

ORDINANCE NO. 243

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING PERSONS TO MAKE SEWER CONNECTIONS IN CERTAIN INSTANCES; PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION BY THE CITY IN THE EVENT OF FAILURE OF ANY PERSON OR PROPERTY OWNER TO COMPLY WITH NOTICE TO MAKE CONNECTION; PROVIDING FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF THE COST OF CONSTRUCTION WHEN CONNECTIONS ARE MADE BY THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR TEMPORARY FINANCING OF COSTS BY THE CITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF NO FUND WARRANTS AND FOR THE RECEIPT OF MONEY FROM SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 241 AND ORDINANCE NO. 242 OF SAID CITY OF WATHENA.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WATHENA:

SECTION I. SEWER CONNECTIONS MAY BE REQUIRED. All persons and property owners owning buildings within the City of Wathena, which buildings are, or shall be located near a sewer, or in a block within any sewer district in said City through which a sewer extends, are required to make such connections with said sewer system, as may be necessary in the judgment of the governing body of the City of Wathena for the protection of the health of the public, for the purpose of disposing of all substances from any such building affecting the public health which may be lawfully and properly disposed of by means of such sewer. (1965 Supp. KSA 12-631.)

SECTION II. CITY MAY CONNECT; CONTRACT. Should any person or persons fail, neglect or refuse to so connect building or buildings with the sewer system of the City as hereinbefore provided, for more than ten (10) days after being notified in writing by the Governing Body of the City of Wathena to do so, then the city may cause such buildings to be connected with said sewer system, or may advertise for bids for the construction and making of such sewer connections, and contract therefor with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and may assess the costs and expense thereof against the property and premises so connected in the manner provided by law. (1965 Supp. KSA 12-631.)

SECTION III. TEMPORARY FINANCING OF COSTS BY CITY. The City of Wathena may finance the costs incurred under the provisions of this ordinance, until the assessment authorized in Section II above is paid, out of the City general fund or by the issuance of No-Fund Warrants in the manner specified in 1965 Supp. KSA 12-361.

SECTION IV. MONEY RECEIVED FROM SPECIAL ASSESSMENT. All moneys

received from special assessments levied under the provisions of this Ordinance shall, when paid, be placed in the general fund of the City.

SECTION V. REPEALER. That Ordinance Nos. 241 and 242 of said City of Wathena be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION VI. EFFECTIVE DATE. That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Official City Paper.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 21st day of December, 1965.

THE CITY OF WATHENA, KANSAS

BY: _____
Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

(CITY SEAL)