

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

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OCEANSIDE AMENDING  
CHAPTER 29 OF THE OCEANSIDE CITY CODE BY  
AMENDING ARTICLE II, SEWER CONNECTIONS

WHEREAS, City Council has determined the necessity of amending regulations for the sewer house connections within the City of Oceanside; and

WHEREAS, City Council has determined that such regulations provide for the protection and maximum beneficial public use of the City's sewer system.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Oceanside DOES ORDAIN as follows:

SECTION 1. Article II is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

**Section 29.12. Responsibility for installation, maintenance, replacement, and permitting.**

The costs for installation, maintenance, replacement, and permitting of sewer house connections (sewer service lateral) as defined in Section 29.1, shall be the responsibility of the property owner.

**Section 29.12.1. Permit required.**

An encroachment permit shall be required for sewer house connection repairs or replacement if any portion of the work touches, extends into, or encroaches upon a public right-of-way.

**Section 29.12.2. Tampering prohibited.**

No person shall in any manner whatever meddle, tamper, or interfere with or perform work on any part of the sanitary sewer system of the City without the City's express written permission.

SECTION 2. Severability.

If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of the Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council

1 hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each section, sentence, clause or  
2 phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more section, subsections, sentences,  
3 clauses or phrases be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

4 SECTION 3. The City Clerk of the City of Oceanside is hereby directed to publish this  
5 ordinance, or the title hereof as a summary, pursuant to state statute, once within fifteen (15)  
6 days after its passage in the San Diego Union Tribune North County edition, a newspaper of  
7 general circulation published in the City of Oceanside.

8 SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth (30<sup>th</sup>) day  
9 from and after its final passage.

10 INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Oceanside held  
11 on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, and, thereafter,

12 PASSED, AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Oceanside, California  
13 this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, by the following vote:

14  
15 AYES:  
16 NAYS:  
17 ABSENT:  
18 ABSTAIN:

19 \_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR, CITY OF OCEANSIDE

20 ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

21 \_\_\_\_\_  
22 CITY CLERK

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22 \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY ATTORNEY

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