

**RESOLUTION NO.7
SERIES 2020**

WHEREAS, the City of Rocky Ford Code provides that the Rocky Ford City Council shall set fees for various services provided by Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rocky Ford maintains buildings or premises connected to the City's water facilities including those where service has been terminated by the City or by the property owner, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Rocky Ford City Council to establish a fee to cover its own costs for Fire and Police protection to, and for the basic delivery system of water for fire control is incumbent upon all resident and owners of local properties, also, any part of a utility charge assessed to any consumer is an allocation for maintenance of the system as a whole over and above the actual costs of supplying water service to the consumer. The dormant consumers not paying their fair share of the utility costs for maintenance of the system as a whole creates a disadvantage to the ongoing continual consumers that pay for these systems each month and impacts the City's readiness to serve,

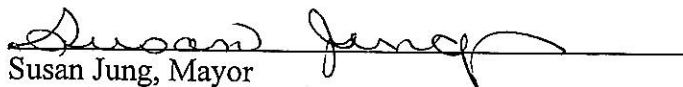
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKY FORD, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:


Effective **May 21, 2020**, that a dormant utility usage fee shall be established, to offset costs associated with the maintenance of the distribution system for the City of Rocky Ford, as follows:

1. **Dormant** shall mean any consumer user (commercial or residential) that may use the services of the City of Rocky Ford, but of which use is not on a continuous basis for a period in excess of thirty (30) days.
2. **Utility** is defined as City of Rocky Ford water services.

Facility Charge	\$17.00 per month
Base Charge	<u>\$9.00</u> per month
TOTAL	\$26.00 per month

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 25th day of February 2020.


Susan Jung, Mayor
City of Rocky Ford


Rebecca Korinek, Deputy City Clerk
City of Rocky Ford

