

CHAPTER 28.1
Gardiner Water District
[Amended 3-21-2018]

§ 28.1.1. Operation of District.

All the affairs of the Gardiner Water District shall be managed by a board of trustees composed of three members to be chosen by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Gardiner, but no member of the City Council shall, during the term for which he is elected, be chosen one of the said board of trustees. As soon as convenient after the members of said board have been chosen, said trustees shall hold a meeting at the city rooms in the City of Gardiner, and organize by the election of a president and clerk, adopt a corporate seal and when necessary may choose a treasurer and all other needful officers and agents for the proper conduct and management of the affairs of said district. At said first meeting they shall determine, by lot, the term of office of each trustee so that one shall serve for 1 year, one for 2 years and one for 3 years; and whenever the term of office of a trustee expires the said municipal officers of the City of Gardiner shall appoint a successor to serve the full term of 3 years; and in case any other vacancy arises, it shall be filled in like manner for the unexpired term. They may also ordain and establish such bylaws as are necessary for their own convenience and proper management of the affairs of the district. The term of office of trustee shall begin on the first Monday of April. Said trustee may procure office and incur such expenses as may be necessary. Each member shall receive in full compensation for his services an allowance of \$100 per annum.

§ 28.1.2. Purpose of Regulation.

The purpose of this ordinance is to protect the quality of sources of public water supply and to protect the health, safety and welfare of persons dependent upon such supplies.

§ 28.1.3. Prohibiting Swimming Near Gardiner Water District Pumping Station.

It shall be unlawful for any person to swim, bathe or wade in Cobbosseecontee Stream within a radius of three hundred feet (300) of the intake system of the Gardiner Water District pumping station.

§ 28.1.4. Enforcement.

Whoever willfully violates this regulation shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars (\$5.00), nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each offense.

§ 28.1.5. Required City Water Services.

The owner(s) of any new construction located within the city and abutting a street, alley, or right-of-way in which a Gardiner Water District water line is available within 100 feet of the property line shall be required, at their own expense, to connect the property directly to the municipal water system in accordance with the provisions of this regulation.