

**BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF MENDOTA, COUNTY OF FRESNO**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF MENDOTA ADOPTING
WATER AND SEWER RATES**

RESOLUTION NO. 15-83

WHEREAS, in 2007, the City adapted its most recent water and sewer rates that are currently in place;

WHEREAS, there is fiscal concern that current water and sewer rates are not and never again will be sufficient to raise revenues needed to cover the costs of providing utility services;

WHEREAS, in the State of California utility rates charged by municipal agencies such as the City of Mendota, are governed by rules and procedures adapted and made a part of the California Constitution by the passage of Proposition 218 in November, 1996; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Mendota approved publication of the proposed rates, as set out in the Water and Sewer Rate Study dated August 1, 2015, prepared for the City of Mendota by Provost & Pritchard Consulting Group of Fresno, California, and such rates were duly published in accordance with the procedures specified in the California Constitution; and

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing regarding setting of water and sewer rates was noticed to all rate-payers and property owners, and was set for November 10, 2015 at the regular meeting of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, at the Public Hearing, testimony was taken and the total number of rate-payers and property owners speaking in opposition or submitting written opposition to the new water and sewer rates was less than 50 percent of the total; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Mendota does hereby approve and instate the following water and sewer rates, effective January 1, 2016, as follows:

Table 1: Water Rates

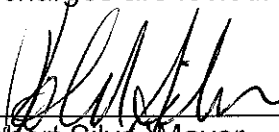
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
Residential							
5/8 & 3/4	\$ 32.40	\$ 45.40	\$ 49.40	\$ 52.09	\$ 52.09	\$ 57.77	\$ 58.16
1"	\$ 34.45	\$ 48.27	\$ 52.53	\$ 55.39	\$ 55.39	\$ 61.42	\$ 61.84
1-1/2"	\$ 62.64	\$ 87.77	\$ 95.51	\$ 100.72	\$ 100.72	\$ 111.68	\$ 112.45
Commercial							
5/8 & 3/4	\$ 32.40	\$ 45.40	\$ 49.40	\$ 52.09	\$ 52.09	\$ 57.77	\$ 58.16
1-12"	\$ 62.64	\$ 87.77	\$ 95.51	\$ 100.72	\$ 100.72	\$ 111.68	\$ 112.45
2"	\$ 84.96	\$ 119.05	\$ 129.54	\$ 136.60	\$ 136.60	\$ 151.48	\$ 152.52
Larger	\$ 140.22	\$ 196.48	\$ 213.79	\$ 225.45	\$ 225.45	\$ 250.01	\$ 251.72
Flow Charge (per 100 gal over 12,000 gallons)	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20

Table 2: Sewer Rates

	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
Base Rate	\$ 31.00	\$ 37.00	\$ 37.00	\$ 37.00	\$ 37.00	\$ 37.00	\$ 38.00
Flow Charge (per 100 gal over 12,000 gallons)	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.16

Turn-off fee and private fire connection fee are unchanged.

The data reflecting the estimated cost to provide service for which the fees and service charges herein are levied, and the revenue sources anticipated to provide the services, have been available to the public for at least 30 days prior to November 10, 2015. The fees and service charges herein imposed do not exceed the amount required to provide the services for which the fees and service charges are levied.

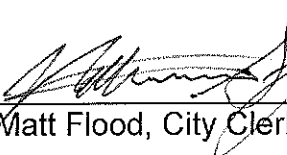


 Robert Silva, Mayor

ATTEST:

I, Matt Flood, City Clerk of the City of Mendota, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted and passed by the City Council at a regular meeting of said Council, held at the Mendota City Hall on the 10th day of November, 2015, by the following vote:

- AYES:** 4 – Mayor Silva, Mayor Pro Tem Valdez, and Councilor Amador and Castro.
NOES: 0
ABSENT: 1 – Councilor Riofrio.
ABSTAIN: 0



 Matt Flood, City Clerk

