# **RESOLUTION NO.** 31–1994

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, REVISING THE SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER AND SEWER UTILITY SERVICE.

WHEREAS, Section 32-37 and Section 32-39 of the Abilene Municipal Code provide for the establishment of a Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Utility Service; and,

WHEREAS, the Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Utility Service has from time to time been revised by the Council; and,

WHEREAS, at this time there is need to revise said Schedule of Rates and Charges for Sewer Service;

NOW THEREFORE,

### BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Utility Service currently in effect is hereby replaced by the Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Utility Service attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

PART 2: That this Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Utility Service shall be kept on file in the City Secretary's office and in the Water Utility office.

PART 3: That the effective date of this action shall be the 1st day of September, A.D., 1994.

ADOPTED this 25th day of August, A.D., 1994.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

CITY ATTORNEY

#### EXHIBIT A

# CITY OF ABILENE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT UTILITY SERVICE OFFICE

# SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 1994

#### GENERAL

1.	First 2,000 gallons\$6.25 Minimum
	Next 6,000 gallons
	COMMERCIAL
2.	Monthly Rates and Charges for Commercial Water Service: First 2,000 gallons\$6.25 Minimum Next 6,000 gallons1.14 per thousand gallons All over 8,000 gallons1.38 per thousand gallons "All business operations including residential housing with 4 units or more."
3.	General Service Sewer Rate Per Unit: First 2,000 gallons\$8.00 Minimum Next 8,000 gallons82 per thousand gallons All over 10,000 GallonsNo Charge
4.	Commercial Service Sewer Rate: First 2,000 gallons\$8.00 Minimum All over 2,000 gallons82 per thousand gallons
5.	Industrial Service Water Rates: First 8,000 gallons
6.	Environmental Fee: Fifty cents (.50) per account. Additional fee to meet federal and State Environmental Mandates.
7.	Industrial Sewer Treatment Surcharge Rate: B.O.D. (9.1¢/lb) T.S.S. (6.7¢/lb) C.O.D. (5.1¢/LB)
8.	Minimum Charge Applies to Meter Size Indicated:         5/8 or 3/4       \$6.25 Min. per month         1 inch       7.80         1-1/2 inch       12.50         2 inch       19.00         3 inch       42.00         4 inch       55.00         6 inch       90.00         8 inch       150.00         10 inch       180.00         12 inch       340.00

General and Commercial Service Allowed 2,000 gallons for this minimum.  $\cdot$ 

Industrial Service Allowed 8,000 gallons for this minimum.

9. Where more than one living or business unit is supplied through one meter, a minimum charge will be made for each first unit. Each additional living or business unit will be charged two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50). No credit shall be allowed for vacant or unoccupied units, or if the utility account remains on.

#### 10. Tap fees:

<u>Size</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Replacement</u>	<u> Tap Credit</u>
	\$200.00	3/4 in	ch	\$ 20.00
	275.00	1 inch		40.00
1 1/2 inc	h425.00	1-1/2	inch	100.00
(2 inch a	nd above, actual			

A plumbing permit issued by Building Inspection will be required prior to payment of the tap fee.

- 11. <u>Untreated Raw Water Rate:</u> Thirty-five cents (35¢) per thousand gallons, inside City limits.
- 12. <u>Construction Water:</u> Set fee, sixty dollars (\$60.00); consumption rate one dollar fifty cents (\$1.50) per thousand gallons.
- 13. Fire Line Sprinkler Systems: Fire protection only, two dollars per inch (\$2.00), in diameter of the service connection.

#### 14. Deposits:

- a. General Service--twenty-five dollars minimum (\$25).
- b. Commercial Service--Twenty-five dollars minimum (\$25).
- c. Industrial Service--Twenty-five dollars minimum (\$25).

#### 15. Special Service Charges:

- a. Field action, delinquent off, ten dollars (\$10).
- b. Field action, pull meter to prevent illegal consumption, twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$27.50).
- c. Return Check Charge (\$10) per account.
- d. Re-read meter, five dollars (\$5.00).
- e. Transfer of Service (\$10).
- 16. Outside of City limits, double above rates for water consumption.

#### 17. Pro Rata Charge for Water and Sewer Line Connection:

<u>Sewer:</u> <u>Two</u> dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2.25) per front foot in areas where mains were installed prior to June 30, 1981.

<u>Four</u> dollars (\$4.00) per front foot in areas where mains were installed after June 30, 1981.

<u>Water:</u> Three dollars and twenty-five cents (\$3.25) per front foot in areas where mains were installed prior to June 30, 1981.

<u>Five</u> dollars (\$5.00) per front foot where mains were installed after June 30, 1981.

The basis for determining footage amounts is described in Chapter 32 of the Municipal Code.