

ORDINANCE NO. 2571

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 13.64.010 of the Camas Municipal Code by revising monthly sewer rates.

The Council of the City of Camas do ordain as follows:

Section I

Section 13.64.010 of the Camas Municipal Code is amended to provide as follows:

13.64.010 City of Camas Sewer Rate Schedule:

**RESIDENTIAL**

<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Inside City</b> Monthly Service Charge	\$17.87	\$19.82	\$20.71	\$21.33
Volume Charge (\$/ccf)	\$ 2.72	\$ 3.02	\$ 3.15	\$ 3.25
<b>Outside City</b> Monthly Service Charge	\$26.81	\$29.73	\$31.06	\$32.00
Volume Charge (\$/ccf)	\$ 4.08	\$ 4.52	\$ 4.73	\$ 4.87

**COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL**

<b>Customer Class</b>				
<b>Inside City</b> Monthly Service Charge	\$ 8.55	\$ 9.48	\$ 9.91	\$ 10.21
Volume Charge (\$/ccf)	\$ 3.64	\$ 4.03	\$ 4.22	\$ 4.34
<b>Outside City</b> Monthly Service Charge	\$12.82	\$14.22	\$14.86	\$15.30
Volume Charge (\$/ccf)	\$ 5.46	\$ 6.05	\$ 6.32	\$ 6.51

Section II

There is hereby added to Chapter 13.64 a new section to provide as follows:

13.64 Sewer Volume Charges: The sewer volume charges for each residential customer from November 16<sup>th</sup> through March 15<sup>th</sup> shall be based upon that customer's actual water consumption during that period. The two billing cycles between November 16<sup>th</sup> and March 15<sup>th</sup> shall be the customer's "two billing cycle water consumption history". The sewer volume charges for each residential unit for the remainder of the year shall be based on the average water consumption in the previous "two billing cycle water consumption history". Zero water consumption in any of the two water consumption history billing periods shall not constitute a "complete two billing cycle water

consumption history".

A. Residential customers that have a "complete two billing cycle water consumption history" as specified above shall be charged the applicable inside city or outside city monthly sewer charge and volume charge as set forth in the chart in Section I above.

B. Residential customers that do not have a "complete two billing cycle water consumption history" as specified above, shall be charged the applicable inside city or outside city monthly service charge set forth in Section I and a volume charge equivalent to 650 cubic feet of water usage as the monthly sewer billing rate.

C. Residential customers may apply for a reduction in sewer rates when, due to a broken water line on the customer's premises, the sewer charge is substantially increased. The amount of the reduction shall be the difference between the average of the two prior sewer billings and the current sewer billing.

Section III

This Ordinance shall take force and be in effect five (5) days from and after its publication according to law.

PASSED BY the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 21<sup>ST</sup> day of December, 2009.

SIGNED: Paul Di  
Mayor

ATTEST: John M. Auger  
Clerk

APPROVED as to form:

[Signature]  
City Attorney