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## GENERAL ORDINANCE 3440

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 34, ARTICLE XXIV, SECTION 34-785 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF IOLA, RELATING TO WATER RATES INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF THE CITY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF IOLA, KANSAS:

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** The City does hereby amend Chapter 34 Fees of the Code of the City of Iola, Article XXIV Utilities, Section 34-785 Charges for Water Usage, to read as follows:

**Sec. 34-785. Charges for water usage.**

The charges required by or referenced in section 34-281 are as follows:

Regular Rate:

- (1) Meter Charge - \$20.44
- (2) For each unit – \$3.80

Wholesale Rate #1:

Large commercial, industrial and wholesale water suppliers may purchase water by contract for a flat rate of \$3.69 per unit. Eligible customers must enter a contract with the City to pay for minimum of 134 units per month regardless of usage. All units over 134 will be billed at the \$3.69 rate and no credits for unused water will be issued.

Wholesale Rate #2:

Large commercial, industrial and wholesale water suppliers may purchase water by contract for a flat rate of \$3.21 per unit. Eligible customers must enter a contract with the City to pay for a minimum of 668 units per month regardless of usage. All units over 668 will be billed at the \$3.21 rate and no credits for unused water will be issued.

\*Units are in 100 cubic feet of water used (100 cubic feet equals 748 gallons). (Code 1988, 15-601; Ord. No 3090, 1, 3-26-91)

**SECTION 2. ANNUAL RATE ADJUSTMENT.** The per-unit rates for residential and wholesale will be adjusted annually by a factor equal to the Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) released by the U.S. Social Security Administration, plus an energy cost adjustment reflecting the cost of commodities used in water treatment.

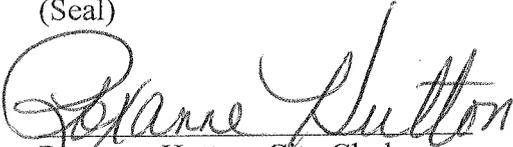
**SECTION 3. REPEAL.** All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall take effect and be in force January 1, 2015.

PASSED and APPROVED by the governing body and SIGNED by the Mayor this 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 2014.

CITY OF IOLA, KANSAS

Attest:  
(Seal)

  
Roxanne Hutton, City Clerk

  
Joel Wisoff, Mayor



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x Kayla Bunzet

Subscribed and sworn before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

Pam Holland

Notary Public



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 \_\_\_\_\_ Judge

**(First published in The Iola Register on November 29, 2014) ORDINANCE NO. 3440 SUMMARY**

On November 24, 2014 the City of Iola, Kansas adopted Ordinance 3440 amending the Code of the City of Iola, Chapter 34 Fees, Article XXIV Utilities, Section 34-785 Charge for Water Usage to increase water rates. Effective January 1, 2015, the minimum monthly meter charge will be \$20.44, charge for each unit \$3.80, wholesale rate #1 \$3.69 and wholesale rate #2 \$3.21. The per-unit rates for residential and wholesale will be adjusted annually by a factor equal to the Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) released by the U.S. Social Security Administration, plus an energy cost adjustment reflecting the cost of commodities used in water treatment. A complete copy of this ordinance is available at City Hall, 2 W. Jackson, Iola, Kansas or may be viewed on the City's website at www.cityofiola.com. This summary has been certified by Robert E. Johnson III, Iola City Attorney. (11) 29