

ORDINANCE NO. 3024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE RATES CHARGED FOR WATER SERVICE TO IMPLEMENT THE ADOPTED 2012 LYNNWOOD WATER SYSTEM PLAN AND TO PROVIDE NECESSARY REVENUES TO FUND CAPITAL PROJECTS AND ONGOING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE WATER SYSTEM AND TO PRESERVE THE SOLVENCY OF THE UTILITY; AMENDING WATER SERVICE REGULATIONS; AMENDING SECTIONS 13.04.100, 13.04.105, 13.20.010, 13.20.030, 13.20.040, 13.20.060, 13.20.080, 13.34.010, 13.34.020; REPEALING SECTIONS 13.20.005, 13.20.050, 13.24.005, 13.24.010, 13.24.020, 13.24.030, 13.24.040; AND ADDING NEW SECTIONS 13.20.085, 13.34.030, 13.34.040, 13.34.050, 13.34.060, 13.34.070, 13.34.080, 13.34.090 OF THE LYNNWOOD MUNICIPAL CODE; **PROVIDING FOR** SEVERABILITY; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING FOR SUMMARY PUBLICATION.

WHEREAS, the City of Lynnwood Water System Plan dated October 2012 defines the Operations and Maintenance and Capital needs of the water utility; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to base water rates on the actual cost of providing all maintenance and operations services and capital construction costs; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to move towards equity between the amount of water used and the amount paid by its customers; and

WHEREAS, the water rates structure was last adjusted in 2010 and before that in 2007;

WHEREAS, the City has determined that it is necessary to revise the City's water service procedures and regulations;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Section 13.04.100 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.04.100 Residential single-unit.

"Residential single-unit" means all dwelling units occupied by one family or by not more than five unrelated persons, including, but not limited to, detached single-family residences, and zero lot line buildings wherein the building is on a separate fee simple lot, used for residential purposes, and is served by a separate water meter.

<u>Section 2.</u> Section 13.04.105 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.04.105 Residential multiple-unit.

"Residential multiple-unit" means a residential building designed for two or more families, or for more than five unrelated persons, including, but not limited to, duplexes, triplexes, fourplexes, apartment buildings, dormitories, boarding houses and rooming houses, mobile homes in a mobile home park, and zero lot line buildings wherein the City permitted multiple units within a building to be served by a common water meter.

<u>Section 3.</u> Section 13.20.005 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby repealed in its entirety:

<u>Section 4.</u> Section 13.20.010 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.20.010 Charges for domestic water.

The charges for domestic water service shall be based upon the size of meter installed, number of connections or units being serviced therefrom, and the water delivered through the service meter; the bi-monthly rate for each meter size and the maximum water allowed as part of this minimum charge shall be in effect and assessed beginning January 1st of each year.

Table 1: Water Rates

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Water Customer Classification	2014 Bi- Monthly Rate	2015 Bi- Monthly Rate	2016 Bi- Monthly Rate	2017 Bi- Monthly Rate	2018 Bi- Monthly Rate	2019 Bi- Monthly Rate
Residential Single-Unit						
Bi-Monthly Base Rate (incl.10 CCF)	\$35.72	\$38.75	\$41.66	\$44.37	\$47.25	\$49.61
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF to 40 CCF	\$2.05	\$2.22	\$2.39	\$2.54	\$2.71	\$2.84
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 40 CCF	\$3.09	\$3.35	\$3.60	\$3.83	\$4.08	\$4.29
Special Water Rate	See LMC <u>13.20.080</u> , Special water rate					
Residential Multiple/Mobile Combine	d					
Bi-Monthly Base Rate Per Unit (includes 10 CCF/meter)*	\$13.71	\$14.88	\$15.99	\$17.03	\$18.14	\$19.05
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF per meter	\$1.50	\$1.63	\$1.75	\$1.87	\$1.99	\$2.09
Special Water Rate	See LMC <u>13.20.080</u> , Special water rate					
Commercial/Industrial (Based on Mete	er Size)					
5/8 – 3/4-Inch Meter	\$41.50	\$45.02	\$48.40	\$51.55	\$54.90	\$57.64
1-Inch Meter	\$89.85	\$97.49	\$104.80	\$111.61	\$118.86	\$124.81
1-1/2-Inch Meter	\$169.35	\$183.74	\$197.52	\$210.36	\$224.03	\$235.24
2-Inch Meter	\$262.62	\$284.95	\$306.32	\$326.23	\$347.43	\$364.81
3-Inch Meter	\$490.72	\$532.43	\$572.36	\$609.57	\$649.19	\$681.65
4-Inch Meter	\$805.17	\$873.61	\$939.13	\$1000.17	\$1065.18	\$1118.44
6-Inch Meter	\$1599.99	\$1735.99	\$1866.19	\$1987.49	\$2116.67	\$2222.51
Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF per meter	\$2.52	\$2.74	\$2.94	\$3.13	\$3.34	\$3.50

