AN ORDINANCE relating to connection with the City sewer system of property beyond the City limits of the City of Kent, authorizing such connection, fixing charges to be paid by the City for such connection, and prescribing penalties for failure to pay such charges.

WHEREAS, Chapter 75 of the Laws of Washington, 1941, authorized cities to permit connections with its sewer system of property outside the city limits of the cities, now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That upon application by the legal owners or owners of property outside the city limits of the City of Kent in such form as may be prescribed by the Superintendent of Streets and Sewers of the City, the said Superintendent is authorized to issue permits for connections to the city sewer system of property without the city limits, when, in the judgment of said Superintendent, said connections will not over-load or impair the efficiency of said system.

Section 2. All costs of laying sewer pipe and of making any such authorized connection shall be at the sole cost and expense of the owner or owners of said property.

Section 3. There shall be charged by the City and paid by the said owner or owners, or the occupant of said property, a monthly charge or fee for the privilege of said connection to said sewer system, at the following rates:

For each connection serving five fixtures in said property, 50 cents per month;
For each fixture over five served by said connection, 50 cents per month additional;

Provided, however, that the City shall have and it hereby reserves the right and power to change or alter said rates from time to time as the necessities of the situation may require.

Section 4. Such charges shall be paid monthly to the City by such owners or occupants of said property.

Section 5. On failure of the owner or occupant to pay such sewer charges when due, the water service to such premises, if served by City water, shall be shut off in the manner prescribed in case of failure to pay water bills. In addition to shutting off water service, the City shall have the right to disconnect any such connection when the charge becomes delinquent for two months. The cost and expense of such disconnection shall be assessed against and paid by the owner or owners of such property.

Section 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect, five days after its passage, approval and publication as by law provided.

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Appoved as to form:

Mayor

Attest:

City Attorney

City Clerk
Sec. No. 3.

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