# **ORDINANCE 16-2023**

### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 07-2022 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING 2023 RATES FOR WATER AND SEWER SERVICE BY THE CITY OF HASKELL, ARKANSAS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**WHEREAS**, the City of Haskell, Arkansas has determined to provide adequate water and sewer services to the citizens of Haskell, and to provide water service only to certain citizens outside the city limits, and

**WHEREAS**, after review of the recent water/sewer audit and the recent Income/Expense statement, the City Council finds it necessary to increase the water/sewer rates at this time;

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, ARKANSAS THAT THE FOLLOWING RATES ARE IN EFFECT FOR THE REMAINDER OF YEAR 2023, AND UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE ANNUAL AUDIT OF WATER/SEWER SERVICES ARE RECEIVED AND REVIEWED IN YEAR 2024.

### Water Rates:

Water Usage:

Rate R1-Residential monthly rate structure for customer on SWA (Southwest Water Assoc.) source, excluding EPA fee and TAXES shall be:

First 1,000 gallons	\$13.28
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$6.32

Rate R2- Residential monthly rate structure for customers on SWA source, excluding EPA fee and TAXES shall be:

First 1,000 gallons	\$13.28
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$6.32

Rate C1: Commercial monthly rate structure for customers on SWA water source, excluding EPA fee and TAXES shall be:

First 5,000 gallons	\$39.42
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$6.44

Rate C2- Commercial monthly rate structure for customers on SWA source, excluding EPA fee and TAXES shall be:

First 5,000 gallons	\$39.42
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$6.44

Rate II: RINECO Chemical Company monthly rate structure shall be:

First 1,140,000 gallons	\$8874.24
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$5.81

### **SEWER RATES**

Rate R1: Residential monthly rate structure for all customers, excluding taxes shall be:

First 1,000 gallons	\$23.93
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$2.62

Rate C1: Commercial monthly rate structure for all customers, excluding taxes shall be:

First 5,000 gallons	\$34.47
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$2.62

Rate II: RINECO Chemical Company rate structure, excluding taxes shall be:

First 1,067,000 gallons	\$4773.96
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$1.98

Rate III: BSC (Arkansas Health Center) monthly rate structure, excluding taxes shall be:

First 5,469,000 gallons	\$17241.30
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$1.98

Rate IV: First Service Harmony Grove School monthly rate structure, excluding taxes shall be as follows, all other services same as commercial rate:

First 1,000 gallons	\$720.25
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$2.62

Rate V: Pawnee Village rate structure, including \$30.00 improvement fee and excluding taxes, shall be as follows.

First 1,000 gallons	\$ 53.46
Each additional 1,000 gallons	\$ 2.62

Sewer Rates for Well Water shall be:

One Person	\$24.12
Two People	\$29.14
Three People	\$33.09
Four People	\$35.99
Five People	\$38.88

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF HASKELL, ARKANSAS that an emergency exists and the Ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

ATTEST:

**APPROVED:** 

Jennifer Hill, Clerk/Recorder/Treasurer

Clyde Crookham, Mayor