

IN THE CITY OF META, MISSOURI

BILL NO 2013-6

ORDINANCE NO. 471

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING WATER RATES FOR THE CITY OF META,
REPEALING ORDINANCE 400 AND AMENDING APPENDIX C-2 OF THE
CITY CODE, CHAPTER 17 TO REFLECT THE APPROVED RATES**

WHEREAS, The City of Meta operates a municipal water system to provide clean water to its residents and nonresident customers; and

WHEREAS, the costs of providing water, as well as maintaining and improving the system, have increased over time; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen have reviewed the operating expenses of the system, as well as the projected capital repairs and other anticipated future expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has conducted a public hearing and that notice of the same was published in accordance with applicable statutes,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF META, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1: The Board of Aldermen for the City of Meta, Missouri, hereby approves an increase in the water rates from the current levels for the customers of the City of Meta waterworks system.
- Section 2: For customers of the City of Meta waterworks, the rate for Water Usage shall be \$15.73 for the first 1-1,999 gallons used, and an additional \$6.55 per each additional 1,000 gallons of water, or portion thereof, used.
- Section 3: The owner of any property receiving water or sewer services shall be responsible for payment of such services regardless of to whom the services were provided. The owner of the property receiving water or sewer service shall be the titled owner of the account.
- Section 4: Ordinance #400 is hereby repealed and Appendix C-2 of the City of Meta City Code shall be amended to reflect the above rate increases.
- Section 5: This ordinance shall be in full force and effective January 1, 2014

FIRST READING HELD: December 11, 2013

SECOND READING HELD AND FINAL PASSAGE ON THIS 11 DAY OF
December, 2013.

Michael Dell
Mayor

ATTEST:

Carrie Roberts
City Clerk