

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-29

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING CITY SANITARY SEWER UTILITY RATES
FOR CITY OF FOREST GROVE, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023,
AND REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 2022-40**

WHEREAS, Forest Grove Code Section 52.01 and as set forth in the Agreement with Clean Water Services, Page 5, Section 4.B., of the Agreement requires the City to collect rates and charges set by Clean Water Services; and

WHEREAS, on July 1, 2017, Clean Water Services began to set a regional rate on the portion of sewer services it provides with the City of Forest Grove setting a rate for the portion of the sewer services that the City provides; and

WHEREAS, the City is increasing its FY 2023-24 local rate by 4.0% to equal the sewer increase proposed by Clean Water Services; and

WHEREAS, a duly notice public hearing was held on June 26, 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF FOREST GROVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The City of Forest Grove sets the following sanitary sewer utility rates for servicing the local portion of the sewer collection system that the City is responsible to maintain: Monthly Base Charge of \$10.29 per Dwelling Unit Equivalent (DUE) and a Use Charge of \$0.500 per 1,000 gallons per month for individual customer winter average. The revenue collected by this fee shall be retained by the City.

Section 2: The above rates shall become effective July 1, 2023.

Section 3: Resolution No. 2022-40 is repealed upon the effective implementation date of the foregoing rates.

Section 4: This resolution is effective immediately upon its enactment by the City Council.

PRESENTED AND PASSED this 26th day of June, 2023.

Anna D. Ruggles, City Recorder

APPROVED by the Mayor this 26th day of June, 2023.

Malynda H. Wenzl, Mayor