

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM BRIEFING SHEET

Meeting Date:	Department:	Presented By:
September 12, 2023	Public Works	Michelle Guelker

AGENDA ITEM

To adopt an ordinance adopting the Enterprise Fund Rate Schedule.

PRESENTATION HIGHLIGHTS

Changes include the increase on the sewer rate as proposed by New Gen from \$20.00 to \$24.80 for residential and \$20.00 to \$31.74 for commercial. The volumetric charge will increase from \$5.15 to \$6.39 for residential and \$8.18 for Commercial.

The rate ordinance also includes a multi-family base rate change. Currently multi-family is paying a \$20.00 flat base and under the new ordinance, the base will be a charge of 80% on the total number of units at the facility.

Account	Units	Current Base		New Base
Gates	209	\$	20.00	\$ 4,146.56
Preserve	152	\$	20.00	\$ 3,015.68
Olympus	259	\$	20.00	\$ 5,138.56
Canvas	111	\$	20.00	\$ 2,202.24

Other changes include requiring a \$50.00 deposit on garbage only accounts and an after-hours fee for non-emergencies and standbys.

A separate category of Residential Rental was also created with a deposit amount of \$200.00. Unfortunately, the current deposit for \$100.00 does not usually cover the bills left behind by renters. The increase, while may not cover the entire bill, will reduce the amount lost when renters move out unexpectedly.

STAFF/BOARD/COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the utility rate ordinance as presented.

EXHIBITS:

Utility Rate Ordinance

Additional Info:	FINANCIAL INFO:	
	Cost	
	Source of Funding	