

ORDINANCE NO. 1204

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING NEW RATES AND CHARGES TO THE USERS OF THE ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF CAWKER CITY, KANSAS, AND REVOKING ORDINANCE 1201.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CAWKER CITY, KANSAS:

Section 1: Chapter 15, Utilities, Article 3, Electricity, Sections 15-302 and 15-303, of the Code of the City of Cawker City, Kansas, hereby are amended to read as follows:

15-302 RATES.

- (a) The users of electrical current or electrical energy from the electrical distribution system of the city shall be classified as follows:
- i. Residential;
 - ii. Commercial; and
 - iii. Combined Power and Commercial.

The charges pursuant to these classified uses of electrical current or electrical energy shall be as stated herein.

(b) **Residential Service.**

- i. Customer Charge -- \$13.00 per month
- ii. Usage Charge (all kWhs) -- \$0.1006 per kWh
- iii. This rate is available to any customer adjacent to the City's electric distribution lines who has complied with the regulations affecting his or her service and who uses standard electrical equipment in any residence or apartment.

(c) **Commercial Service.**

- i. Customer Charge -- \$13.00 per month
- ii. Usage Charge (all kWhs) -- \$0.1244 per kWh
- iii. This rate will apply to any customer adjacent to the City's electric distribution lines who has complied with the regulations affecting his or her service and who uses standard electrical equipment in any building other than a residence or apartment.

(d) **Combined Power and Commercial.**

- i. Customer Charge -- \$13.00 per month
- ii. Usage Charge (all kWhs) -- \$0.0853 per kWh
- iii. Demand Charge -- \$5.75 per month
- iv. This rate is available for the secondary or primary service on an annual basis for lighting and heating and/or power, 120-240 or 2400 volts, to commercial

customers who are adjacent to the City's electric lines, who use standard electric equipment, and who have otherwise complied with such regulations that may affect their service. It is optional for the commercial customer to have service billed pursuant to this schedule or the commercial schedule. The customer, having selected one schedule, will continue to be billed pursuant to that schedule for not less than 12 consecutive months, unless a material and permanent change to the customer's use of service occurs.

15-303 SAME; SERVICES.

- (a) In the event the same customer orders a disconnection or reconnection of electric service at the same premises within a period of twelve consecutive months, the City shall collect as a reconnection charge the sum of such minimum bills as would have accrued during the period of disconnection.
- (b) Any person desiring service from the City's electric system who is not adjacent to such lines and who is not subject to any of the foregoing schedules may, upon proper application to the governing body, have his or her service connected pursuant to a special contract and schedule fixed and agreed upon by the governing body. Such schedule and rates will be based on the character, cost, and length of service.

Section 2: EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and one publication in the official city newspaper and during the regular meter reading time for February 2026.

Section 3: REPEAL. Ordinance No. 1201 is hereby repealed.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Governing Body and signed by the Mayor this 14th day of January 2026.


Doug Bader, Mayor

ATTEST:


Joanna Biddle, City Clerk

