

Motion was made by Rayma B. Causey, seconded by Tom Wolff,
that the following Ordinance be passed:

NO. 12

AN ORDINANCE BY TOWN OF WHISPERING OAKS, TEXAS,
PROVIDING FOR CONNECTIONS INTO SANITARY SEWER
SYSTEM, AND PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY; PRE-
SCRIBING THE RATES TO BE CHARGED FOR SEWER SERVICE;
PROVIDING THAT NO FREE SERVICE SHALL BE ALLOWED;
PROVIDING PENALTY, AND PRESCRIBING AND EFFECT OF
FAILURE TO PAY ACCOUNTS; AND PROVIDING FOR SAVINGS
CLAUSE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Whispering Oaks is completing
the installation of a sanitary sewer disposal plant com-
plete, located in the Town limits, and it is deemed necessary
and proper that charges be provided for a service connection
thereto:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF
THE TOWN OF WHISPERING OAKS, TEXAS:

SECTION I.

CONNECTION REQUIRED

- (1) That every owner of a residential building
or other kind of improvement located in the Town, shall be
and are hereby required to tie onto or connect into the Town
sewer lines for service, within a period of Sixty (60) days
from date said sanitary sewer plant is complete, becomes
operational, and no charge will be made therefor during
said time.
- (2) That thereafterwards a charge of Thirty-Five
and No/100 (\$35.00) Dollars per connection will be made and
collected.
- (3) That upon failure of any person to comply
with the foregoing provisions shall be deemed in violation
thereof, and shall be punished by a fine in an amount not
to exceed Two Hundred and No/100 (\$200.00) Dollars, and
each day of failing to comply shall be a separate offense.

SECTION II.

NO FREE SERVICE

That no free service shall be allowed, and should the Town or any of its agencies or instrumentalities make use of the service and facilities of the sewer system of said Town, payment therefor shall be paid according to the rates herein prescribed and under the conditions herein prescribed.

SECTION III.

RATES

There shall be charged and collected by the Town from all residents, a monthly sewer charge of \$8.00.

SECTION IV.

TIME AND PLACE OF PAYMENT

That all accounts for sewer service shall be due and payable on or before the 30th day of each month, at the office of the Town Secretary in the Town of Whispering Oaks, Texas, unless otherwise provided.

SECTION V.

PENALTIES FOR LATE PAYMENT

That there shall be added to each account for sewer services paid which is more than Thirty (30) days past due, the sum equal to Ten (10%) per cent of the amount of said account, as a penalty for late payment thereof.

SECTION VI.

DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE

That water and water service to any consumer whose sewer service account is more than 30 days delinquent shall be discontinued, even though he is not delinquent in payment for water service, and in addition to the customary charges as herein set out, there shall be charged and collected the sum of Eight and No/100 (\$8.00) Dollars for resumption of such service to said consumer.

SECTION VII.

SAVINGS CLAUSE

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any

circumstance is held invalid, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance, and the City Council hereby declares that it would have passed such remaining portions despite such invalidity.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 1st day of October, A. D. 1975.




MAYOR

ATTEST:



Town Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT:



Geo. B. Darden, Town Attorney