

ORDINANCE No 70.

An Ordinance providing for a contract with the Hood River Electric Light, Power & Water Company, its successors and assigns, to furnish water to the City of Hood River for extinguishing fires and for other public purposes.

The City of Hood River Does Ordain as Follows:

Section 1. That whereas the Hood River Electric Light, Power & Water Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under y the general laws of the State of Oregon, proposes to furnish water to the City of Hood River for extinguishing fires, and whereas said City is in urgent need of water for said purpose,

Now therefore, in consideration of the premises, and in consideration of said Company putting in the plant or system for supplying water for said purpose, according to the plan and specifications hereinafter in this ordinance set forth, and within the time hereinafter specified, the City of Hood River hereby agrees that it will, for a period of ten years from the date of the completion of said system, take water for fire protection and for extinguishing fires from twenty one hydrants, to be located at points in said City hereinafter specified, and will pay said Company therefor the sum of Three Dollars per month for each of said hydrants, such payment to be made on the first day of each month during the said term of ten years.

Section 2. The said plant or system shall be constructed as follows: There shall be a reservoir at the spring where said Company now contains its water for domestic use of a capacity of not less than one hundred thousand gallons, and also a reservoir on the hill in said City of a capacity of not less than two hundred and seventy thousand gallons, the last named reservoir to be not less than ³³⁰~~340~~ feet above the grade of First and Oak Streets, in said City.

on the hill

The main leading from reservoir ^{on the hill} to State street on Park street shall be not less than ten inches in diameter; the main through State street to First street shall be eight inches in diameter, and the main from State street to River street and through River Street to First street shall be six inches in diameter, and the main on First, Third and Fifth streets, and the main on Irving, Oak and First streets in Waucoma, connecting the mains on State street and River street, shall be four inches in diameter, and the main on Third, Columbia and Fourth streets shall be four inches in diameter, and the main from State street to River street, on Second street shall be six inches in diameter.

At the following named points on said mains there shall be placed two-way fire hydrants, suitable for two and one half inch fire hose; on State street, at intersection of First, Third and Fifth streets, and 250 feet west of intersection of Irving street, and at intersection of Park street; and on Oak and River streets at intersection of First, Third and Fifth streets, and intersection of First street in Waucoma, and at intersection of Park street; at intersection of Second and Oak streets, on Columbia

street at intersection of Third and Fourth streets, and on River street at intersection of Second street in Waucoma, and two on Park Avenue, at intersection of Hazel Avenue and Pleasant View Avenue, being in all twenty one hydrants.

Section 3. The City of Hood River shall also be entitled to use water from said hydrants not to exceed one hour each week for flushing sewers, without further expense to the City, and the said Hood River Electric Light, Power & Water Company further agrees that it will without further compensation furnish water for a drinking fountain for man and beast in said City, when the same shall be erected by the City.

Section 4. The said Reservoir on the hill shall contain not less than 150000 gallons of water at all times, except when it is being cleaned or repaired; and whenever the Common Council of said City shall order six or more additional hydrants to be placed in any other part of said City of Hood River, the said Company shall within six months thereafter lay not less than a four inch main to such hydrants, such additional hydrants to be not more than three hundred and fifty feet apart, and on the west side of the stream of Hood River; and whenever such additional hydrants are so placed and in working order, the said City agrees to pay the said Company therefor at the rate of three dollars for each hydrant during the then unexpired term of this contract.

Section 5. All mains or pipes for conducting water which may or shall be laid by said Company pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance shall be laid not less than eighteen inches below the grades of streets as now established, and whenever excavations or trenches are opened for laying or repairing mains or pipes in or through any street or alley in said City, such trenches or excavations shall be refilled at the expense of said Company, and without any unnecessary delay, and such street put in as good condition under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Street Commissioner of said City as the same was before said trench or excavation was made; and all water furnished or supplied through any such mains or pipes shall be good and wholesome water.

Nevertheless, the City of Hood River reserves to itself, any provision of this ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding, the right to establish and maintain on its own account, works in and throughout said City for the supplying of said City with water for extinguishing fires.

Section 6. The Hood River Electric Light, Power & Water Company shall file its acceptance of this ordinance within thirty days after its approval by the Mayor or after it becomes a law, and shall commence work on said water plant within the same time, and shall have the said plant or system as herein specified completed and in working order within twelve months from the date when this ordinance becomes a law.