



**Ordinance 03-15-2019**

**AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING MANDATORY SEWER CONNECTION**

**WHEREAS**, Crescent Sanitary District(CSD) was established and governed by ORS 450; and

**WHREAS**, Crescent Sanitary District is constructing a wastewater treatment and collection system

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** BY THE Crescent Sanitary District that the following requirements are established for Mandatory sewer collection:

**Section 1. Mandatory Connection (New Construction)**

New construction (single lots, multi-family, subdivisions, non-residential): All new construction requiring a Building Permit will be required to connect to the Crescent Sanitary Sewer System if there is a sewer line within a minimum distance of 300 feet of the closest property line.

**Section 2. Mandatory Connection (Existing structures)**

All current residents and commercial businesses will be required to connect to the Crescent Sanitary Sewer System.

**Section 3. Mandatory Connection Exemptions**

a. CSD determines that service is unavailable.

b. An easement for extending sewer service to a single lot is not available or cannot be obtained. Documentation of good faith effort to secure an easement will be required prior to qualifying for this exemption.

c. Extensions exceeding 2,000 feet from existing sewer services may be deemed exempt by CSD Board approval.

**Section 4. Severability**

If any provision, paragraph, work, section or article of this ordinance is invalidated by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions, paragraphs, words, and sections, shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect.

**Section 5. Enforcement**

a. Any violation of any provision of this ordinance may be subject to criminal violation under Klamath County, Oregon state law, and any federal laws that are applicable.

b. In addition to any prosecution in criminal court, the District may take civil action against any violator of this ordinance to enjoin or abate any unlawful activity or condition or for damages.

**Section 6. Effective**

This Ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

**ADOPTED THIS THE 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2019**

 3-15-2019  
KIM MATHERS

**CSD Board President**