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A RESOLUTION

ESTABLISHING CERTAIN WATER FEES FOR CUSTOMERS OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD WATER UTILITY

WHEREAS, Section 13.04.120 of the Lakewood Municipal Code directs the City Council to establish by resolution water rates for customers of the water system of the City of Lakewood; and

WHEREAS, a water rate study confirms that in order to cover all costs of service, it is necessary to amend the water rates charged to the customers of the City of Lakewood water system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lakewood, Colorado, that:

SECTION 1. The following rates are hereby established, effective January 15, 2014, as the water rates for the water utility of the City of Lakewood:

The water rates for customers of the City of Lakewood water system shall be based upon the following rate schedule. All water customers shall pay a standard, unvarying bimonthly service charge based upon meter size, and a variable volume charge based on the amount of water used. Additionally, commercial customers with fire protection systems shall pay an unvarying bimonthly charge based on the size of connection.

Service Charge

| Meter Size (Inches) | Bimonthly \$ |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 5/8 | 21.95 |
| 3/4 | 25.00 |
| 1 | 31.15 |
| 1 1/2 | 48.55 |
| 2 | 70.70 |
| 3 | 218.40 |
| 4 | 261.65 |
| 6 | 411.45 |

Volume Charge

| Use | \$ per 1,000 gallons |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Single Family | |
| First 22,000 gallons | 4.87 |
| Next 38,000 gallons | 5.84 |
| Over 60,000 gallons | 7.30 |
| Multi-Family (2 units) | |
| First 30,000 gallons | 4.87 |
| Over 30,000 gallons | 5.84 |
| Multi-Family (3 units) | |
| First 42,000 gallons | 4.87 |
| Over 42,000 gallons | 5.84 |
| Multi-Family (4 units) | |
| First 54,000 gallons | 4.87 |
| Over 54,000 gallons | 5.84 |
| Multi-Family (5 units) | |
| First 66,000 gallons | 4.87 |
| Over 66,000 gallons | 5.84 |
| All Other Customers | |
| Winter | 4.87 |
| Summer | 5.84 |

Fire Protection Charge

| Connection Size (Inches) | Bimonthly \$ |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 ½ | 15.00 |
| 2 | 15.00 |
| 3 | 25.00 |
| 4 | 36.90 |
| 6 | 74.00 |
| 8 | 161.70 |

INTRODUCED, READ AND ADOPTED by a vote of 8 for and 0 against at a regular meeting of the City Council on December 9, 2013, at 7 o'clock p.m. at Lakewood City Hall, 480 South Allison Parkway, Lakewood, Colorado.

Bob Murphy, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margy Greer, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Tim Cox, City Attorney