

**RESOLUTION NO. 1620**

**A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE UTILITY BILLING CYCLE FROM BI-MONTHLY TO MONTHLY AND AMENDING RESOLUTIONS NOS. 1279 (SEWER), 1129 (STORM WATER), 1473 (STREET LIGHTS) AND 1394 (ROAD MAINTENANCE REGULATORY).**

WHEREAS, the City of Wilsonville currently bills its customers for services on a bi-monthly basis (every other month); and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to convert to a monthly billing basis to enable water customers to more frequently monitor water consumption and thus promote conservation; and

WHEREAS, the change to monthly billing will occur on May 1, 2000 to precede the start of the higher water use period; and

WHEREAS, the billing rates have been established in previously approved resolutions (Sewer #1279, Storm Water #1129, Street Lights #1473, and Road Maintenance Regulatory #1394); and

WHEREAS, except for sewer user fees the fees are already expressed in terms of monthly billing rates, and sewer user fees are currently based on a bi-monthly cycle and must be converted to monthly; and

WHEREAS, the basic methodology for calculating the necessary rate for each fee is not intended to be changed by this modification in billing frequency; and

WHEREAS, the bimonthly bill includes five units per two month period; and

WHEREAS, the rate model does not allow for half units; and

WHEREAS, changes to the volume included in minimum bill to two units does not adversely impact any customers; and

WHEREAS, the previously approved sewer rates must be changed to coincide with a monthly billing basis.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF WILSONVILLE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- 1) Sewer user fees are replaced by the user fee schedule below, effective April 1, 2000. Volume and High Strength Surcharge (Pretreatment Adjustment) rates do not change as they are already stated in terms of rate per unit.

**Minimum Bills:**

Customer Class	Monthly Volume Include in Minimum Charge in Hundred Cubic Feet (hcf)	Minimum Charge	Increase in Minimum Charge for Pretreatment Program per Meter Size	Adjusted Minimum Charge
Single Family Residential	2	\$5.95	\$0.00	\$5.95
Multi-Family Residential	2	\$5.95	\$0.00	\$5.95
All Public	2	\$5.95	\$0.00	\$5.95
Commercial & Industrial by Meter Size (in inches)				
5/8 X 3/4"	2	\$5.95	\$4.30	\$10.25
3/4"	2	\$5.95	\$6.46	\$12.41
1"	2	\$5.95	\$10.76	\$16.71
1-1/2"	2	\$5.95	\$21.53	\$27.48
2"	2	\$5.95	\$34.45	\$40.40
3"	2	\$5.95	\$64.60	\$70.55
4"	2	\$5.95	\$107.67	\$113.62
6"	2	\$5.95	\$215.34	\$221.29
8"	2	\$5.95	\$344.54	\$350.49
10"	2	\$5.95	\$619.32	\$625.27

**Volume Charges**

Customer Class	Volume Rate in \$ per hcf	Strength Adjustment Factor	Adjusted Volume Charge (\$/hcf) Before Pretreatment Adjustment
Single Family Residential	\$2.46	1	\$2.46
Multi-Family Residential	\$2.46	1	\$2.46
All Public	\$2.46	1	\$2.46
Eating Places	\$2.46	1	\$2.46
Commercial	\$2.46	1	\$2.46
Industrial	\$2.46	1	\$2.46

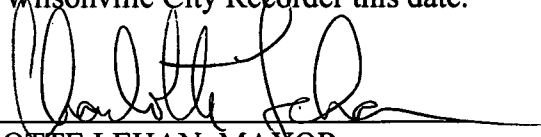
**High Strength Surcharge (Pretreatment Adjustment)**

BOD \$0.73 per pound

TSS \$0.09 per pound


- 2) Volume charges for single family residential units are based upon the average winter water consumption. The months that compose the winter months shall be November through March.
- 3) User fees for Storm Water, Street Lights and Road Maintenance are already stated in monthly rate terms, thus no change is necessary.

ADOPTED by the Wilsonville City Council at a regular meeting thereof this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000 and filed with the Wilsonville City Recorder this date.



CHARLOTTE LEHAN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
Sandra C. King, CMC, City Recorder

SUMMARY OF VOTES:

Mayor Lehan	Yes
Councilor Helser	Yes
Councilor Barton	Yes
Councilor Kirk	Yes
Council Holt	Yes