

ORDINANCE NUMBER 68

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Lakeside Water District has adopted Ordinance Number 5, wherein certain rules and regulations for the use and service of the waterworks system of the District are enumerated, and

WHEREAS, ordinance 5 provides that Lakeside Water District shall not be liable nor shall any claim be made against it for any damages or injury caused by reason of the breaking of any main, branches, services pipes, apparatus, or appurtenances connected with said system or by reason of stoppage, alterations, extension or renewals, and

WHEREAS, the District reserves the right to shut off water at any time for concentration of water in any part of the District in case of fire and that no claim shall be made against the district from shutting off of water for any reason, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has determined it is necessary to clarify its obligation to provide fire protection for residential and commercial customers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE LAKESIDE WATER DISTRICT, JACKSON AND WILLIAMSON COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The supply of water to any customer of the District shall be upon the express condition that Lakeside Water District shall not be liable nor shall any claim be made against it for damages or injuries caused by reason of a decrease in water pressure or volume resulting in the inability of any fire protection unit to extinguish a fire because of low water pressure or volume.

SECTION 2. The District shall be responsible only to provide water at sufficient pressures to meet general use requirements and shall not be held to the standard of providing sufficient water pressure and volume for fire protection purposes of any nature.

Passed, approved and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Lakeside Water District, Jackson and Williamson Counties, Illinois, this 12th day of January 2016.


Michael R. Twomey, Secretary


Lester James, Chairman