

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

ORDINANCE 83-29

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 14, UTILITIES,
OF THE HOMER CITY CODE, REPEALING AND RE-
ENACTING SECTION 14.04.040 AMENDING THE
SCHEDULE OF SEWER RATES AND NAMING AN
EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council directed the City Administration to
conduct a comprehensive study of sewer system rates; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted on June 13, 1983 a new
schedule of sewer system rates; and,

WHEREAS, the schedule of sewer system rates does not include a
provision for adjusting sewer billings based upon high water usage
during summer months by residential customers;

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HOMER ORDAINS:

HCC Section 14.04.040 Sewer Rate Schedule is hereby repealed
and reenacted to read:

The following schedule of rates shall be effective January 1,
1984. This schedule supercedes all previously adopted sewer rate
schedules. All sewer utility services shall be billed according to
the following schedule. This schedule is for monthly sewer service
and is in addition to any charges for connecting or disconnecting the
service, installation of the service or any assessments of the
improvements.

a) Sewer Rate Schedule

<u>Customer Class</u>	<u>Cost Per Thousand Gallons Water Consumed</u>
Restaurants and Bakeries	\$4.27
All Other Domestic Strength Dischargers	\$2.90
Other Non-Domestic Strength Dischargers	\$2.34+.00193 mg/l BOD

Charges for restaurants and bakeries are computed at a BOD
strength of 1000 mg/l; charges for domestic strength dischargers are
computed at a BOD strength of 290 mg/l. If characteristics of
restaurants or bakeries would lead to the conclusion that BOD
strengths average an amount different than 1000 mg/l, then, after
measurement and/or negotiation with the City, a different BOD strength
will be used to compute wastewater charges.

b) Sewer System Dischargers Who Are Not Water System Users

For sewer system dischargers who are not water system users the rate shall be negotiated, but not less than \$13.92 per month.

c) Seasonal Adjustment for Residential Customers

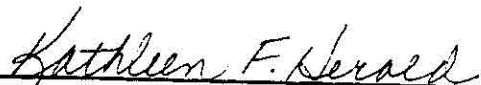
Residential customer's sewer system charges during the months of June, July and August of each year will be based upon each customer's average monthly water consumption during the preceeding months of September through May of each year.

CITY OF HOMER



Erle Cooper, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kathleen F. Herold, City Clerk

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Public Hearing 11-28-83

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Effective Date 1-01-84

Attorney's Approval: