

**CITY OF FLORENCE
RESOLUTION NO. 3, SERIES 2014
A RESOLUTION REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 7, SERIES 2013 AND AMENDING WATER
AND WASTEWATER RATES**

WHEREAS, Florence City Code Title 9, Chapter 2 provides for the City Council to set water rate charges and to amend, or alter, from time to time, at the discretion of the Council by resolution; and

WHEREAS, Florence City Code Title 9, Chapter 3 provides for the City Council to review and set wastewater utility charges by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Budget Committee of the City of Florence has reviewed and recommended that the water and wastewater utility rates be increased to provide needed funding for current and ongoing maintenance, operations and debt service; and

WHEREAS, the Budget Committee of the City of Florence has recommended that water, wastewater, stormwater, well rehabilitation and street maintenance fees be reviewed and adjusted annually as a means of stabilizing future rate adjustments; and

WHEREAS, the Budget Committee of the City of Florence has determined that water and wastewater fees are needed to be adjusted for Fiscal Year 2014-15; and

WHEREAS, the Florence City Council has reviewed information relative to the existing rates and fees for water and wastewater utilities and has determined that these rates should be modified.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Florence City Council that Resolution No. 7, Series 2013 has been repealed, and that the following rates and fees are hereby established effective July 1, 2014 until the same shall be modified or amended by subsequent resolution of the City Council:

| <i>Water Classifications / Meter Size</i> | <i>Current Rate</i> | <i>Proposed Increase in Rates</i> | <i>Proposed FY 14-15 Rates</i> |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Residential | \$16.57 | \$0.17 | \$16.74 |
| Commodity (volume) Tiered Rates for residential | | | |
| 0-1,000 cubic feet | \$0.0195 | \$0.00019 | \$0.0197 |
| 1,001 – 1,500 cubic feet | \$0.0213 | \$0.0002 | \$0.0215 |
| 1,501 and greater cubic feet | \$0.0255 | \$0.00025 | \$0.0258 |
| Well Rehabilitation – all customers | \$1.00 | N/A | \$1.00 |
| Small Commercial – Low Volume | \$16.57 | \$0.17 | \$16.74 |
| Small Commercial – High Volume | \$82.92 | \$0.83 | \$83.75 |
| 1 ½-inch Commercial | \$82.92 | \$0.83 | \$83.75 |

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| 2-inch Commercial | \$128.64 | \$1.29 | \$129.93 |
| 3-inch Commercial | \$400.54 | \$4.01 | \$404.55 |
| 4-inch Commercial | \$504.86 | \$5.05 | \$509.91 |
| 6-inch Commercial | \$2,069.84 | \$20.70 | \$2,090.54 |
| Greentrees East | \$2,198.47 | \$21.98 | \$2,220.45 |
| 8-inch Commercial | \$6,497.55 | \$64.98 | \$6,562.53 |
| Fire Standby | \$7.43 | \$0.07 | \$7.50 |
| Irrigation Only Meter ¾ and 1-inch | \$16.57 | \$0.17 | \$16.74 |
| Irrigation Only Meter 1 1/2-inch | \$82.92 | \$0.83 | \$83.75 |
| Irrigation Only Meter 2-inch | \$128.64 | \$1.29 | \$129.93 |
| Commodity (volume) Rates for Commercial | \$0.0195 | \$0.00019 | \$0.0197 |
| Other individual rates (plus 1%) | | | |

| <i>Wastewater Classifications</i> | <i>Current Rate</i> | <i>Proposed Increase</i> | <i>Proposed FY 13-14 Rates</i> |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Residential | \$49.72 | \$0.99 | \$50.71 |
| STEP System | \$65.07 | \$1.30 | \$66.37 |
| Viking Concrete | \$178.78 | \$3.58 | \$182.36 |
| Commercial Rates | | | |
| I&I rate per unit | \$6.85 | \$0.14 | \$6.99 |
| Sewer Demand Portion per unit | \$6.77 | \$0.14 | \$6.91 |
| I&I and Demand combined (\$/cu ft) | \$0.0707 | \$0.00141 | \$0.0721 |
| Greentrees & Coast Village | \$0.0616 | \$0.00123 | \$0.0628 |
| Other individual rates (plus 2%) | | | |

APPROVED BY THE FLORENCE CITY COUNCIL THIS 2nd DAY OF JUNE 2014.


 Nola Xavier, MAYOR

ATTEST:


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