

RESOLUTION NO. 4346

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KELLER, TEXAS, APPROVING UTILITY BILLING ADJUSTMENTS RELATED TO THE FEBRUARY 2021 WINTER STORM.

WHEREAS, the State of Texas saw a historic winter storm in February 2021 which brought severe freezing temperatures, snowy and icy conditions, and caused electrical and water outages throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, customers needed to drip faucets in order to prevent their pipes from bursting due to the freezing conditions and the dripping resulted in increased water consumption in February; and

WHEREAS, the City feels an adjustment to utility bills is appropriate to account for increased usage due to faucet dripping since damage to their home or business and to the water system could have occurred without the preventive dripping measures.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KELLER, TEXAS:

Section 1: THAT, the above findings are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein in their entirety.

Section 2: THAT, the City Council of the City of Keller, Texas hereby approves a credit to each non-irrigation utility account that is the equivalent of 2,000 gallons at the base rate and the credit will be applied on their next bill.

Section 3: THAT, the City Council of the City of Keller, Texas hereby approves adjusting the residential winter averaging calculation by removing the highest consumption month from the three-month calculation.

AND IT IS SO RESOLVED.

Passed by a vote of 7 to 0 on this the 16th day of March, 2021.

CITY OF KELLER, TEXAS

BY: _____
Armin R. Mizani, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kelly Ballard, City Secretary

Approved as to Form and Legality:

L. Stanton Lowry, City Attorney