

**BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF  
LAFAYETTE, OREGON**

**A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE )  
WATER RATES FOR THE ) RESOLUTION NO. 2015-08  
CITY OF LAFAYETTE, OREGON )**

THE CITY COUNCIL (the "Council") OF THE CITY OF LAFAYETTE, OREGON (the "City") sat for the transaction of City business on Thursday, June 11, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of Lafayette City hall.

**WHEREAS**, the Lafayette City Council has, pursuant to Lafayette Municipal Code (LMC) Section 4.155 and 4.007, the authority to set rates for users of its water and sewer utilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council has previously adopted Resolution 2004-01 and Resolution 2005-10 to establish utility rate policies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Budget Committee unanimously approved a recommended water rate increase of 5.8% in the Fiscal Year 2015-16 City Budget; and

**WHEREAS**, a rate increase is now required to sustain operations, maintain the water system, and fund infrastructure investments.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Lafayette, Oregon as follows:

**Section 1.** Effective for the billing cycle beginning on or about July 20, 2015, urban and rural water rates shall be increased by 5.8%, as set forth in the policies attached hereto as Exhibit 'A.'

**Section 2.** The Utility Billing Policies adopted by Resolution 2004-01 and Resolution 2005-10 are hereby amended to reflect the rate changes as stated in Resolution 2015-08. Except as amended by Resolution 2015-08, Resolution 2004-01 shall remain in full force and effect until further amended or repealed by the City Council.

This resolution shall be and is effective from and after its passage by the Council.

**ADOPTED** by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 2015

**VOTE:** Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Abstentions: 0 Absent: 1 Vacancies: 1

**CERTIFIED:**  
  
Chris Pagella, Mayor

**ATTEST:**  
  
Angela Speier, Assistant City Administrator