

CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

ORDINANCE NO. 2010-15

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA AMENDING THE SITKA GENERAL CODE TO ADJUST THE RATES FOR SEWER SERVICE

- 1. **CLASSIFICATION.** This ordinance is of a permanent nature and is intended to become a part of the Sitka General Code.
- 2. **SERVERABILITY.** If any provision of this ordinance or any application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and application to any person or circumstance shall not be affected.
- 3. **PURPOSE.** The City and Borough of Sitka shall change the rates for sewer service, with the base rate going from \$30.00 to \$34.00 per month per unit and metered rates to increase by thirteen and thirty three one-hundreds (13.33) percent for Fiscal Year 2011; and, rate increase of 13.33% in 2012, 13.33% in 2013, 13.33% in 2014, and 13.33% in 2015 for both the base and metered rates. The additional funds are needed to cover the operating, debt service and infrastructure costs. This schedule will be evaluated prior to the 13.33% rate increases through Fiscal Year 2015.
- 4. **ENACTMENT, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED** by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka that the Sitka General Code Section is amended to read as follows:

 - Chapter 15.04 Sewer System
 - 15.04.320 Rates and Fees
 - A. Base rate: \$34.00[\$30.00] per unit.
 - B. Sewer Service in Conjunction with Metered Water. Minimum charge: One times the unmetered sewer base rate plus one dollar and seventy [fifty] cents per one thousand metered gallons.
- 5. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall become effective on the first billing cycle after July 1, 2010.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska this June 8, 2010.

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ATTEST:

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Colleen Ingman, MMC
Municipal Clerk