AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE PASSED AND APPROVED HERETOFORE ON THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1982, CREATING AND SPECIFYING THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE OF MANAGER OF UTILITIES: REQUIRING A PERMIT TO CONNECT TO THE CITY WATER SYSTEM, PROVIDING FOR INSPECTION, FEES AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE, TIME OF PAYMENTS, DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE AND RECONNECTION REQUIREMENTS: AND REQUIRING PERMIT TO CONNECT TO THE CITY SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM, PROVIDING FOR INSPECTION, FEES AND CHARGES FOR SEWER SERVICE, TIME OF PAYMENT, AND DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD, STATE OF TEXAS:

I.

That ARTICLE TWO: WATER, Section 10 of the above captioned Ordinance of the Twenty Fourth day of November, 1982, be amended to read as follows:

Section 10(a): The following rates shall be charged to all domestic subscribers for water from the city water works system for the preceding calendar month unless other rates are determined by future action of the Board of Commissioners:

The first 2,000 gallons or any part thereof...........\$14.50 2001 to 4000 gallons...\$1.50/thousand or any part thereof 4001 to 6000 gallons...\$1.25/thousand or any part thereof 6001 to 8000 gallons...\$1.10/thousand or any part thereof 8001 to 10,000 gallons...\$1.05/thousand or any part thereof 10,001 to 12,000 gallons...\$1.00/thousand or any part thereof 12,001 to 14,000 gallons...\$.95/thousand or any part thereof 14,001 gallons or more...\$.90/thousand or any part thereof

Section 10(b): The above domestic rates shall apply to all residential users including each unit of any apartment house and each trailer in any trailer park.

Section 10(c): The following rates shall be charged to all commercial subscribers for water from the city water works system for the preceding calendar month unless other rates are determined by future action of the Board of Commissioners:

Section 10(d): The rates which are to apply to Schools will be five times the rates per volume of usage as set out in Section 10(a) hereinabove.

That ARTICLE TWO: WATER, be amended by adding Section II, which shall read as follows:

Section II: At the time of applying for water service, an initial deposit of \$50.00 for each ³/₄ inch tap and \$75.00 for each tap in excess of ³/₄ inch shall be required. In the event such service increases to a point where such deposit is not equal to the charges for the average two month period, the deposit may be increased to conform thereto.

III.

That ARTICLE THREE: SEWER, Section II of the above captioned Ordinance of the Twenty Fourth day of November, 1982, be amended to read as follows:

Section II: Rates for sewer service are based upon water consumed as registered on each customer's meter.

Section II(a): The following rates shall be charged to all domestic subscribers for sewer from the city water/sewer works system for the preceding calendar month unless other rates are determined by future action of the Board of Commissioners:

The first 2000 gallons or any part thereof......\$7.50 2001 gallons or more......\$1.00/thousand or any part thereof

Section 11(b): The following rates per month shall be the rates charged for sanitary sewer service for commercial subscribers within the corporate limits of the City of Orchard:

The first 2,000 gallons or any part thereof......\$8.50 2,001 gallons or more......\$1.00/thousand or any part thereof.

Section 11(c): The rates which are to apply to Schools will be five times the rates per volume of usage as set in Section II(a) hereinabove.

IV.

The fact that it is essential that water rates be accurately established,, that water service connections be established, that water service connections be established and that sewer service rates be accurately established in order that the citizens of the City of Orchard, Texas, may be provided with such Water and Sewer service constitutes and creates this ordinance an emergency measure being one for the preservation of the health of the citizens of the City of Orchard, Texas and necessitating that this ordinance be adopted as an emergency measure and it is so ordained, passed, and approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1982. 2061

ATTEST:

Wanda Andel, City Secretary

APPROVED

Eugene L. Demny, Mayor

David Kolafa, Commissioner

Rodney Pavlock, Commissioner