ORDINANCE NO. 374

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A WATER FRANCHISE TO THE WATER WORKS BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROANOKE ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Roanoke, Alabama, as follows:

(1) There is hereby granted to The Water Works Board of the City Roanoke, a corporation organized under the provisions of Title 37, Sections 394 to 402, inclusive, of the Code of Alabama of 1940, as amended, the right, privilege, authority and franchise to acquire, own, maintain, construct, enlarge and operate a water works plant and system in the City of Roanoke, Alabama, for the purpose of supplying water to said city and the inhabitants thereof, and the consent of said city is hereby given to said grantee to use the streets, avenues, alleys and public ways and public places of said city for the construction, maintenance and operation of such water works plant and system.

(2) The said grantee is hereby granted the right, privilege and authority at any time and from time to time, and without any requirement as to permit or fee therefor, to extend its mains over any streets, avenues, alleys and public ways and public places in said city for the purpose of enlarging and extending its said system.

(3) The said grantee shall, and by accepting this franchise agrees, that it will upon making any excavations of the streets, avenues, alleys, public ways and public places of said city for the purpose of constructing, maintaining or operating said system, restore the surface or paving at the point of such excavations in substantially the same condition as before such work was done, all as promptly as may be practicable and within a reasonable length of
time thereafter.

(4) The rights, privileges, franchise and authority hereby granted may be exercised by the grantee or any successors and assigns of the grantee, all subject nevertheless to the conditions and obligations herein contained.

(5) The rights, privileges, consent and franchise herein granted shall begin at the effective date hereof.

Adopted and approved this 13th day of December, 1948.

Authenticated:

Olin E. Sheppard, City Clerk

K. L. Hooper, Mayor

I, Olin E. Sheppard, Clerk of the City of Roanoke, Alabama, hereby certify that the above and foregoing Ordinance No. 374 was passed and adopted by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Roanoke, Alabama on the 13th day of December 1948, and was herein recorded and was published in the Roanoke Leader, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Roanoke, Alabama on the 28th day of December, 1948.

Olin E. Sheppard
Clerk, City of Roanoke, Alabama