

**ORDINANCE NO. 380N**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD, WASHINGTON, amending Ordinance Nos. 50N and 223N, and Garfield Municipal Code §20.02.040, thereby increasing the advance deposit for water service.

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Garfield Municipal Code §20.02.040 is hereby amended to read as follows:

20.02.040 – Deposit. Except as may otherwise be provided in this chapter, a deposit equal to the –then current monthly fee for water, sewer and garbage, shall be collected in advance by the Treasurer to secure the charges for water service provided to residential water service customers and commercial water service customers. The Treasurer shall keep a separate record of these deposits, less any unpaid water charges, shall be refunded when water service is discontinued; provided if the customer has not had any delinquent water charges for at least twelve consecutive months of water service, the deposit shall be sooner refunded to the customer.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after it or a summary thereof, is published in the official newspaper of the Town of Garfield as required by law.

PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Garfield this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2010.

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Jarrod Pfaff, Mayor

Attest:

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Annie Pillers, Clerk-Treasurer

Approved as to form:

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Stephen Bishop,  
Town Attorney

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_

Published: \_\_\_\_\_

Effective date: \_\_\_\_\_