

RESOLUTION No. 2017-11-02

INCREASING THE WASTEWATER RATES FOR THE CITY OF FORT MORGAN

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Morgan provides wastewater service to approximately 4,000 customers; and,

WHEREAS, as a wastewater service provider the City is responsible for the expenses associated with a treatment facility, collection systems and a pump station; and,

WHEREAS, the City performs periodic rate studies to ensure that revenues are sufficient to cover expenses and provide for sufficient reserve levels to meet possible bond covenants and Council's policy; and,

WHEREAS, the City previously increased the rates in October 2016 and anticipated an additional rate increase effective January 1, 2018 to stay consistent with the rate study and needs of the wastewater enterprise; and,

WHEREAS, Staff is recommending that a 5% increase in rates be imposed in 2018 to ensure adequate reserves are available in the event future bonding is required to comply with state and federal regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT MORGAN, COLORADO:

SECTION 1: Effective January 1, 2018, for all utility bills generated on or after such date, the City hereby adopts the Wastewater Rates (attached hereto as Exhibit A).

INTRODUCED, PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of November, 2017, the vote upon roll call being as follows:

Ayes: Mayor Shaver, Councilmembers Castoe, Howe, Marler and Northrup

Nays: None.

Absent / Abstain: Councilmembers Anderson and Lindell, Absent (excused)



THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FORT MORGAN, COLORADO

BY:



Ronald Shaver, Mayor

ATTEST:



John Brennan, City Clerk

STATE OF COLORADO)
COUNTY OF MORGAN) ss.
CITY OF FORT MORGAN)

CERTIFICATE

I, John Brennan, City Clerk of the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing **Resolution** is a true, perfect and complete copy of the **Resolution** adopted by the City Council and is identical to the original thereof appearing in the official records of the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, and that the same has not been, since its adoption, in any respect, rescinded or amended.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Fort Morgan this 21st day of November, 2017.



John Brennan, City Clerk