

# **ORDINANCE NO. 3789**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING NEW WATER RATES AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 3777 FOR THE CITY OF FORT SCOTT, BOURBON COUNTY, KANSAS, PURSUANT TO THE FORT SCOTT MUNICIPAL CODE, CHAPTER 13.04.030.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF FORT SCOTT, BOURBON COUNTY, KANSAS:**

**SECTION 1. THE WATER RATES TO BE CHARGED TO CUSTOMERS OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF FORT SCOTT, KANSAS SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:**

**THE NEW RATES WILL BE EFFECTIVE THE FIRST FULL BILLING CYCLE IN JANUARY 2026. EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, RATES WILL AUTOMATICALLY INCREASE 3% AND WILL BE EFFECTIVE THE FIRST FULL BILLING CYCLE IN JANUARY.**

## **2026 Water Rates**

**A. Minimum Usage – Minimum charge per month for up to 1,500 gallons shall be \$15.56.**

- For the next 36,000 gallons, the charge will be \$7.49 per 750 gallons.
- For the next 75,000 gallons, the charge will be \$6.70 per 750 gallons.
- For each 750 gallons of usage thereafter, the charge will be \$5.02.

**B. An infrastructure fee of \$10.00 will be assessed each month.**

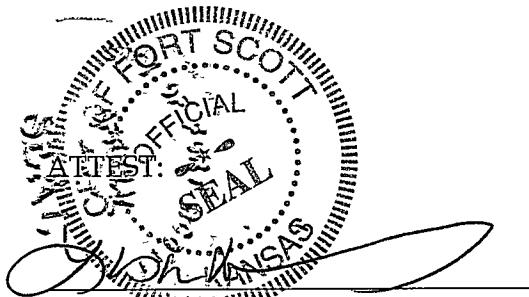
**SECTION 2. ORDINANCE NO. 3777 IS HEREBY REPEALED.**

**SECTION 3. THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AFTER IT'S PASSAGE AND PUBLICATION IN THE OFFICIAL CITY NEWSPAPER.**

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Fort Scott, Kansas this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2025.



Timothy J. Van Hoecke, Mayor



Lisa A. Lewis, City Clerk