## **ORDINANCE 2023-26**

## An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 18, Water of the Municipal Code of the City of Irondale

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE, ALABAMA, in regular meeting duly assembled, a quorum being present, and by authority thereof as follows:

Section 1. AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 18 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE. Chapter 18, Water, Section 18-14, Rate Schedule, of the *Municipal Code of the City of Irondale* is hereby amended by deleting section (a) in its entirety and replacing it as follows:

Chapter 18. – Water

Sec. 18-14. Rate schedule

## (a) Monthly usage rates.

Meter Size	Minimum Charge
	(includes first 1,500 gallons)
5/8-inch	\$22.37
1-inch	\$38.06
2-inch	\$125.28
3-inch	\$196.63
4-inch	\$326.66
6-inch	\$443.99

All usage over 1,500 gallons: \$6.11 per 748 gallons.

**Section 2. ORDINANCES REPEALED**. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**Section 3. SEVERABILITY.** That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council of the City of Irondale hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>LEGAL RIGHTS NOT IMPAIRED</u>. That nothing in this ordinance or in the municipal code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in Section 2 of this ordinance; nor

shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this ordinance.

**Section 5. ORDINANCE CUMULATIVE; COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER REGULATIONS.** This ordinance shall not be construed to modify or to repeal any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law. The requirements of this ordinance are in addition to and cumulative to the requirements of any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, and where any provision of this ordinance imposes restrictions different from those imposed by any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, whichever provision is more restrictive or imposes higher protective standards for human health or the environment shall control.

**Section 6. PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCE**. That the City Clerk of the City of Irondale is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published and that a copy of this ordinance be entered upon the minutes of the meeting of the City Council.

**Section 7. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ORDINANCE**. That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders and matters established and adopted hereby shall be in full force and effect upon adoption and shall continue in full force and effect from month to month and year to year from its effective date until repealed.

**ADOPTED & APPROVED**: This 5th day of September, 2023.

Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk

David Spivey, City Council President

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk of the City of Irondale, Alabama, hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Irondale at its regular meeting held on the 5th day of September 2023 as the same appears in the minutes of record of said meeting.

Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk