

RESOLUTION 2017-04

A RESOLUTION SETTING WASTEWATER SERVICE FEES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018 AND PROVIDING FOR RATE ADJUSTMENTS

WHEREAS, Ordinance 223 provides the City Council with authority to set rates for the construction and operation of the Coburg Wastewater Systems; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to update the wastewater service rates and to provide for a method for future adjustments to insure a fiscally sound operating wastewater system, including maintaining required debt reserves and constructing a prudent equipment replacement reserve,

NOW THEREFOR, THE COBURG CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The current wastewater service rate of \$90.10 per month per user EDU shall be reduced effective for the service month beginning on July 1, 2017, and will be set at \$85.00 per month per EDU, as EDUs are calculated pursuant to Ordinance 223 and Resolution 2016-05. Establishing a rate per EDU user does not preclude or limit the City's authority to establish other rates for special circumstances or classes of users of the wastewater system. Further an adjustment will be made annually based on the assumptions reflected in the updated 20 year analysis model as well as the annual calculation of EDUs as prepared by the Utility Billing Department
2. Unless otherwise altered by the Council or by the City Administrator acting pursuant to authority granted by the Council, wastewater service rates may be adjusted annually based on Council direction as set forth in this and prior Resolutions. The rates set by this resolution may be adjusted by the City Administrator, if the Administrator and the Finance Director determine that the then applicable rates should be adjusted to achieve the purposes of this Resolution.
3. The rate for wastewater services set by prior Resolutions on wastewater service rates shall no longer be effective. The methodology established by prior Resolutions shall remain in effect and shall be applied in future rate adjustments.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Coburg, Oregon, by a vote of 3 for and 1 against, this 11th day of April, 2017.


Ray Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:


Sammy L. Egbert, City Recorder