

RESOLUTION 2020-51
RESOLUTION REGARDING THE MUNICIPAL UTILITY RATES
FOR THE CITY OF STURGIS

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis has adopted through Ordinance 11.04.04 and 11.05.31, which authorize the City of Sturgis to annually review the municipal garbage, sewer and water utility rates; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis continues to face ongoing inflationary price increases for electricity, natural gas, fuel, and tipping rates, as well as increase in health insurance and other operating costs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis has made a concerted effort to reduce ongoing operational costs in both its municipal utility funds as well as in all other areas of the City budget; and

WHEREAS, despite these reductions in costs, ongoing fixed costs continue to rise at a rate that exceeds most inflationary indexes.

WHEREAS, the following chart will show the 2021 fees for Sanitation collections:

SANITATION – Residential – 3% increase over 2020

	1 UNIT	2 UNITS	3 UNITS	4 UNITS	5 UNITS	6 UNITS	7 UNITS	8 UNITS
	90 GAL	2 – 90 GAL	3 – 90 GAL	1 – 300 GAL	2 – 300 GAL	3 – 300 GAL	4 – 300 GAL	5 – 300 GAL
TIMES PER WEEK								
1	13.89	27.78	41.67	41.67	83.34	125.01	166.68	208.35
2	27.78	55.56	83.34	83.34	166.68	250.02	333.36	416.70
3	41.67	83.34	125.01	125.01	250.02	375.03	500.04	625.05
4	55.56	111.12	166.68	166.68	333.36	500.04	666.72	833.40
5	69.45	138.90	208.35	208.35	416.70	625.05	833.40	1041.75
6	83.34	166.68	250.02	250.02	500.04	750.06	1000.08	1041.75
7	97.23	194.46	291.69	291.69	583.38	875.07	1041.75	1041.75

SANITATION – Commercial – 3% increase 2020

	1 UNIT	2 UNITS	3 UNITS	4 UNITS	5 UNITS	6 UNITS	7 UNITS	8 UNITS
	90 GAL	2 – 90 GAL	3 – 90 GAL	1 – 300 GAL	2 – 300 GAL	3 – 300 GAL	4 – 300 GAL	5 – 300 GAL
TIMES PER WEEK								
1	16.36	32.72	49.08	49.08	98.16	147.24	196.32	245.40
2	32.72	65.44	98.16	98.16	196.32	294.48	392.64	490.80
3	49.08	98.16	147.24	147.24	294.48	441.72	588.96	736.20
4	65.44	130.88	196.32	196.32	392.64	588.96	785.28	981.60
5	81.80	163.60	245.40	245.40	490.80	736.20	981.60	1227.00
6	98.16	196.32	294.48	294.48	588.96	883.44	1177.92	1227.00
7	114.52	229.04	343.56	343.56	687.12	1030.68	1227.00	1227.00

WHEREAS, the following chart shows the 2021 fees for Water and Sewer:

WATER USAGE: Base Rate – no change

Gallons of Water (no change): Residential - \$2.52/1,000 gal; Commercial - \$2.83/1,000 gal.

RESIDENTIAL SEWER - 3% increase over 2020 - \$28.85

**COMMERCIAL SEWER (chart below) - 3% increase over 2020 –
\$34.20 allows 9,000 gal, .62/1000 gal over 9,000 gal.**

WASTEWATER FACILITY SURCHARGE - \$17.63 (no change)

MURRAY ADDITION WASTEWATER SURCHARGE - \$25.00 (no change)

Line Size	# of Units	Wtr Base 2020	Wtr Base 2021 (no change)	Wtr Surcharge (no change)	Sewer 2020	Sewer 2021 3% increase
5/8" – 1"	1	12.27	12.27	9.18	33.20	34.20
1 ¼"	2	24.54	24.54	18.36	66.40	68.40
1 ½"	3	36.81	36.81	27.54	99.60	102.60
2"	4	49.08	49.08	36.72	132.80	136.80
3"	6	73.62	73.62	55.08	199.20	205.20
4"	8	98.16	98.16	73.44	265.60	273.60

WHEREAS, the following chart shows the 2021 Availability Fees for Sewer and Water:

Availability Fees – (no change)

# of UNITS	1	2	3	4	6	8
Meter Size	<=1”	1 ¼”	1 ½”	2”	3”	4”
Water Avail	\$17	\$34	\$51	\$68	\$102	\$136
Sewer Avail	\$18	\$36	\$54	\$72	\$108	\$144

NOW, THEREFORE, the Common Council of the City of Sturgis does hereby adopt the foregoing charges starting January 1, 2021.

Adopted this 8th day of September 2020.

STURGIS COMMON COUNCIL

Mark Carstensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Fay Bueno, City Finance Officer

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