

THE CITY OF MOLENA, GEORGIA
ORDINANCE NO. 46

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MOLENA, GEORGIA; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT CHARGED FOR INITIAL WATER SERVICE IN THE CITY; TO PROVIDE SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN ADOPTION DATE; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF MOLENA, GEORGIA**

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Molena, Georgia, is hereby amended by amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 12 (as amended by Ordinance No. 21) entitled *Charges for Initial Water Service* to read as follows:

Section 3: Charges for Initial Water Service. Each consumer subscribing to use the water service of the City of Molena shall pay a connection fee in an amount equal to the amount it costs the City to install said water service.

SECTION 2. Except as amended hereinabove, said ordinances shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3.

A. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are and were, upon their enactment, believed by the City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

B. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the City Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, no section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

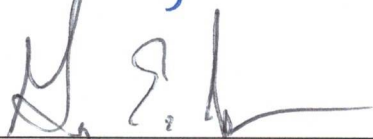
C. In the event that any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent

jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the City Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the Ordinance and that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, all remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of the Ordinance shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.

SECTION 4. Repeal of Conflicting Provision. Except as otherwise provided herein, all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the City Council.

SO ORDAINED this 14 day of January, 2019.



George Ingram, Mayor

ATTEST:



Tausha Grose, City Clerk

(SEAL)

FIRST READING: 12-10-18

SECOND READING/ADOPTION: 1-14-19