

ORDINANCE NO. 25

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO STEVEN PARR, HIS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE RIGHT PRIVILEGE AND AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT AND MAINTAIN, WATERWORKS, MAINS AND PIPES WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF GRANITE FALLS, AND TO SUPPLY THE SAID TOWN AND INHABITANTS WITH PURE AND FRESH WATER.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Granite Falls, Washington.

Section 1: That Steven Parr, his successors and assigns, are hereby granted the right and privilege of supplying the town of Granite Falls and the inhabitants thereof with pure and fresh water, for which he shall be and is hereby authorized to charge the consumers thereof reasonable rates.

Section 2: That for the purpose aforesaid, the said Steven Parr, his successors and assigns, are hereby granted the right, liberty and privilege of laying down, relaying, connecting, disconnecting and repairing such and so many mains and pipes, along, through and under the avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, highways, public parks and grounds of Granite Falls now laid out or dedicated to the public use, or which may be hereafter laid out or dedicated to the public use, as may be necessary, proper and convenient for supplying the said town and the inhabitants thereof with pure and fresh water, and for that purpose to make connection between street mains and pipes and the dwellings or other buildings of the consumers.

Section 3: That in the work of breaking the soil of the avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, highways, public parks and grounds, of Granite Falls, for the purpose of laying, relaying, connecting, disconnecting and repairing said mains and pipes, and making connections between the same and the dwellings or other buildings of the consumers, the said Steven Parr, his successors and assigns, shall be governed by and conform to the general ordinances of the town of Granite Falls in force at the time such work is done regulating the opening and breaking of avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, highways, parks and public grounds, and he and they shall with all convenient speed, complete the work for which the soil

shall have been broken and forthwith replace the earth and make good the said avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, public parks and grounds, so opened, to the satisfaction of the officers charged with the supervision and care of such highways.

Section 4: Whenever the establishment of grades, drains, sewers or other necessary city improvements shall render necessary the removal beneath any public highway or grade, said grantee, his successors and assigns, shall upon five days written notice given by the proper city officer remove and relay the same at his or their expense, and upon his or their failure so to do, then the city officers may remove the same and the said city and its officers shall not be liable for damages to said grantee, his successors and assigns, arising through such removal.

Section 5: The right, liberty, privilege and franchise hereby granted shall continue for twenty-five (25) years from and after the passage of this ordinance.

Section 6: Within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this ordinance, the said grantee, his successors or assigns, may file in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Granite Falls, his or their acceptance hereof, and in case such acceptance is not filed within said period of thirty days, this ordinance shall be null and void. That unless work on said waterworks plant be begun by April 1, 1905, and in successful operation in said town by August 1, 1905, this ordinance shall be null and void.

Section 7: That the said grantee, his successors and assigns, shall maintain at all times a uniform pressure of at least sixty (60) pounds in such mains, and that the pipes or mains from the reservoir or intake and along Granite Avenue shall be not less than eight inches in diameter.

Section 8: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Passed by the Council in open session this 27th day of December, 1904.

B. E. CHAPPELL, Mayor

ATTEST:  
CHAS. T. SMITH  
Town Clerk