

## ORDINANCE NO. 2025-03

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE DEPOSIT AMOUNTS FOR SALE AND USE OF NATURAL GAS WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF READING, KANSAS FOR THE CUSTOMERS FOR THE CITY OF READING, KANSAS, AND REPEALING ALL OTHER ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH OF THE CITY OF READING, KANSAS.

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


SECTION 1. Effective March 6, 2025 the following utility deposit amount for water and gas in the city shall be as follows.

- a. Consumer base charge shall be \$17.00 per month and does NOT include any quantities of gas.
- b. Cost of Service charge per meter per month per 1,000 cu ft. This charge is based on the cost/expenses incurred by the city to deliver the gas to the customer and perform maintenance on the system. Cost will vary.
- c. Consumer cost of gas shall be the cost of gas, transportation, per month, per 1,000 cu. ft., to deliver the gas to the City of Reading by its supplier(s) and transporter(s). This charge, per 1,000 cu. ft., will VARY each month and shall be established by the 28<sup>th</sup> of each month for the month being billed.

SECTION 2. All other sale and use of natural gas ordinances are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect on March 6, 2025 and shall be in full force upon its publication in The Emporia Gazette. All utility billings on or after this date shall be computed as stated above.

Adopted and passed by the governing body, and signed by the Mayor of the City of Reading, Kansas this 6th day of March 2025.

  
Malonne Davies, Mayor

Attest:   
Nancy J. Standiferd, City Clerk