st Base charge per unit plus volume over 10 CCF per meter.

<u>Section 5.</u> Section 13.20.030 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.20.030 Minimum charges.

The minimum monthly water charge payable by each user (customer account) shall be as set forth in LMC <u>13.20.010</u>.or as specifically stated in this chapter.

<u>Section 6.</u> Section 13.20.040 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.20.040 Hydrant rates.

A permit for water use approval is required to take water from the city-owned water system. There shall be levied a charge as shown in Chapter 3.104 LMC against each person, firm or corporation who shall take water from any water line, reservoir, fire hydrant, standpipe, blow-off pipe or any facility of the city of Lynnwood without the city's consent and without first having obtained a permit to take such water. Fees and deposits must be paid prior to the taking of such water. The water use approval shall be submitted to the department of public works for processing as required by LMC 2.44.040.

<u>Section 7.</u> A new section 13.34.030 which replaces and amends section 13.20.050 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.030 Penalties and delinquent charges.

In addition to all other charges provided in this title or title 14, each account shall be charged 10 percent of the unpaid balance for all city utility charges not paid within 35 days after the date of billing. This amount shall be paid whether or not the water is actually turned off. There shall be a \$25.00 penalty charge for each check which is returned marked "insufficient funds."

<u>Section 8.</u> Section 13.20.060 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.20.060 Fire hydrants - Public buildings - Parks.

The city of Lynnwood shall pay to the water utility from the current expense fund for all water used in public buildings and parks, an amount figured at regular rates for each service installed. All unmetered water from fire hydrants for construction uses shall be at the regular flat rates established.

<u>Section 9.</u> Section 13.20.080 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.20.080 Special Utility rates.

A. Qualifications for Special Rates Based on Snohomish County Real Property Tax Exemption. A residential single-unit, multiple-unit, and mobile special fixed rate of the following percent of the bimonthly base rate and volume charges shall apply to all services to which water, sewer, and surface water services are available, and meeting all of the following qualifications and categories:

1. Depending on the income level status of the customer pursuant to the Snohomish County assessor's office real property taxes exemption process, as follows:

Income Level Status	Rate		
Α	40%		
В	45%		
С	50%		

See subsection (F) of this section, Special Water Rate Chart, for specific rate.

- 2. The residential single-unit property or residential multiple-unit or mobile unit to which the utility service is extended shall have a valid property tax exemption from Snohomish County, pursuant to RCW 84.36.381 through 84.36.385.
- 3. Claimants for said reduction shall occupy site or unit as principle residence and be within the corporate limits of the city of Lynnwood and have a household income level no greater than and as prescribed in RCW 84.36.381.
- 4. Those customers who meet eligibility criteria as stated herein may apply at any time during the year. Upon verification of eligibility, the customer will qualify for the reduced rate as of the date of the next applicable billing cycle following verification. Reapplication for subsequent years demonstrating that qualifications are still met must be made each year by December 31st for the subsequent year.

