

ORDINANCE NO. 35

AN ORDINANCE OF RUNNING SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 8, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR WATER SERVICE, ESTABLISHING PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT EXTENSIONS TO PAY UNUSUALLY LARGE BILLS FOR WATER SERVICE DUE TO LEAKS IN THE CUSTOMER'S WATER SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of Running Springs Water District wishes to amend Ordinance No. 8, the District's Rules and Regulations for Water Service, to provide an extension of time for the payment of unusually large water bills resulting from leaks in a customer's on-site water system;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Directors of Running Springs Water District that Ordinance No. 8 is hereby amended as follows:

1. Sections 10.8 and 10.9 of Ordinance No. 8 are hereby renumbered as Sections 10.9 and 10.10, respectively.

2. Section 10.8 is hereby added to Ordinance No. 8, as follows:

10.8 Payment Extension Due to Leaks. In the event of a large water bill attributed to a leak in the customer's on-site water system, the District in its discretion may enter into an agreement with the customer permitting him/her to pay the portion of the bill attributed to the leak in installments over a specified period of time. The customer will be required to sign an agreement with payment terms. Upon execution of the agreement, the District will not terminate water service for non-payment of the bill during the term of the agreement, so long as the customer complies with the terms of the agreement and also pays the District's charges for continued water service when due. Upon breach of the agreement, the District shall terminate water service with forty-eight hours notice prior to termination.

Only those charges for water directly attributed to the leak will qualify for payment extensions, according to the following payment schedule:

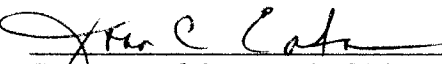
<u>Dollar Amount of Leak</u>	<u>Time Extension</u>
\$50.00 to \$200.00	Monthly payments amortized over 3 months
\$200.01 to \$500.00	Monthly payments amortized over 6 months
\$500.01 to \$800.00	Monthly payments amortized over 12 months
\$800.01 and above	Monthly payments amortized over 24 months

ADOPTED this 16th day of March, 2011.



Vice- President of the Board of Directors

ATTEST:



Secretary of the Board of Director