

City of Gainesville

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Legislation Text

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WATER BASE RATES AND CONNECTION CHARGES (B)

Ordinance No. 0-03-79

An Ordinance amending Appendix A, Section UTILITIES (3) Water, By Increasing Water Base Rates and Adjusting Water Connection Charges; Providing for a Repealing Clause; Providing for a Severability Clause; and, Providing an Effective Date in Accordance with the Schedule Provided Herein.

The City Commission adopt the proposed ordinance.

The City Commission at its meeting of July 24, 2003, authorized the City Attorney's Office to draft an ordinance amending water base rates and adjusting water connection charges. In the Proposed Budget for the Combined Utilities System, the General Manager made a recommendation to increase water base rates 2.5% and increase water connection charges. The change in connection charges varies by meter size with an overall increase in water connection charge revenue of 3.4%. Both changes will be effective October 1, 2003. Even with these changes, GRU's monthly rates and connection charges remain among the lowest in the state.