

ORDINANCE NO. 09.21.15B

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS, AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF RATES FOR THE FURNISHING OF WASTEWATER SERVICE BY THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS, AMENDING SUBSECTION (1)(A), SUBSECTION (1)(B), AND SUBSECTION (2)(A) OF SEC. 13.02.124 (1993 CODE, SEC. 102-193.) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, AND ESTABLISHING NEW RATES FOR SUCH WASTEWATER SERVICE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2015

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS:

Section 1: That Subsection (1)(A), Subsection (1)(B), and Subsection (2)(A) of Sec. 13.02.124 (1993 Code, sec. 102-193.) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Hereford, Texas are hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 13.02.124 Sanitary sewer rates**

The following shall be the schedule of monthly charges for sanitary sewer service furnished by the sanitary sewer system of the city: (1993 Code, Sec. 102-193.)

(1) Residential rates per calendar month shall be the total of the following:

- (A) Base rate of \$13.93 per month; and
- (B) A rate of \$1.19 per one thousand (1,000) gallons of water consumption based upon the average of the immediately preceding December, January, and February actual water consumption amount for each residential unit. This rate shall be effective until April 1 of each year, at which time the rate shall be recomputed for the following year based upon the above formula, with the maximum average actual water consumption amount being 15,000 gallons per residential unit.

(2) Commercial and industrial rates per calendar month shall be as follows:

- (A) Base rate of \$7.10 per month and 50 percent of the monthly charge for water service;
- (B) A commercial unit shall be deemed to include, but not be limited to, motels and hotels, hospitals, and nursing and retirement facilities.

(3) Outside city limits services shall be as follows:

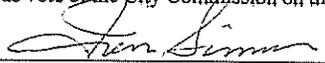
- (A) Residential sewer rates shall be one and one-half times the inside city limits rates.
- (B) Commercial and industrial sewer rates shall be one and one-half times the inside city limits rates.

Section 2: This Ordinance shall be effective and in full force from and after October 1, 2015.

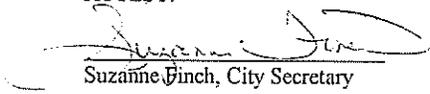
Section 3: All other terms and provisions of Section 13.02.124 (1993 Code, sec. 102-193.) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Hereford, Texas, not in conflict herewith and not hereby amended shall be and remain in full force and effect.

Section 4: The passage of this Ordinance shall repeal any wording of any existing Ordinance that is in conflict with the wording of this Ordinance.

The above and foregoing Ordinance was duly introduced on the motion of Commissioner Ange Alonzo, seconded by Commissioner Charles Kerr, and was duly PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the unanimous vote of the City Commission on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2015.

  
Tom Simons, Mayor  
City Of Hereford, Texas

ATTEST:

  
Suzanne Finch, City Secretary