

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to amend Section 12.110 of the Manitowoc Municipal Code allowing Manitowoc Public Utilities to operate a lead service lateral replacement loan and grant program.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Manitowoc do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 12.110 is amended to read as follows:

“12.110 Water Laterals.

(1) Responsibility for Lateral Repairs. The owner of any property to which a water lateral is connected shall make all required repairs to the water lateral. Should the City of Manitowoc and/or the Manitowoc Public Utilities determine that a water lateral requires repair, the owner shall be notified by certified mail of the need for the repair. If the owner cannot be located, a notice posted on one of the doors to the property shall be sufficient notice. If repairs are not commenced within three days of receipt of the notice by mail or within three days of the posting, the Manitowoc Public Utilities may make the necessary repairs to the water lateral.

(2) In the case of street excavations required because of repair to water laterals, the Manitowoc Public Utilities, which has accepted the maintenance responsibility for laterals from the main to the shut-off box (curb stop), shall be responsible for street restoration costs.

(3) Assessment. Any work done by the Manitowoc Public Utilities hereunder shall be charged against the property as a special assessment authorized by Wis. Stat. § 66.0627.

(4) Loan and Grant Program. Manitowoc Public Utilities is authorized to operate a lead service lateral replacement loan program, as approved by the Manitowoc Public Utilities Commission.”

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect the day after publication.

Introduced _____

Adopted _____

Approved _____

Justin M. Nickels, Mayor

Fiscal Impact: no impact to City budget as funded by MPU and DNR grant/loan funds

Funding Source: MPU budget, including SDWLP funds

Finance Director Approval:

Approved as to form: /kmm

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