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CHAPTER 427

AN ACT to amend 66.069 (1) (a) and 66.076 (5) of the statutes, relating to standby charges.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 66.069 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

66.069 (1) (a) The council or board of any town, village or city operating a public utility may, by ordinance, fix the initial rates and provide for this collection monthly, quarterly or semiannually in advance or otherwise. The rates shall be uniform for like service in all parts of the municipality and shall include the cost of fluorinating the water. The rates may also include standby charges to property not connected but for which such facilities have been made available. The charges shall be collected by the treasurer.

SECTION 2. 66.076 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

66.076 (5) For the purpose of making equitable * * * charges for all services rendered by the sewerage system to the municipality or to citizens, corporations and other users, the property benefited thereby may be classified, taking into consideration the volume of water, including surface or drain waters, the character of the sewage or waste and the nature of the use made of the sewerage system, * * * *including* the sewage disposal plant. The charges may also include standby charges to property not connected but for which such facilities have been made available.

Approved July 20, 1955.