## CITY OF GRANITE FALLS

## ORDINANCE NO. 868-2014

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GRANITE FALLS, WASHINGTON AMENDING GFMC 13.16.254 TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE CITY'S WATER CONNECTION CHARGE (GENERAL FACILITY CHARGE) AT THE TIME OF BUILDING PERMIT ISSUANCE, AND REPEALING ANY INCONSISTENT PROVISION IN ORDINANCES 802, 777, 766. 698, 555, 459, 432, 418, 382, 356, 342, 287, AND 65.

WHEREAS, the City wishes to provide that its Water Connection Charge (General Facility Charge) is due at the time of building permit issuance;

## NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRANITE FALLS DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Current GFMC Section 13.16.254 is hereby amended to read as follows

13.16.254 Rates and charges – Water connection charge – Collection
There shall be a water connection charge (general facility charge) collected, per unit, in an amount as established by resolution of the city council. The water connection charge (general facility charge) shall be due and payable at the time of building permit issuance or connection, whichever is earlier.

- <u>Section 2</u>. Any provision inconsistent with this Ordinance in Ordinances 802, 777, 766, 698, 555, 459, 432, 418, 382, 356, 342, 287, and 65 is hereby repealed.
- <u>Section 3.</u> If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.
- <u>Section 4.</u> This Ordinance or a summary thereof consisting of the title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City.
- Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect five (5) days after its publication or publication of the summary consisting of the title.

Said Ordinance was passed in open session by the City Council of the City of Granite Falls on the 15th day of 1000000, 2014, and signed in authentication of its passage this 15th day of 10000000, 2014.  Joshua Golston, Mayor
ATTEST:
Darla Reese, City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM:  Thom H. Graafstra, City Attorney
ORDINANCE No. 868-2014 DATE OF ADOPTION: DATE OF PUBLICATION: 1/18/2014 EFFECTIVE DATE: 1/23/2014