5. Categories.

- a. Senior/Disabled. Persons of the age of 61 years or older, or who are disabled, meeting the qualifications specified in subsection (A) of this section and RCW 84.36.381, shall be charged at a special water rate for Income Level Status A, Income Level Status B, or Income Level Status C. See Rate Tables in subsection (F) of this section for Water, 14.40.040 for Sewer, and 13.35.070 for Surface Water.
- b. Residential Multiple-Unit and Mobile Special Rates. For residents that meet the qualifications in subsection (A) of this section, but that do not have a direct account with the city (i.e., tenants of a condominium or owners of a mobile home in a mobile home park), a yearly rebate shall be paid to the resident based on 40, 45 or 50 percent of the base rate for that type of account assuming water usage within the minimum 10 CCF allowance, and depending on the income level status of the customer pursuant to the Snohomish County assessor's office real property taxes exemption process. In order to qualify for the rebate, the resident must make application to the city by November 1st of each year and demonstrate, in addition to meeting the qualifications in this section, that they have resided at the site or unit for the entire year. Rebate does not apply to Utility Taxes.

- B. Qualification for Special Rate Based on Washington State Assistance Programs. A residential single-unit special fixed rate for Income Level Status A (40%) of the residential single-unit bi-monthly base rate and volume charges shall apply to all services to which water, sewer, and surface water services are available, and meeting all of the following qualifications:
 - 1. The resident of the residential single-unit property to which the utility services are extended shall have an award letter from the State of Washington for needy family assistance or food stamps that covers at least a portion of the year in which the reduced rate is applied.
 - 2. Claimants for said reduction shall occupy site as principle residence as a renter, be within the corporate limits of the city of Lynnwood, and provide proof that they reside at the address as a renter and are responsible for their City of Lynnwood utility bills.
 - 3. Those customers who meet eligibility criteria as stated herein may apply at any time during the year. Upon verification of eligibility, the customer will qualify for the reduced rate as of the date of the next applicable billing cycle following verification. Reapplication for subsequent years demonstrating that qualifications are still met must be made each year by December 31st for the subsequent year.

4. Rates:

- a. Water: Income Level Status A (40%) pursuant to Section F, Table 2, Special Water Rates, below.
- b. Sewer: Income Level Status A (40%) pursuant to 14.40.040 Table 2.
- c. Surface Water: Income Level Status A (40%) pursuant to 13.35.070 Table 2.
- C. Medical Necessity. Persons who require large quantities of water due to medical necessity (i.e., kidney dialysis) and who occupy the site as principal residence and are located within the corporate limits of the city of Lynnwood shall be charged the special water and sewer rates for Income Level Status C (50 percent) with doctor certification (see subsection F of this section, Table 2 for water, and 14.40.040 Table 2 for sewer..
- D. Other Special Rate and Qualifications Preservation Mobile Home Park. For mobile home parks that are preserved pursuant to a development agreement in accordance with Chapter <u>1.37</u> LMC, the following residential-mobile per unit base rate and volume charges shall apply:
 - 1. Preservation for five to seven years: 50 percent of the base rate and volume charge in LMC $\underline{13.20.010}$ for water and 14.40.035 for sewer.
 - 2. Preservation for seven years or more: 25 percent of the base rate and volume charge in LMC $\underline{13.20.010}$.
- E. The mayor is authorized to administer the special utility rates and develop procedures as necessary for such implementation.
- F. Special Water Rate Chart. Following rate chart based on income levels (see subsection (A) of this section).

Residential Single-Unit Rates:

Table 2: Special Water Rates

Water Customer Classification	2014 Bi- Monthly Rate	2015 Bi- Monthly Rate	2016 Bi- Monthly Rate	2017 Bi- Monthly Rate	2018 Bi- Monthly Rate	2019 Bi- Monthly Rate	
Special Water Rates, Income Level Status A (40%)							
Bi-Monthly Base Rate (incl. 10 CCF)	\$14.29	\$15.50	\$16.66	\$17.75	\$18.90	\$19.85	
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF to 40 CCF	\$0.82	\$0.89	\$0.95	\$1.02	\$1.08	\$1.14	
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 40 CCF	\$1.23	\$1.34	\$1.44	\$1.53	\$1.63	\$1.72	
Special Water Rates, Income Level Status B (45%)							
Bi-Monthly Base Rate (incl. 10 CCF)	\$16.07	\$17.44	\$18.75	\$19.96	\$21.26	\$22.33	
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF to 40 CCF	\$0.92	\$1.00	\$1.07	\$1.14	\$1.22	\$1.28	
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 40 CCF	\$1.39	\$1.51	\$1.62	\$1.73	\$1.84	\$1.93	
Special Water Rates, Income Level Status C (50%)							
Bi-Monthly Base Rate (incl. 10 CCF)	\$17.86	\$19.38	\$20.83	\$22.18	\$23.63	\$24.81	
Bi-Monthly Volume Charge > 10 CCF to 40 CCF	\$1.02	\$1.11	\$1.19	\$1.27	\$1.35	\$1.42	
Monthly Volume Charge > 40 CCF	\$1.54	\$1.67	\$1.80	\$1.92	\$2.04	\$2.14	

<u>Section 10.</u> A new section 13.20.085 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.20.085 Good Neighbor Fund Authorized.

Recognizing that its citizens, from time to time, may need help in paying their City of Lynnwood utility bills, a Good Neighbor Fund is authorized in order that neighbors may voluntarily add dollars to their City utility bills in order to assist those less fortunate.

The Mayor is authorized to create and oversee a Good Neighbor Fund to be administered by a third-party local not-for-profit organization that has the knowledge, skills, and ability to effectively administer the fund and meeting all criteria set by the City of Lynnwood. The fund shall operate at an overhead acceptable to the City and must only apply funds from the Good Neighbor Fund to City of Lynnwood Utility customers towards their outstanding City of Lynnwood utility bills.

The City shall maintain and make available at all times information related to the Good Neighbor Fund including contact information for the administering organization, fund related information, and application forms.

<u>Section 11.</u> A new section 13.34.040 which replaces and amends_section 13.24.005 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.040 Responsibility of property owner.

All accounts for city utilities shall be kept in the name of the owner of the property and not in the name of the tenant unless stated otherwise; and the owner only or his legally authorized agent shall be held responsible for water charges.

<u>Section 12.</u> A new section 13.34.050 which replaces and amends_section 13.24.010 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.050 Billing.*

All charges for city utility service shall be due and payable at City of Lynnwood offices on or before the fourteenth day after the bill has been issued therefor, and shall become delinquent after the fourteenth day. City utility bills shall cover periods of two months and shall be issued upon a single statement. All payments and collections shall be paid into the Combined Utility fund. Delinquent accounts shall be charged as provided in LMC <u>13.34.030</u>.

The order of application of payments received towards outstanding utility bills shall be applied in the following order: Penalties, interest, surface water charges, sewer charges, water charges.

<u>Section 13.</u> A new section 13.34.060 which replaces and amends_section 13.24.020 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.060 Lien.

All charges for city utility services, and all service charges, provided in this title and title 14, or as they may be hereafter amended, together with penalties and interest thereon, shall be a lien upon the property to which city utility services are provided, superior to all other liens and encumbrances whatsoever, except for general taxes and local special assessments. Enforcement of such lien or liens shall be in the manner provided by law.

<u>Section 14.</u> A new section 13.34.070 which replaces and amends_section 13.24.030 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.070 Discontinuance of service by utility.

A. The city may refuse to supply, or may discontinue service to, any customer for violation of this title or title 14. As an additional concurrent method of enforcing the lien of the city for domestic water sewer, or surface water charges, at the end of 20 days after any amount of outstanding account balance remains delinquent following two full billing cycles (approx. 4 months) in, the director of public works is authorized and directed to notify by first class mail sent to the customer at the service address that the account is delinquent and that the water will be shut off 13 days after date of such delinquency notice, and is directed to shut off water at that time and until such time as all charges have been paid, which consist of service charges, penalties as set forth in LMC 13.34.030, and city staff time charges for site visits (turn-on and turn-off) as noted in Table A in subsection (E) of this section.

