

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-15

ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF BELMAR, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER XXIX AND ORDINANCE 2020-01, IN PARTICULAR SECTION 29-2.4 – TAPPING AND RETAPPING OF MAINS

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Belmar, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. Belmar has previously adopted Ordinance 2020-01, but has again reviewed the Ordinance and believes a modification is necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, that Section 29-2.4 of Chapter XXIX of the Borough Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

All water and sewer service taps are to be made by the Water-Sewer Utility Department where possible or by a licensed professional plumber, duly licensed in the State of New Jersey in every case with charges as per schedule according to the size of tap desired. It is expressly understood that the Homeowner shall be the owner of the service from the city main to the house as well as curb stops, valves, curb boxes and roadway boxes which are to be used by the Water-Sewer Utility Department for turning on or shutting off the water supply. Before the homeowner or its agent, a duly licensed plumber, attempts to open the Borough roadway and connect to the service from the city main to the curb line, an appropriate cash performance and maintenance bond, as determined by the Superintendent of the Department of Public Works, shall be posted with Belmar. In addition the cash bond shall remain in place with Belmar for one (1) year following the completion of this work, in order to be assured that all of the work has been properly completed and maintained.

SECTION I. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

SECTION II. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with the Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION III. This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage, adoption and publication according to law.