

ccc. Watercourse. A natural or artificial channel for the passage of water either continuously or intermittently.

10. Secondary Water Meters.

a. Any person who uses water extensively for lawn or garden purposes has two options with regard to billing and payment for such use of water services within the Town of Beloit.

Those options are as follows:

- i. The third quarter billing of such person may be averaged in accordance with the present averaging policy of the Town of Beloit or amendments thereto; or
- ii. A second water meter may be installed by the person in accordance with the rules and instructions contained herein.
- iii. If a second water meter is installed, the property owner shall no longer have the option of quarterly averaging, but rather shall have the second water meter read in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth herein.
- iv. A second water meter may be installed at any residential, commercial or industrial facility within the Town of Beloit for the purpose of monitoring the use of lawn and garden waters under the following terms and conditions:
 - A. The meter shall be installed indoors on a meter horn with no outside reader; all costs of such installation shall be borne by the property owner.
 - B. The meter shall only be connected to outside faucets and lawn sprinkler systems.
 - C. Installation shall be accomplished in accordance with the plumbing code of the State of Wisconsin, the then-current Public Service Commission Rules and shall be inspected by the Town of Beloit Building Inspector.
 - D. The meter shall be purchased from the Town of Beloit in accordance with their rules and regulations regarding such purchase.
 - E. The water meter shall be calibrated once every eight (8) years in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Town of Beloit for such calibration.
 - F. The owner of the property upon which the water meter is to be installed shall sign a water piping affidavit in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Town of Beloit, such affidavit being available in the office of the Town Clerk.
 - G. There shall be a permit fee for such water meter installation, which fee shall be determined from time to time by resolution of the Town Board.
 - H. The owner of the property upon which a second water meter is installed shall be responsible to contact the Town of Beloit and to give representatives of the Town of Beloit the meter reading for such second water meter between the 1st and 10th days of January, April, July of each year to receive credit for that quarter. The Town of Beloit will undertake to have an employee read the water meter between the 1st and 10th days of October each year.
 - I. Any person who tampers with the second water meter which has been installed for outdoor use, any person who fails to report his/her meter reading as required herein, or any person who in any other way violates the terms and conditions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each offense. Each day of violation may be considered to be a separate and distinct offense.