

**KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 04 11-24-378 -/

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125 REVISING AND ESTABLISHING WATER SERVICE STANDBY FIRE PROTECTION RATES AND CHARGES, AND REPEALING AND SUPERSEDING RESOLUTION NOS. 01 04 01-333 and 04 05 12-377.

WHEREAS, RCW 57.08.081 authorizes King County Water District No. 125 ("District") to fix rates and charges for providing water service, such rates and charges to be fixed as deemed necessary by the District Board of Commissioners so that uniform charges will be made for the same class of customer or service and facility; and

WHEREAS, RCW 57.08.081 authorizes the District Board of Commissioners in classifying customers to consider in its discretion several factors including the difference in cost to various customers; the location of the various customers within and without the District; the difference in cost of maintenance, operation, repair and replacement of the various parts of the system; the different character of the service provided to various customers; the quantity and quality of the service and facility furnished; the time of its use; the achievement of water conservation goals and the discouragement of wasteful practices; and any other matters which present a reasonable difference as a ground for distinction in the establishment of water service rates and charges; and

WHEREAS, the District Board of Commissioners previously established water service rates for all customer classifications by the adoption of Resolution No. 01 04 01-333 on April 26, 2001 and commodity consumption rates for all customer classifications of \$1.86 per 100 cubic feet (CCF) as a winter rate (November 1 - June 31) and \$2.26 per CCF as a summer rate (July 1 - October 31) by the adoption of Resolution No. 04 05 12-377; and

WHEREAS, the District contracted with Penhallegon and Associates Consulting Engineers ("Consultant") to review and update the District's water service rates and commodity charges; and

WHEREAS, the Consultant recommended that the District's service rates and charges now be updated and revised and that certain customer classifications have seasonal rates to achieve water conservation goals and to discourage wasteful practices as set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference; and the District Board of Commissioners having held a public hearing on the proposed updated and revised water service rates and commodity charges on November 24, 2004; and

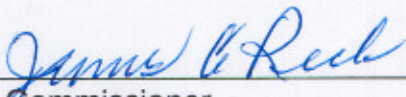
WHEREAS, the District Board of Commissioners having considered the recommendations of the Consultant and District staff; now, therefore,

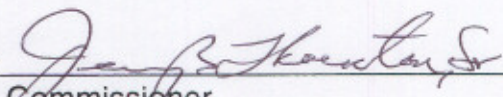
BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of King County Water District No. 125 as follows:

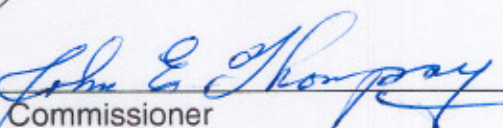
1. Definitions: (a) "Single family residence" shall mean a residence designed or used for residential occupancy as a single residential unit with a meter size of less than one inch, provided, however, that condominium residences and apartments shall be billed as multi family residential customers.
(b) "Multi family residential unit" shall mean single family residential apartments, condominium units, a trailer located on a residential lot, a trailer court stall and a mobile home lot.
(c) "Commercial and Industrial" shall be all uses and customers other than single family residential and multi family residential uses and customers as defined herein.
2. The updated and revised water service base rates and commodity charges set forth on Exhibit A are hereby approved and adopted and all District customer classes shall pay the base rates and commodity charges to the District for water service that is made available by the District and water that is consumed by the customer when billed by the District in accordance with the District's billing and collection resolutions, policies and procedures.
3. All District resolutions, policies and procedures, including Resolution Nos. 01 04 01-333 and 04 05 12-377, are hereby modified, repealed and superseded to be in accordance with this resolution effective January 1, 2005; provided the Winter water commodity charge shall increase to \$2.00 CCF and the Summer water commodity charge shall increase to \$\$2.45 effective January 1, 2006.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of King County Water District No. 111 at the regular open public meeting thereof held the 24th day of November, 2004.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125

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**EXHIBIT A
KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125
WATER SERVICE RATES AND CHARGES
CCF = 100 CUBIC FEET**

Customer Type	Base Rate
Single Family Residential	\$9.50/month
Multi Family Residential	
Meter Charges	
Plus per unit charges	\$6.50/unit/month
Commercial/Multi-Family	
5/8 x 3/4 - inch	\$9.50/month
1 - inch	\$13.00/month
1.5 - inch	\$19.50/month
2 - inch	\$32.50/month
3 - inch	\$60.00/month
4 - inch	\$115.00/month
6 - inch	\$215.00/month
8 - inch	\$310.00/month

Commodity Charges – 2005	
Winter Rate	\$1.95 CCF
Summer Rate	\$2.35 CCF

Commodity Charges – 2006	
Winter Rate	\$2.00 CCF
Summer Rate	\$2.45 CCF

The Winter Rate for commodity charges shall apply from November 1 to June 31.
The Summer Rate for commodity charges shall apply from July 1 to October 31.

Wholesale Rates to other Water Districts: A base rate based on meter size as set forth above plus a consumption charge equal to the City of Seattle wholesale water rate to the District for "new water" shall be charged other water districts receiving water from the District on a wholesale basis.

Water Drawn Directly from District Hydrants: A base rate of \$9.50 per month and commodity consumption charges as set forth above plus a \$10.00 charge per invoice shall be charged for water drawn directly from District Hydrants.

STANDBY FIRE PROTECTION	
Meter Size	Monthly Base Rate
3 inch	\$4.00
4 inch	\$6.75
6 inch	\$13.75
8 inch	\$22.00
10 inch	\$34.25
12 inch	\$48.00

Commodity Charges: In addition to the monthly base rate for standby fire protection services which shall be paid by District customers with separate water meters for fire protection, commodity charges for water used for fire protection purposes shall be paid when billed by the District at the applicable seasonal commodity charge per CCF set forth in this Exhibit A.