

**ORDINANCE NO. 2011-1056**

**AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-1012 SETTING RATES FOR WATER AND WASTE WATER SERVICES**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FULSHEAR, TEXAS AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-1012 SECTION 3.0 PARAGRAPH (C) TO REVISE WASTE WATER CHARGES FOR RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND SETTING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, in the interest of Fiscal Responsibility, the City Council of the City of Fulshear from time to time shall revise fees for Water and Waste Water Taps; AND

WHEREAS, those revisions include differentiated rates for commercial and residential customers; AND

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of encouraging conservation through rate augmentation; AND

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of providing some fiscal relief to its Residential customers; AND

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Fulshear, Texas wishes cap the chargeable usage of waste water by Residential customers through the revision of paragraphs (c) in Section 3.0 of the Ordinance.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FULSHEAR, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1.0**

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this Ordinance is to revise Ordinance 2010-1012 setting Water and Waste Water Rates, Section 3.0, revising paragraph (c) capping waste water usage rates for Residential customers.

**SECTION 2.0**

**AMDENDED:** Section 3.0 Paragraph (c) is hereby amended to read:

- (c) The following charges shall be made and collected for water and waste water services used by the residential customers of the water and waste water system of the City.

Water Rates for Residential customers:

0 – 5,000 gallons.....	\$13.00
5,001 - 10,000 gallons (for each additional Thousand gallons).....	\$2.00
10,001 – 20,000 gallons (for each additional Thousand gallons).....	\$2.50
20,001 gallons and over (for additional Thousand gallons).....	\$3.00

Waste water Rates for residential customers:

0 – 5,000 gallons..... \$13.00

5,001 – 30,000 gallons (for each additional  
Thousand gallons)..... \$2.00

There shall be no charge for waste water usage above 30,001 gallons for Residential Customers in recognition that most water used above that amount would not be used in normal household circumstance or to fill a pool and was most likely used in irrigation not placing a burden on the waste water system.

All monies collected under this Ordinance shall be credited to the Enterprise system fund of the City and shall become the property of said City.

**SECTION 3.0**

**SEVERABILITY CLAUSE:** That if any provision, word, sentence, paragraph, clause, phrase or section of this Ordinance or its application to any person or circumstances is adjudged or held invalid, void or unconstitutional, the invalid, void or unconstitutional portion shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance which shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 4.0**

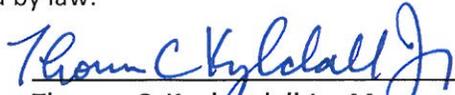
**REPEALING CLAUSE:** All provisions in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 5.0**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This Ordinance shall be effective on the first day of February, 2012.

**SECTION 6.0**

**PUBLICATION:** The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to publish the caption of this ordinance in the manner and for the length of time prescribed by law.

  
Thomas C. Kuykendall Jr., Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
D. Gordon Offord, City Secretary

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