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RESOLUTION NO. 1972

A RESOLUTION SETTING RATES FOR SEWER USE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 5.1 OF ORDINANCE NO. 4144.

WHEREAS, the sewer rate structure should be based on the principal that all users should pay their "fair share" of system costs, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that users with relatively homogeneous wastewater loading are grouped together and rates are developed for the average loadings in that group, and

WHEREAS, in establishing equities in sewer use rates it is necessary to establish customer classes as single-family residential, multi-family residential, high-strength commercial, general commercial, and industrial users, and

WHEREAS, an equitable rate structure requires that a flat demand charge for each user plus a variable charge that depends on the use of the system be established; the demand charges herein established were designed to cover fixed costs of the system with the variable charges designed to provide for those costs that vary closely with the quantity and strength of the wastewater. That each customer in a given class, except industry, will pay the same monthly demand charge. That all variable charges shown as a rate for 100 cubic feet of water consumption with this portion of the bill to an individual user to vary according to water consumption. Now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED,
Sewer use charges are hereby established as follows:

Nonindustrial User Rates

For each nonindustrial customer, the monthly sewage bill would be computed as follows:

$$A = B + \frac{(3 \text{ months water consumption})}{3} C$$

where: A = monthly bill
B = demand charge for each customer in the particular class
C = use rate for the particular class

and where:

3 months water consumption (expressed in hundreds of cubic feet) is the recorded consumption for January, February, and March of each year, as shown in records to be provided annually by Pacific Power and Light Company

Single family residential:

B = \$3.85 per month
C = \$0.087 per hundred cubic feet

Multi-family residential:

B = \$3.85 per dwelling unit per month
C = \$0.087 per hundred cubic feet

High-strength Commercial:

B = \$50.35 per month
C = \$0.224 per hundred cubic feet

General Commercial:

B = \$3.85 per month
C = \$0.447 per hundred cubic feet

Industrial User Rates

For each industrial customer the monthly sewage bill would be computed as follows:

$$I = J + (SS)K + (BOD)L + (Q)M$$

where: I = monthly bill

J = demand charge for particular industrial user

SS = monthly suspended solids (in lbs.) as measured by monitoring equipment

K = use charge for suspended solids

BOD = monthly BOD (in lbs.) as measured by monitoring equipment

L = use charge for BOD

Q = monthly flow (in 1,000 gallons) as measured by monitoring equipment

M = use charge for flow

For each industry, the monthly demand charge (J) will be as follows:

S.W.F. Plywood	=	\$ 208 per month
Oregon Freeze Dry	=	1,231 per month
Seabrook Foods	=	6,340 per month
Stokely Van Camp	=	713 per month

For each industry the variable charge (i.e. the remaining portion of the industrial sewage billing formula) will utilize the following parameters:

K = \$0.010 per pound suspended solids

L = \$0.025 per pound BOD

M = \$0.059 per 1,000 gallons of flow

As long as Stokely Van Camp remains connected to the sewerage system, two additional charges will be assessed to Stokely Van Camp:

1. Additional demand charge of \$2,200 per month for the months of ~~June~~ through October.
2. Variable charge of \$7.50 per 1,000 gallons of flow for all sewage in excess of Stokley Van Camp's normal domestic loads.

These sewer user rates do not include sewer separation charges. Therefore, the current \$0.80 and \$2.00 charges should be added to the rates shown above to obtain the total bill for each user.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the rates herein established shall apply to users within the boundaries of the city limits of the City of Albany Any person making use of the sewer system outside the City of Albany shall pay one and one-half (1-1/2) times the rate as established herein.

DATED this 28th day of June, 1978.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Recorder