

PALMER LAKE, COLORADO

ORDINANCE NO. 11 OF 1992

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE ABANDONMENT OF ANY WATER TAP WHERE WATER CHARGES ARE NOT PAID FOR ONE YEAR.

WHEREAS, THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE HAS DETERMINED THAT FAILURE TO PAY WATER CHARGES FOR A PERIOD IN EXCESS OF ONE YEAR IS CAUSE FOR ABANDONMENT OF ANY WATER TAP.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE, EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 1 of Ordinance 5, 1981, and §13.02.021 of the Palmer Lake Municipal Code are amended to read in their entirety as follows:

13.02.021 - Abandonment of Taps: Any property owner who, after August 1, 1993, does not pay all charges related to the use of water in full for any period of one (1) year or more shall be deemed to have abandoned the water line and water tap. Thereafter, water service shall be provided only upon payment of the tap fee in effect and upon the installation of a new water service line and stop-cock which meets all specifications set forth in this code.

Section 2. Severability. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Palmer Lake, Colorado that the sentences, clauses and phrases of this ordinance are severable, and if any sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid by the valid judgment or decree of Court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining sentences, clauses or phrases of this ordinance since the same would have been enacted by the Board of Trustees without the incorporation of any unconstitutional or invalid sentence, clause or phrase.

Section 3. Publication. The Town Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and cause notice of its contents and passage to be published or posted. This ordinance shall become effective August 1, 1993.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JUNE, 1992.


MAYOR

ATTEST:


TOWN CLERK