

LAKEWOOD WATER DISTRICT
RESOLUTION No. B-1429

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Commissioners of the Lakewood Water District, Pierce County, Washington, adopting service fees and other charges and definitions for service fee and charge type.

WHEREAS, RCW 57.08.081 authorizes the Lakewood Water District Board of Commissioners ("District") to fix service fees and other charges for providing water service and facilities to those to whom water service is available, and for providing such service; and to fix service fees and other charges for providing water service, 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 furnished 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 a distinction in the establishment of service fees and charges; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 57.08.005, the District possesses full authority to regulate and control the use, content, distribution, and price of its water supply and water system and the use and operation of its water system and the rates to be charged relating thereto; and

WHEREAS, the General Manager directed District staff to compile a list of current District services/fees, a description of each fee/charge, a description of the labor/administrative process for each service, the current fee/charge amount for each service, the District's estimated cost to perform said service, and the local average cost of others to provide these services.

WHEREAS, the General Manager, Finance Director, and Accounting Staff proposed the service fees and charges set forth in this resolution in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part of this resolution are fair and equitable; and

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Lakewood Water District, Pierce County, Washington as follows:

1. The service fees and charges set forth in Exhibit "A" attached hereto are hereby adopted effective April 1, 2016.

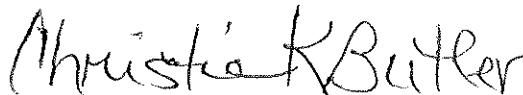
2. Charges, fees, and all other pieces of information contained in Exhibit "A" will be the responsibility of the General Manager to maintain and keep current, with any change(s) going before the Board to be approved/passed by motion prior to implementation of change.
3. This information shall be reviewed by the staff on a regular basis, with all recommendations being forwarded to the Finance Director who will be in charge of all calculations to confirm accurate numbers before going to the General Manager and, ultimately, to the Board for approval by motion.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners at a regular meeting of the Lakewood Water District this 18th day of February, 2016.

This resolution will go into effect May 1, 2016.

ATTEST:

LAKWOOD WATER DISTRICT


District Secretary


Commissioner and President


Commissioner and Vice President


Commissioner and Secretary