

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND
TITLE 13
OF THE CODE OF EMMITSBURG
ENTITLED
PUBLIC SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Emmitsburg, Maryland, pursuant to the authority granted to them by the laws of Maryland and the Charter of the Town of Emmitsburg, that Title 13 ; Section 13.04.040 of the Emmitsburg Municipal Code, be amended as follows.

The amended section of this regulation reads as follows with new wording indicated in **BOLD, CAPITAL** letters and deleted words in ~~strike-out~~.

13.04.040 - Water service and connection **CAPACITY** charges.

- A. Each new service or connection applied for shall be charged a connection **CAPACITY** fee of eight thousand two hundred dollars (\$8,200.00) per residential unit, or pursuant to the town's "Water and Sewer Service Allocation Chart" for all other uses, payable at the time the building permit is applied for. All water service shall be metered and such meter shall be purchased by the applicant, and installation shall be performed by the applicant at the applicant's expense, and will be maintained by the town. Installation must be inspected and approved by the town.
- B. In the event such water connection is not completed within one year from the date of the obtainment of the permit, such permit to connect with the water system shall become null and void and purchase fee, in full, shall be refunded.
- C. Any user contracting/agreeing to use two million (2,000,000) gallons or more per quarter for a period of ten years or more may request to negotiate their connection fees with the mayor and commissioners.
- D. ALL FUNDS COLLECTED AS CONNECTION/CAPACITY FEES WILL BE RESTRICTED/RESERVED AND LIMITED TO BE USED TO ENHANCE, REPAIR AND MAINTAIN THE TOWN'S WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEMS.**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, ENACTED AND ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect on the date on which the Mayor approves the Ordinance after passing by the Board of Commissioners or on the date on which the Board of Commissioners pass the Ordinance over the veto of the Mayor.

PASSED this 2nd day of December, 2014 by a vote of 4 for, 0 against, 1 absent, and 0 abstain.

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ATTEST:
Vickie Felix, Recording Secretary

EMMITSBURG BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Timothy O'Donnell, President

MAYOR

APPROVED

this 2nd day of December, 2014.

Donald N. Briggs, Mayor

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance has been posted as required by Chapter 2.04 of the Emmitsburg Municipal Code.

Date: 1/5/15 Cathy Willets, Town Clerk