflect the actual cost to the town to provide those services etc. to the public; and

WHEREAS, it is logical and convenient to review all fees and costs to be charged while preparing the annual appropriation budget; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the public and town staff to have the fees clearly stated and available for review.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF BEAR RIVER, WYOMING THAT:

Section One:

Water Fees:

The following fees, costs and charges pertaining to the water distribution system of the town shall be collected commencing as of July 1, 2005.

New Tap-In and Hook-up Fees

A flat fee of \$1,000.00 will be charged for upgrading existing hook-ups.

A flat fee of \$2,500.00 will be charged for New hook-ups.

A flat fee of \$750.00 will be charged for curb stop hook-ups.

Monthly Service Charge

A monthly \$31.00 service charge on water users, presently active will be assessed. A monthly \$16.00 service charge on water users, presently in-active will also be assessed. This shall entitle the active water users to 3,000 gallons of water.

A \$10.00 late fee will be charged on water users that are over 30 days late.

Water will be shut off if customers balance is over 120 days late.

Charge for Water Used

A cost of \$1.25 for each 1,000 gallons, or portion thereof shall be assessed for all water used over 1,000 gallons per monthly billing period.

Reconnect Fees after Shut-off

A fee of \$150.00 shall be collected from all water users whose water is shut off for non-payment. A water deposit of \$300.00 shall also be collected from all water users whose water is shut off for non-payment. This fee, along with any unpaid charges, shall be paid prior to water supply being restored.

Water Deposits

A water deposit of \$300.00 shall be collected from all new water users on existing taps, and shall be refunded to said customer after 12 consecutive payments are made.

Section Two:

Sewer Fees

The following rates, and charges and fees pertaining to the sewer collection system of the town shall be collected, commencing July 1, 2005.

Sewer Hook-up Fee

A flat fee of \$1,000 will be charged for new hook up.
A sewer deposit of \$300.00 shall be collected from all new sewer users, and shall be refunded to said customer after 12 consecutive payments are made and/or; A \$136.00 fee shall be collected for 12 months of sewer service and the deposit would then be waived.

Monthly Service Charges

A quarterly service charge of \$34.00 will be assessed for sewer hook-up in use.
A monthly service charge of 8.00 will be assessed sewer hook-up that are not in use.
A \$10.00 late fee will be charged on sewer users that are over 30 days late.
Small Claims Court paperwork will be filed if the accounts are 120 days late and customers are responsible for all court costs.

Section Three:

Irrigation Fees

An \$5.00 per acre, annual fee is assessed for irrigation users that can pump or siphon water from the irrigation ditches.
A \$10.00 late fee will be assessed for irrigation users that are over 30 days late.
Small Claims Court paperwork will be filed if the accounts are 120 days late and the customer is responsible for all small claim court costs accrued.

Other Miscellaneous Fees

A fee of \$20.00 shall be collected from all water and sewer users for returned checks on their services. (NSF-Insufficient Funds)

