



CITY COUNCIL ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE:

April 18, 2024

SUBCATEGORY:

Second Reading of Ordinances

DEPARTMENT NAME:

Water

AGENDA ITEM TITLE:

Water Department Ordinance Updates

DEPARTMENT SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:

The following ordinance updates related to the Water Department, summarized below are submitted for your approval:

Section 24-25 Residential Toilet Rebate Program – Changes effective date of rebate, increases rebate amount to \$75.00, and reduces flush rate of ultra-high efficiency toilets to 1.1 gallons per flush.

Chapter 24 Article XV Drought Management and Response – Codifies the City’s drought response to match the State EPD’s Drought Management and Response Rules.

Section 24-8 Water Ban – This section will be listed as “Reserved” as new language in Chapter 24 Article XV will replace this.

Section 24-145 Wastewater Treatment Rates – Adds language allowing a surcharge to be applied to high concentrations of Ammonia and Total Phosphorus in permitted industrial wastewater discharges.

Section 24-44 Charges – Updates surcharge rates for BOD, COD, and TSS and adds surcharge rates for Ammonia (NH₃) and Total Phosphorus (TP).

There have been no changes since the first reading of these ordinances.

LEGAL:

Reviewed and approved by City Attorney