

AN ORDINANCE TO RESTATE THE SCHEDULE OF WATER RATES APPLICABLE TO CUSTOMERS OF THE CITY OF NEW BERN

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW BERN:

Section 1. That there is hereby established, as one component of the water rates to be charged all water customers of the City of New Bern, monthly readiness-to-serve charges, based on the customer's water meter size and the customer's location: i.e. within or without the City of New Bern, as follows:

Effective with all billing beginning July 1, 2011

METER SIZE	<u>INSIDE THE CITY OF NEW BERN</u>	<u>OUTSIDE THE CITY OF NEW BERN</u>
5/8" & 3/4"	\$23.00	\$46.00
1" & 1 1/4"	\$57.50	\$115.00
1 1/2"	\$115.00	\$230.00
2"	\$184.00	\$368.00
3"	\$379.50	\$759.00
4"	\$627.90	\$1,255.80
6"	\$1,285.70	\$2,571.40
8"	\$1,943.50	\$3,887.00
10"	\$2,971.60	\$5,943.20

Section 2. That there are hereby established, as the second component of water rates to be charged all water customers of the City of New Bern, monthly commodity charges, i.e., rates per thousand gallons of water use, as follows:

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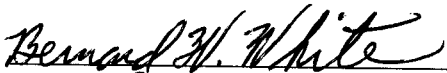
Water Customers Located within the City Limits of the City of New Bern.	\$3.22	per 1,000 gallons (under 10,000 gallons)
Water Customers Located within the City Limits of the City of New Bern.	\$4.35	per 1,000 gallons (over 10,000 gallons)
Water Customers Located outside the City Limits of the City of New Bern.	\$6.44	per 1,000 gallons (under 10,000 gallons)
Water Customers Located outside the City Limits of the City of New Bern.	\$8.69	per 1,000 gallons (over 10,000 gallons)

Section 3. All contract rate terms which are based on the in-city rates are hereby changed in accordance with the terms of the contract and with the changes approved herein.

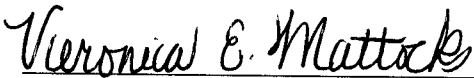
Section 4. That all Ordinances and Resolution heretofore adopted by the Board of Aldermen in fixing water rates to be charged to customers of the City of New Bern which are in conflict with the rates herein set forth be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect as of July 1, 2011.

ADOPTED THIS 28TH DAY OF JUNE, 2011



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Aldermen
Mike Epperson, City Manager
FROM: Jordan B. Hughes P.E., City Engineer *JBH*
DATE: June 22, 2011
CC: Scott Davis, City Attorney

SUBJECT: Recommendation to Revise Recently Adopted Water & Sewer Rate Schedules

At the June 14th, 2011 Board of Aldermen meeting Ordinances were adopted to restate the schedule of water and sewer rates applicable to the customers of the City of New Bern. After adoption of the ordinances, two typographical errors were discovered in the rate schedules for water and sewer customers that need to be corrected.

Under Section 2 of the sewer rate schedule the intention was to have a separate rate for in-City and out-of-City metered sewer customers. However, both of the published rates were directed towards out-of-City customers and no rate was established for in-City, metered sewer customers.

Under Section 1 of the water rate schedule the intention was for all of the proposed readiness-to-serve rates to remain the same as the existing rate. However, for the 3" meter class the in-City rate was published as \$379.00 instead of \$379.50, which is the current in-City rate.

The enclosed Ordinances will correct these errors and properly establish the rate structures as intended and therefore, City staff hereby recommends that the Board of Aldermen adopt the attached Ordinances to restate the schedule of water and sewer rates applicable to the customers of the City of New Bern.

Enclosed please find the proposed Ordinances, which incorporate the aforementioned revisions.

Please contact me if there are any questions or if additional information should be required.