## **RESOLUTION NO. 2025-25**



Kathleen Walker, Mayor

## A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE POLICY OF UTILITY CHARGES FOR CITY ACCOUNTS.

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sandy provides utility services, including water, wastewater, stormwater, and fiber internet, and public safety services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sandy currently charges itself the same rates and fees as all other accounts are charged for these services at all City locations; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sandy provides numerous parks and public spaces that require the services noted above, and the costs of operating these spaces have continued to rise in recent years and pose a direct threat to the continuance of providing services in parks and public spaces; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Sandy adopted its 2025-27 Council Goals, which include Goal 5.4: Identify strategies to reduce the costs associated with the Bornstedt Park Splash Pad; and

**WHEREAS,** it appears to the City Council that the public benefit provided by parks and public spaces warrants exempting those spaces from such charges.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY:

<u>Section 1</u>: The City of Sandy will no longer change itself water, wastewater, stormwater, and fiber internet utility or public safety fee charges for those certain City accounts as specified in Section 2.

<u>Section 2</u>: The City of Sandy accounts no longer subject to these fees and charges are all City facilities in locations designated as parks and open spaces, except that any such facilities which include offices where City of Sandy business is regularly conducted shall continue to be subject to said fees and charges.

<u>Section 3</u>: The City Manager is authorized and directed to implement the necessary account and billing modifications as designated above.

This resolution is adopted by the City Council of the City of Sandy this 21st day of July, 2025.

ATTEST:	
Jeffrey Aprati, City Recorder	