Billing shall continue for all City utility services during the period that water service is discontinued, except as stated in 13.34.080.

The utility may refuse or discontinue service to any customer who requires or uses such volume of water that water service to any other customer may be thereby impaired.

The utility shall discontinue service to any customer who makes an unauthorized connection to a city water or sewer line, bypasses a city water meter, or in any other way steals city water or sewer services.

- B. The City may allow flexibility in payment of outstanding owed amounts as follows: If the customer, prior to the City shutting off water as specified above, agrees in writing and makes payment of fifty percent (50%) of outstanding owed account balances due to water, sewer, and storm accounts, and agrees to pay the entire remaining amount within fourteen (14) days of the initial payment, then the City will suspend shutting off the customer's water. If payment is not received by the fourteenth (14th) day, then the customer's water shall be shut off without further notice.
- C. Discontinuance of service for any cause stated in this section shall not release the customer from his obligation to the city for payment of bills or charges.
- D. Whenever service has been discontinued as provided above, and before service is restored, in addition to charges as provided in subsection (A) of this section, the utility may require the customer to make a deposit of \$50.00. The deposit may be held for up to two years depending on account history and used at any time to offset outstanding balances due, should they reoccur. Upon transfer of the account to a new owner, any unused deposit will be returned to the depositor.

Restoration of service at the customer's request and after payment of all bills due shall be done at the convenience of the utility.

E. TABLE A

Time When Trip to Account Location	Charge for Each		
Occurs	Occurrence		
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday			
except holidays	\$35.00		
All other times including holidays	\$85.00		

<u>Section 15.</u> A new section 13.34.080 which replaces and amends_section 13.24.040 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:

13.34.080 Inactivation of service request by customer.

A customer who wishes to inactivate water service shall give at least five business days' prior written notice to the utility. No charge will be made for shutting off or turning back on the water supply; however, minimum base billing will continue for sewer, water, and surface water during the period of inactivity, however, if complete billing cycles have no metered water consumption, then the City will back out the water charges for those cycles.

<u>Section 16.</u> Section 13.34.010 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.34.010 Combination of water system and sewerage system.

Pursuant to RCW 35.67.331, the water system of the city, the sewerage system of the city, and the surface water system of the city are combined into a waterworks utility of the city, and such combined systems shall be maintained and operated jointly.

<u>Section 17.</u> Section 13.34.020 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.34.020 Operation.

To the extent authorized by law, the operation by the city of such combined waterworks utility shall be governed by the statutes relating to the establishment and maintenance of a city water system.

<u>Section 18. A New Section 13.34.090 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code is hereby added as follows:</u>

13.34.090 Billing Adjustments.

The Public Works Director together with the Finance Director shall establish regulations and procedures for making adjustments to the quantity of water and sewer from which billings are calculated in situations where a customer reports a leak in their private system. These regulations and procedures shall establish the criteria to be used in consideration of an adjustment, the method to calculate the adjustment, and the frequency that adjustments will be considered.

<u>Section 19.</u> Sections 13.20.050, 13.24.005, 13.24.010, 13.24.020, 13.24.030, and 13.24.040 are hereby repealed.

<u>Section 20.</u> Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality therefore, shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance.

<u>Section 21.</u> Effective Date. This ordinance or a summary thereof consisting of the title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after publication.

PASSED this 14th day of October, 2013 and signed in authentication of its passage this 22m day of October, 2013.

APPROVED!

