ORDINANCE 041425

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EDGEWOOD, TEXAS, CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 26 UTILITIES, EDGEWOOD, TEXAS FEE SCHEDULE REVISING SECTION 26.5 FEES FOR MULTIPLE USERS ON SINGLE METERS.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Local Government Code section 51.001, the City Council may adopt an ordinance, rule or regulation that is for the good government or the trade and commerce of the City.

WHEREAS, the City has determined that it is necessary and in the best interest of the City and multiple residential, business or mercantile, or mixed occupancy to amend the fee schedule containing fees charged by the City for water services. The revenues collected will cover costs for operation and maintenance of publicly owned waterworks and City services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EDGEWOOD, TEXAS:

- (a) In all cases of multiple residential, business or mercantile, or mixed occupancy where more than one dwelling unit or business is serviced by a single meter, there shall be no account minimum charge but a charge of \$29.00 per unit with incremental usage charged at residential rates. Incremental charges will start after the minimum gallon usage is met. Minimum gallon usage is determined by number of units times current gallon usage minimum. Example: The billing breakdown for an apartment complex consisting of ten units served with one master meter: the basic water rate would consist of ten times \$29.00, which equals \$290.00, plus the master meter fee, plus water usage in excess of the minimum gallons per unit.
- (b) The fees contained in this ordinance shall take effect from and after the passage of the ordinance from which this section is derived, and it is accordingly so adopted.

Passed and approved this day of April, 2025.

Steve Steadham, Mayor City of Edgewood

ATTEST:

Kathleen Jordan, City Secretary