NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT ADJUSTING THE WATER AND SEWER RATES IN THE CITY OF HARRISONBURG

The Harrisonburg City Council will hold a public hearing on June 11, 2019 at 7:00 p.m., or as soon as the agenda permits, in the City Council Chambers located at 409 South Main Street, Harrisonburg, Virginia, to solicit public comments concerning the following:

Amending and re-enacting the Harrisonburg City Code Section 7-4-1(1)(a) and 7-4-1(1)(b) to increase city water rates charged by the city as follows:

Gallons used	7-4-1(1)(a) City water per 1000 gallons	7-4-1(1)(b) Rural Water per 1000 gallons
0-250,000	\$0.29 (to \$3.59)	\$0.29 (to \$5.66)
250,000 plus	\$0.29 (to \$3.29)	\$0.29 (to \$4.72)

Amending and re-enacting the Harrisonburg City Code Section 7-4-1(1)(d) to adjust the minimum water charges by meter as follows:

Meter Size (inches)	City Minimum (per month)	Rural Minimum (per month)
5/8" / 3/4"	\$0.87 (to \$10.77)	\$.87 (to \$16.98)
1	\$2.18 (to \$26.93)	\$2.18 (to \$42.46)
11/2	\$4.35 (to \$53.85)	\$4.35 (to \$84.90)
2	\$6.96 (to \$86.16)	\$6.96 (to \$135.84)
3	\$13.92 (to \$172.32)	\$13.92 (to \$271.68)
4	\$21.75 (to \$269.25)	\$21.75 (to \$424.50)
6	\$43.50 (to \$538.50)	\$43.50 (to \$849.00)
8	\$69.60 (to \$861.60)	\$69.60 (to \$1,358.40)
10	\$182.70 (to \$2,147.70)	\$182.70 (to \$3,208.60)

Amending and re-enacting the Harrisonburg City Code Section 7-4-1(2)(a) city sewer plus authority rate charges will be adjusted to a two tiers structure as follows:

Gallons used	7-4-1(2)(a)	7-4-1(2)(b)
	Sewer + Authority per 1000	Rural Sewer plus Authority
	gallons	per 1000 gallons
0-2,500	\$0.57 (to \$5.77)	\$1.07 (to \$8.58)
2,500-25,000	-\$0.35 (to \$5.77)	-\$0.63 (to \$8.58)
25,000-250,000	-\$0.14 (to \$5.77)	-\$0.35 (to \$8.58)
250,000 plus	\$0.09 (to \$5.57)	\$0.09 (to \$8.16)

Amending and re-enacting the Harrisonburg City Code Section 7-4-1(2)(d) to adjust the minimum sewer plus authority charges by meter as follows:

Meter Size (inches)	City Minimum (per month)	Rural Minimum (per month)
5/8" / 3/4"	\$1.25 (to \$17.31)	\$2.36 (to \$25.74)
1	-\$0.32 (to \$43.28)	-\$0.48 (to \$64.35)
1½	-\$2.95 (to \$86.55)	-\$5.20 (to \$128.70)
2	-\$6.10 (to \$138.48)	-\$10.87 (to \$205.92)
3	-\$9.67 (to \$276.96)	-\$19.55 (to \$411.84)
4	-\$13.45 (to \$432.75)	-\$29.00 (to \$643.50)
6	-\$23.95 (to \$865.50)	-\$55.25 (to \$1,287.00)
8	-\$36.55 (to \$1,384.80)	-\$86.75 (to \$2,059.20)
10	-\$167.15 (to \$3,559.10)	-\$382.85 (to \$5,245.80)

Copies of the proposed ordinance amendment are available on the city's website and are available in the City Manager's Office, 409 South Main Street, Harrisonburg, Virginia, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p. m.

All persons interested will have an opportunity to express their views at this public hearing.

Legal authority for the enactment of the above described increases is found in Section 15.2-2119 of the Code of Virginia.

Any person requiring auxiliary aids, including signers, in connection with this public hearing shall notify the City Manager at least five (5) days prior to the time of the hearing.

CITY OF HARRISONBURG Eric D. Campbell, City Manager

To be advertised two (2) times:

Monday, June 3, 2019 Monday, June 10, 2019