Don Gough, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Lorenzo Hines Sr., Finance Director

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Rosemary Larson, City Attorney

FILED WITH ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES:

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:

PUBLISHED:

EFFECTIVE DATE:

10/14/2013

10/14/2013 10/18/2013

10/23/2013

ORDINANCE NUMBER:



On the 14th day of October, 2013 the City Council of the City of Lynnwood, Washington, passed Ordinance No. 3024. A summary of the content of said ordinance, consisting of the title, provides as follows:

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE RATES CHARGED FOR WATER SERVICE TO IMPLEMENT THE ADOPTED 2012 LYNNWOOD WATER SYSTEM PLAN AND TO PROVIDE NECESSARY REVENUES TO FUND CAPITAL PROJECTS AND ONGOING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE WATER SYSTEM AND TO PRESERVE THE SOLVENCY OF THE UTILITY: AMENDING WATER SERVICE REGULATIONS; AMENDING SECTIONS 13.04.100, 13.04.105, 13.20.010, 13.20.030, 13.20.040, 13.20.060, 13.20.080, 13.34.010, 13.34.020; REPEALING SECTIONS 13.20.005, 13.20.050, 13.24.005. 13.24.010, 13.24.020, 13.24.030, 13.24.040; AND ADDING NEW SECTIONS 13.20.085, 13.34.030, 13.34.040, 13.34.050, 13.34.060, 13.34.070, 13.34.080, 13.34.090 OF THE LYNNWOOD MUNICIPAL CODE; **PROVIDING FOR** SEVERABILITY; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING FOR SUMMARY PUBLICATION.

The full text of this ordinance will be mailed upon request.

DATED this 18th day of October

Lorenzo Hines Jr., Finance Director



CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Lorenzo Hines Jr., the duly appointed City Clerk of the City of Lynnwood, Washington, hereby certify that the Ordinance hereto attached is a full, true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 3024 of the City of Lynnwood, Washington, entitled as follows:

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That said ordinance was passed by the Council on October 14, 2013 of said City and was published and posted according to law; that said ordinance was duly published in the official newspaper of said City on October 18, 2013.

Lorenzo Hines, Jr , City Clerk of the

City of Lynnwood, Washington

Everett Daily Herald

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF WASHINGTON } COUNTY OF SNOHOMISH

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The undersigned, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that she is Principal Clerk of THE HERALD, a daily newspaper printed and published in the City of Everett, County of Snohomish, and State of Washington; that said newspaper is a newspaper of general circulation in said County and State; that said newspaper has been approved as a legal newspaper by order of the Superior Court of Snohomish County and that the notice is a true copy of -Ordinances 3024, 3025 and 3026 521216 a printed copy of which is hereunto attached, was published in said newspaper proper and not in supplement form, in the regular and entire edition of said paper on the following days and times, namely: 2 issue(s), such publication commencing on

10/18/2013 and ending on 10/18/2013 and that said newspaper was regularly distributed to its subscribers during all of said period. The amount of the fee for such publication is \$ 78.66.

Subscribed and sworn before me on this

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing at Everett, Snohomish

City of Lynnwood EDH127890 - PO: ORD 3024, 3025, 3026

ORDERED BY: DEBBIE KARBER

On the 14th day of October,2013 the City Council of the City of Lynnwood, Washington, passed Ordinances 3024, 3025 and 3026 A summary of the content of said ordinance, consisting of the title, provides as follows:

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PUBLICATION.

ORDINANCE NO. 3026

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE RATES CHARGED FOR STORM SEWER SERVICE TO IMPLEMENT THE 2009 LYNNWOOD SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN. TO PROVIDE NECESSARY REVENUES TO FUND CAPITAL PROJECTS AND ONGOING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE SURFACE WATER SYSTEM AND TO PRESERVE THE SURFACE WATER SYSTEM AND TO PRESERVE THE SULFENCY OF THE UTILITY; AMENDING STORM SEWER SERVICE REGULATIONS; AND AMENDING SECTIONS 13.35.075; 13.35.070; 13.35.080; AND REPEALING SECTION 13.35.090 OF THE LYNNWOOD MUNICIPAL CODE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING FOR SUMMARY PUBLICATION.

The full text of this ordinance will be mailed upon request. DATED this 18th day of October, 2013 Published: October 18, 2013.