

RESOLUTION NO. 2015 – 29

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COCOA BEACH, FLORIDA, SETTING UTILITY RATES FOR SEWER SERVICES FOR FISCAL YEARS 2016, 2017 AND 2018 SERVICES; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Commission last implemented a sewer rate increase with the adoption of Resolution 2009-13; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 2009-13 provides that rates be adjusted each June by the percentage change in the Gross Domestic Product Implicit Price Deflator for the previous twelve month period, as published by the U.S. Department of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission rescinds Resolution 2009-13 and adopts sewer rate percent adjustments outlined in the Utility Rate Assessment adopted with Resolution 2015 -28 on September 17, 2015.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Cocoa Beach, Florida, as follows:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are true and correct and by this reference are hereby adopted by the City of Cocoa Beach.

SECTION 2. Unless amended by the City Commission, rates will be adjusted annually on October 1 in accordance with the rate schedule in the Utility Rate Assessment adopted on September 17, 2015. The rate schedule is as follows:

The following charges are based on water used as measured by the municipal water meters:

Rates for the period October 1, 2015 – September 30, 2016				
	Residential Service		Commercial Service	
	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits
Gallons per Month				
First Tier ¹ 0 - 3,000 gallons	\$18.02	\$22.52	\$19.82	\$24.77
Second Tier 3,001 - 5,000 gallons ²	5.04	6.30	5.50	6.86
Third Tier Over 5,000 gallons ²	5.93	7.39	6.48	8.04
Notes:				
1. First Tier charges are also minimum charges				
2. Rates are per each additional 1,000 gallons.				

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Rates for the period October 1, 2016 – September 30, 2017				
	Residential Service		Commercial Service	
	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits
Gallons per Month				
First Tier ¹ 0 - 3,000 gallons	\$19.82	\$24.77	\$21.80	\$27.25
Second Tier 3,001 - 5,000 gallons ²	5.54	6.93	6.05	7.55
Third Tier Over 5,000 gallons ²	6.52	8.13	7.13	8.85
Notes:				
1. First Tier charges are also minimum charges				
2. Rates are per each additional 1,000 gallons.				

Rates for the period October 1, 2017 – September 30, 2018				
	Residential Service		Commercial Service	
	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits	Rate Inside City Limits	Rate Outside City Limits
Gallons per Month				
First Tier ¹ 0 - 3,000 gallons	\$20.41	\$25.51	\$22.46	\$28.07
Second Tier 3,001 - 5,000 gallons ²	5.71	7.14	6.23	7.78
Third Tier Over 5,000 gallons ²	6.72	8.38	7.34	9.11
Notes:				
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2. Rates are per each additional 1,000 gallons.				

Rates after September 30, 2018:

Rate adjustments after September 30, 2018 may be made each year by Resolution.

City disconnection/reconnection charges:

Fee for inside and outside city service - \$60.00

For all accounts that have been disconnected due to delinquency, a reconnect fee must be paid prior to restoration of water and/or sewer services.

Multiple dwelling complexes served by individual unit meters will be charged under the residential rates. Multiple dwelling complexes served by one meter will be charged under the commercial rates. Special meters installed by the City of Cocoa to measure water consumption which does not enter the sanitary sewer

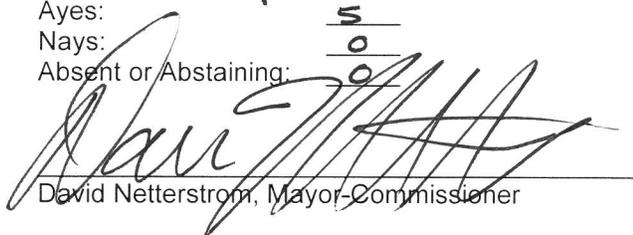
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system (e.g. swimming pools, lawn sprinklers) will not be subject to the above. Monthly utility bills will be mailed no less than fourteen (14) days before the due date. Payment due date will be the fourth Monday of each month. If the fourth Monday is a city holiday, payment will be due on the next regular business day of the city. Accounts which are not paid by the due date are delinquent, and thereafter, water and/or sewer service will be disconnected. Delinquent notices will be mailed after the occurrence of the delinquency and at least ten (10) days prior to disconnecting service. To re-establish service, the complete bill must be paid in full, plus a reconnection charge for water and/or sewer service as determined by the city.

SECTION 3: Effective Date: This resolution and deposit fees adopted shall become in full effect on October 1, 2015

Upon Motion by Commissioner Miller and Seconded by Commissioner Tumulty, this Resolution was duly adopted at a Regular Meeting of the City Commission of the City of Cocoa Beach, Florida, held on the 17 day of September, 2015.

Ayes: 5
Nays: 0
Absent or Abstaining: 0



David Netterstrom, Mayor-Commissioner

ATTEST:



Loredana Kalaghchy, CMC, City Clerk