

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 07-01; ARTICLE 5 – *Connection to the District's Treated Water System*

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Directors of the Georgetown Divide Public Utility District (“District”), County of El Dorado, State of California, as follows:

ARTICLE 1. *Recitals*

A. Pursuant to Government Code Section 66013 et seq. the governing board of a district is authorized to levy a fee or capacity charge for any new connection to the district's water system to defray the cost of the public facilities necessary to serve the new connection.

B. Under this Ordinance, new connections shall include situations where a second connection is made to a parcel for residential purposes and that parcel already has an existing, operable connection.

C. District records indicated that there are multiple accounts with two meters serving one residential parcel. Generally, these parcels have two individual residences on the parcel, and each residence is served by a separate meter.

D. District water consumption records show that the parcels with multiple meters tend to consume less water per meter, on average, than accounts where one meter serves one parcel.

E. Installing additional connections taking less water will result in a long-term cost savings to the District as the maintenance costs of these connections will be less than connections that take the full capacity of the connection for sustained periods.

F. By Ordinance 07-01, ARTICLE 5. *Connection to the District's Treated Water System*, the governing board of the District established a Capital Facility Connection Fee and Capacity Charge for connections to the District's treated water system.

G. The Board of Directors (“Board”) finds that prior to adopting this Ordinance, the Board held a public meeting at which time oral or written presentations were received regarding the above ordinance at a regularly scheduled meeting on the 14th day of June, 2016.

ARTICLE 2. *Amendment to Ordinance No. 07-01; ARTICLE 5-Connection to the District's Treated Water System:*

Upon the effective date of this Ordinance, ARTICLE 5, of Ordinance No. 07-01 is amended. ARTICLE 5. *Connection to the District's Treated Water System* is amended to add the following section:

(c) Reduced connection fee for a second service connection providing residential service to the same parcel.

(1) The connection fee for a second 5/8-3/4 meter, serving the same parcel for residential purposes, shall be 50 percent of the value identified in section (a) above for 5/8-3/4 meters.

(2) Should an upgrade in meter size from a 5/8-3/4 meter to a 1-inch meter be required to meet the demands of a residential fire sprinkler system for the second service connection identified in this section, the upgrade fee waiver established in section (b)(1) above shall apply.

ARTICLE 3. *Commencement Date*

The effective date of this Ordinance shall be 30 calendar days following its adoption by the Board.

ARTICLE 4. *Severability*

If any portion, phrase or segment of this Ordinance is found by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such finding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The District hereby declares its intent to adopt this Ordinance irrespective of the fact that one or more of its provisions may be declared invalid subsequent thereto.

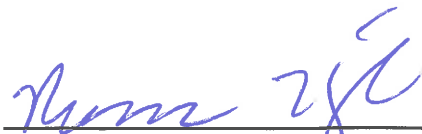
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was duly INTRODUCED at a regularly held meeting of the Board of Directors of the GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT on the 14th day of June, 2016, and was PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT on this 12th day of July, 2016, by the following vote:

AYES: Capraun, Hanschild, Hoelscher, Krizl, Uso

NOES:

ABSENT/ABSTAIN

By:



Norman A. Krizl, President
Board of Directors

GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

ATTEST:

By:

Wendell B. Wall

Wendell B. Wall, Clerk and ex officio
Secretary, Board of Directors
GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of **Ordinance 2016-02** duly and regularly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Georgetown Divide Public Utility District, El Dorado County, California, at a meeting duly held on the 12th day of July, 2016.

Wendell B. Wall

Wendell B. Wall, Clerk and ex officio
Secretary of the
GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT