

CHAPTER 11

FIRE PROTECTION AND PREVENTION

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SECTION 11.1 PETITION TO BE INCLUDED IN FIRE DISTRICT.

A Resolution petitioning the Caddo Parish Police Jury to include the boundaries of the Town of Blanchard, Louisiana in its entirety into a proposed Fire District Number One in Caddo Parish, Louisiana, passed on 14th day of December, 1982.

SECTION 11.2 ORDINANCE INCLUDING BLANCHARD IN FIRE DISTRICT.

Caddo Parish Police Jury passed Ordinance No. 2022 of 1982 which included the Town of Blanchard in Fire District No. 1, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

SECTION 11.3 ORDINANCE TO ENACT A CHARGE FOR ACCESS TO THE MUNICIPAL WATER SYSTEM OF THE TOWN AND TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENT OF PAYMENT FOR THE FIRE DISTRICT.

Effective January 1, 1991, the Town shall charge and collect from the District a charge or fee for access to the System and for use of the water from and hydrants located within the System, of \$3,000 per year, payable by June 15 of each calendar year, commencing in 1991. Town and Fire District entered into contract on December 11, 1990.

ORDINANCE 6 OF 1990

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL ORDINANCE 7 OF 1988 AND TO ENACT A CHARGE FOR ACCESS TO THE MUNICIPAL WATER SYSTEM OF THE TOWN OF BLANCHARD, LOUISIANA, TO PROVIDE FOR THE AMOUNT OF SUCH CHARGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS WITH CADDO PARISH FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 7 of 1988 provided for, authorized and enacted a charge for the privilege of connecting to the municipal water system of the Town of Blanchard (Town), for the use without per unit charge of water from the System by such districts, and for the use of fire hydrants within the System by such districts; and

WHEREAS, the Town has given thorough consideration of the request by the District and has determined that the request is reasonable and that a change in the charge for access to and use of water from hydrants within the System is in the best interest of

the Town, its citizens and the District; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to enact a water access fee for the privilege of having access to the System, its water and its hydrants., and for the use of such water and hydrants, all as provided in this Ordinance, and to authorize the Mayor of the Town to enter into agreements and contracts with the District or other fire districts similarly situated;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Blanchard, Louisiana, in due, legal and regular session convened, that Ordinance No. 7 of 1988 and it hereby is repealed in its entirety, effective January 1, 1991; provided, however, that nothing in this repeal is intended or shall be construed to relieve the District from the obligation to pay the charge or charges due pursuant to such Ordinance in 1990.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that effective January 1, 1991, the Town shall charge and collect from the District a charge or fee for access to the System and for use of the water from and hydrants located within the System, of \$3,000.00 per year, payable by June 15 of each calendar year, commencing in 1991.

BE FURTHER ORDAINED that the Mayor shall be authorized to enter into and to execute an agreement or agreements with the District in substantially the form of the Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A, to provide for the collection and enforcement of the fee or charge enacted herein.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the funds received from the District shall be used for the maintenance, repair, replacement and addition of fire hydrants within the System.

(Ordinance 6 of 1990 – Effective January 1, 1991)