ORDINANCE NO. 2021-1

ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ELMER, COUNTY OF SALEM, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ESTABLISHING THE 2021 BOROUGH OF ELMER WATER SERVICE RATES

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Elmer, County of Salem, and State of New Jersey, having found the need to set forth water service rates for the Borough of Elmer for 2021 as follows:

A. Connection fee shall be as follows:

1. 3/4" or 1" water service: \$3,418.00

2. 1 1/4" water service: \$3,473.00

3. 1 ½" water service: \$3,909.00

4. 2" and above: the applicant is required to assume all costs associated with the new water connection.

B. Subsequent to the adoption of this Ordinance, all water meters shall be installed in the interior of the premises to be serviced unless there is a lack of interior space as determined by the Water Department Superintendent or his designated representative, or unless the owner shall otherwise request in writing. If the water meter is to be installed outside of the premises to be serviced, it shall be located adjacent to or near the curb line. The expense of the installation of a new water meter shall be borne by the applicant in accordance with the following fee schedule:

1. 3/4" meter pit: \$2,314.50 each

2. 1" or 1 1/4" meter pit: \$2,840.00 each

3. 1 1/2" meter pit: \$2,840.00 each

4. 2" meter pit and above: the applicant is required to assume all costs associated with the new meter pit.

C. If any section or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof.

D. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances, heretofore adopted that are inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

E. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its final passage, adoption, and publication in the manner prescribed by law.

Introduced: January 6, 2021	
Adopted: February 10, 2021	Approved by the Mayor on February 10, 2021
ATTEST:	BOROUGH OF ELMER
Sarah D. Walker, CLERK	BY: Joseph Stemberger, MAYOR
ROLL CALL VOTE as follows: MOTION SECOND AYES NAYS ABSTAIN Schneider	<u>ABSENT</u>

The Ordinance published herein was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Elmer, in the County of Salem and State of New Jersey, held on January 6, 2021. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing hereon, at a meeting of said Mayor and Council to be held in the Borough Hall, 120 South Main Street, Elmer, New Jersey 08318, on February 10, 2021, at 7:30 P.M. During the week prior and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of said Ordinance will be made available at the Clerk's office at Borough Hall, 120 South Main Street, in the Borough, to the members of the general public who shall request the same.

Sarah D. Walker Registered Municipal Clerk