

PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE

14-001-0

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING MONTHS FOR SPRINKLING CREDIT TO  
MAY THROUGH SEPTEMBER, AMENDING SECTION 43-9 OF THE  
DULUTH CITY CODE, 1959, AS AMENDED.

CITY PROPOSAL:

The city of Duluth does ordain:

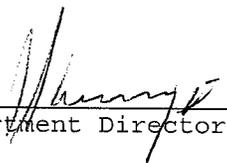
Section 1. That Section 43-9 of the Duluth city code, 1959, as amended,  
is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 43-9. Allowance for outdoor use--conditions.

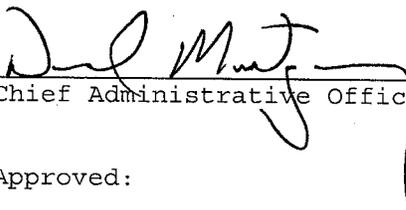
During the months of ~~May~~April through ~~September~~August, the amount of wastewater determined to be discharged by a user shall be reduced by the amount of water determined to be used during such months in such manner that it does not enter the sanitary sewer system; provided, that such reduction shall not exceed the difference between the actual water consumption during each such month and the average of water consumption as determined for the immediately preceding months of October through March. The director of public works and utilities~~water and gas~~ of the city is hereby authorized to promulgate regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of this Section, which regulations shall be published in the official newspaper of the city ten days prior to going into effect and shall be available for examination and copying at the office of public works and utilities department~~water and gas department's main office~~ during normal business hours.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its passage and publication.

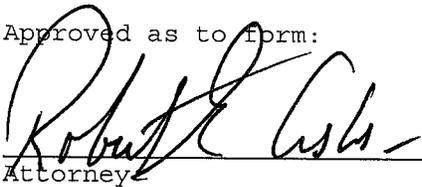
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Department Director

Approved for presentation to council:

  
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Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

  
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Attorney

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Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The purpose of this ordinance is to change the months during which the so-called "sprinkling credit" is available to the city's sewer customers to more closely reflect when lawn and garden watering is more likely to be actually occurring.