

## RESOLUTION NO. 2026-01-01

### INCREASING THE WASTEWATER RATES AND WATER RATES FOR THE CITY OF FORT MORGAN, COLORADO

**WHEREAS**, as a wastewater and water service provider, it is the City of Fort Morgan's (the "City") continued responsibility to establish expenses associated with water development and wastewater management: and,

**WHEREAS**, the projected revenues of the water and wastewater rates were analyzed in a study completed in 2024 by Raftelis Financial Consultants; and,

**WHEREAS**, the 2024 rate study projects additional increases in fixed costs per year as well as additional capital improvement projects for both the water and wastewater enterprise; and,

**WHEREAS**, an increase in the water rates would create additional revenue within the Water Enterprise Fund to allow for future infrastructure improvements, rate stabilization and major expansions that will benefit the customers; and,

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Sections 17-5-10 and 18-3-10 of the *Fort Morgan Municipal Code*, all water and wastewater rents, rates and charges payable within the City are to be established by Resolution of the City Council.

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

**Section 1.** Effective January 1, 2026, for all utility bills generated on or after such date, the City hereby adopts the Water Rates (attached hereto as Exhibit A).

**Section 2.** Effective January 1, 2026, for all utility bills generated on or after such date for services provided, the City hereby adopts the Wastewater Rates (attached hereto as Exhibit B).

INTRODUCED, PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026, the vote upon roll call being as follows:

Ayes: Mayor Lindell, Councilmembers Boyett, Garcia, Kaper, Morford, Parks, Schossow

Nays: None

Absent /Abstain: None



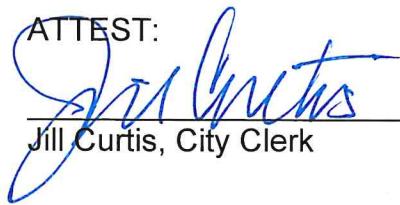
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
FORT MORGAN, COLORADO

BY:



Kevin Lindell, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jill Curtis, City Clerk

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

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Jill Curtis, 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 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026.



Jill Curtis, City Clerk