

ORDINANCE # 2003-6

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER: 2002-2 (AN
ORDINANCE ADOPTING A SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEM FOR
THE TOWN OF CRESTONE, COLORADO)**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Crestone, Colorado adopted Ordinance Number 2002-2 on February 12, 2002, which Ordinance adopted comprehensive rules and regulations relating to sewer usage and connections to the sewer system within the Town of Crestone, Colorado, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to clarify and amend certain provisions of said Ordinance relating to charges for non-connected sewer district customers, as well as clarification of requirements for mandatory connections to said sewer system,

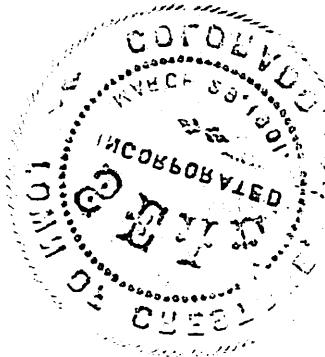
NOW THEREFORE, be it hereby ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Crestone that Ordinance 2002-2 be amended by adoption of the following amendment and addition:

1. Section 4.5 of said Ordinance is amended to read as follows:

Required Connection. Every owner of property, which is served by any water system within the boundaries of the Town service area, as defined in Appendix A attached hereto, is hereby required to connect his premises to the sewer system. Any person violating the provision of this section shall be subject to the general penalty provision provided in Section 3.3 of Ordinance Number 2002-2, in addition, may be required by the Town to connect to said system by injunctive relief in the municipal court in the Town of Crestone, Colorado or by injunctive relief in the County or District Court of Saguache County, Colorado. The Board may consider an application for variance for a non-connected system on a case-by-case basis.

~~***4.8 Fees for Non-Connected Sewer District Customers.*** All properties lying within the sewer service district, which are undeveloped or which are not connected to the sewer service of the Town of Crestone, shall be assessed a \$50.00 annual fee, which shall be allocated to debt service for the sewer system, the Baca water and sewer loan for tap fees, maintenance of the system, protection of ground water, and service availability. Nothing in this paragraph shall negate the obligation for connection to the sewer service system required in Paragraph 4.5 of this Ordinance.~~

**THE TOWN BOARD FINDS THAT THIS ORDINANCE IS NECESSARY
TO THE IMMEDIATE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH,
AND SAFETY, AND SHALL TAKE EFFECT AND BE ENFORCED FROM AND
AFTER PASSAGE OF THE SAME.**



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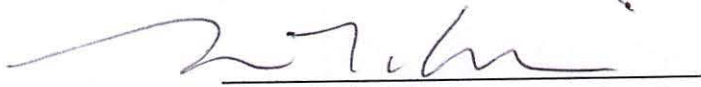
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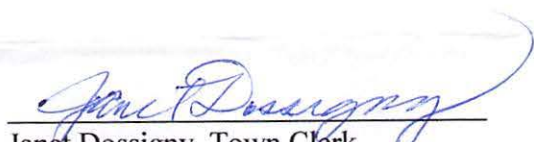
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INTRODUCED, read in full, approved and signed this 11th day of August, 2003.

APPROVED:


Kizzen Laki, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janet Dossigny, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Eugene L. Farish, #2557
Crestone Town Attorney

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within Ordinance was introduced, read in full, approved and adopted at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Crestone, Colorado on the 11th day of August, 2003, and shall be published by title only in the Crestone Eagle, a legal newspaper in the Town of Crestone on the 1st day of ~~September~~ *November*, 2003.

