

ORDINANCE NO. 434

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BONIFAY, FLORIDA, REPEALING ORDINANCE 427 OF THE CITY OF BONIFAY RELATING TO WATER AND SEWER UTILITY RATES; ADOPTING AND ESTABLISHING MINIMUM UTILITY (WATER AND SEWER) RATES FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The City Charter for the City of Bonifay, Florida, was adopted by referendum on January 15, 1991; and

WHEREAS, Article 1, Section 1.01, of the City Charter of the City of Bonifay, Florida, empowers and enables the City of Bonifay to conduct municipal services; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida, is vested with the authority to establish reasonable classifications of consumers of municipal services such as water and sewer and to establish variable rates for such classifications; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida, recently conducted a utility rate study and has determined that rate increases are necessary for certain municipal services in order for the City of Bonifay, Florida, to continue to adequately and properly conduct and supply said services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida that the following minimum rate for City of Bonifay Utility (Water and Sewer) services are hereby established:

Section 1. Repealer:

Ordinance 427 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 2. New Effective Rates:

Inside City Limits Residential Water Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$21.21	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$2.65	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$2.78	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$2.92	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$3.06	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$26.19	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.29	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$3.46	Per 1,000 gal	2

8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$3.63	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$3.81	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$31.16	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.94	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$4.14	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.35	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$4.56	Per 1,000 gal	3

Outside City Limits Residential Water Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$26.51	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.31	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$3.47	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$3.65	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$3.83	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$32.73	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.12	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$4.32	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.54	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$4.77	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$38.95	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.93	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.17	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.43	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$5.70	Per 1,000 gal	3

Inside City Limits Commercial Water Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$28.36	Base Rate	1

2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$2.50	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$2.63	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$2.76	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$2.89	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$35.60	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$2.63	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$2.76	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$2.98	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$3.04	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$42.85	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$2.76	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$2.89	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$3.13	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$3.19	Per 1,000 gal	3

Outside City Limits Commercial Water Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$35.45	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.13	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$3.28	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$3.88	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$4.88	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$44.50	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.28	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$3.45	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.08	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$4.71	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$53.56	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$3.45	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$3.62	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.48	Per 1,000 gal	3

12,000 and up	\$4.94	Per 1,000 gal	3
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Inside City Limits Residential Wastewater Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$42.34	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.38	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$4.60	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.83	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$5.07	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$47.22	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.76	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.00	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.25	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$5.51	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$52.09	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$5.14	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.40	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.51	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$5.79	Per 1,000 gal	3

Outside City Limits Residential Wastewater Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$52.92	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$5.48	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.75	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$6.04	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$6.34	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$59.02	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$5.95	Per 1,000 gal	2

5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$6.25	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$6.56	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$6.89	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$65.12	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$6.43	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$6.75	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$6.89	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$7.23	Per 1,000 gal	3

Inside City Limits Commercial Wastewater Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
0 to 2,000 gal	\$54.78	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.49	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$4.72	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$4.95	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$5.20	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$57.24	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$4.99	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.24	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.50	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$5.77	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$64.69	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$5.48	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.75	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$6.04	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$6.34	Per 1,000 gal	3

Outside City Limits Commercial Wastewater Rate:

Volume	Rates	Increments	Year (beginning with 2023- 2024)
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0 to 2,000 gal	\$66.83	Base Rate	1
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$5.62	Per 1,000 gal	1
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$4.95	Per 1,000 gal	1
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.20	Per 1,000 gal	1
12,000 and up	\$5.46	Per 1,000 gal	1
0 to 2,000 gal	\$71.55	Base Rate	2
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$6.23	Per 1,000 gal	2
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$5.50	Per 1,000 gal	2
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$5.77	Per 1,000 gal	2
12,000 and up	\$6.06	Per 1,000 gal	2
0 to 2,000 gal	\$80.86	Base Rate	3
2,001 to 5,000 gal	\$6.85	Per 1,000 gal	3
5,001 to 8,000 gal	\$6.04	Per 1,000 gal	3
8,001 to 12,000 gal	\$6.34	Per 1,000 gal	3
12,000 and up	\$6.66	Per 1,000 gal	3

Section 3. Severability:

If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is held, for any reason, to be unconstitutional, void, or invalid, the validity of the remaining portion of the Ordinance shall not be thereby.

Section 4. Effective Date:

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

FIRST READING in regular session of the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida on the day of _____, 2023.

SECOND READING in regular session of the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida on the day of _____, 2023.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in regular session of the City Council of the City of Bonifay, Florida after due notice, publication, and second reading on the day of _____, 2023.

CITY OF BONIFAY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

By its Mayor, Dr. Emily Rone McCann

By Rickey Callahan, Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michelle Blankenship Jordan
City Attorney