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**Title:** APPENDIX A - SCHEDULE OF FEES, RATES & CHARGES FOR UTILITIES (B)

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Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
9/19/2013	1	City Commission	Adopted on Final Reading (Ordinance)	Pass
9/9/2013	1	City Commission	Adopted on First Reading (Ordinance)	Pass

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The City Commission adopt the proposed ordinance.

In the Proposed Budget for the Combined Utilities System, the General Manager made a recommendation to revise electric, water, wastewater and natural gas fees, rates and charges as required to meet system revenue requirements for Fiscal Year 2014. GRU is also adding a new definition of "General service, small commercial," which relates to the new general service rates for small commercial natural gas customers. This ordinance is necessary to implement the rate changes effective October 1, 2013.

The first reading of this ordinance is scheduled for September 9, 2013, and the second and final reading is scheduled for September 19, 2013. The rate changes will be applied to bills rendered after 12:01 AM, October 1, 2013.