

## ORDINANCE O-4738

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO MONTHLY SURFACE WATER UTILITY SERVICE RATES FOR 2021 AND 2022 AND AMENDING SECTION 15.56.020 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE.

1 The City Council of the City of Kirkland do ordain as follows:

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3 Section 1. Section 15.56.020 of the Kirkland Municipal  
4 Code, as last amended by Ordinance 4660, is hereby amended to  
5 read as follows:

6 **15.56.020 Monthly surface water utility service rates.**

7  
8 Effective 2021

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10 The monthly surface water utility rates are based on the  
11 impervious surface area.

12 (1) Single-Family Residential Parcels. The average impervious  
13 area for a single-family residence is two thousand six hundred  
14 square feet. This is based on the measurement of over three  
15 hundred parcels. This value is referred to as an equivalent service  
16 unit (ESU). The single-family service charge shall be equivalent to  
17 one ESU and shall be a flat rate of eighteen dollars and forty-four  
18 cents.

19 (2) All other Customers, Including Commercial and Multifamily  
20 Residential. The service charge for all classes other than single-  
21 family residences will be based on the number of ESUs. The actual  
22 measured impervious area of each individual site will be divided  
23 by two thousand six hundred square feet to determine the number  
24 of ESUs of the individual site. The computed rate shall not be less  
25 than that for one ESU. The surface water utility service rate for  
26 these customers shall be eighteen dollars and forty-four cents per  
27 each ESU.

28 (3) Late Fees. All fees and charges arising under this chapter  
29 which are past due or delinquent shall be charged a late fee of  
30 eight percent per annum.

31  
32 Effective 2022

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34 The monthly surface water utility rates are based on the  
35 impervious surface area.

36 (1) Single-Family Residential Parcels. The average impervious  
37 area for a single-family residence is two thousand six hundred

38 square feet. This is based on the measurement of over three  
39 hundred parcels. This value is referred to as an equivalent service  
40 unit (ESU). The single-family service charge shall be equivalent to  
41 one ESU and shall be a flat rate of ~~eighteen dollars and forty-four~~  
42 eighteen dollars and eighty-one cents.

43 (2) All other Customers, Including Commercial and Multifamily  
44 Residential. The service charge for all classes other than single-  
45 family residences will be based on the number of ESUs. The actual  
46 measured impervious area of each individual site will be divided  
47 by two thousand six hundred square feet to determine the number  
48 of ESUs of the individual site. The computed rate shall not be less  
49 than that for one ESU. The surface water utility service rate for  
50 these customers shall be ~~eighteen dollars and forty-four~~ eighteen  
51 dollars and eighty-one cents per each ESU.

52 (3) Late Fees. All fees and charges arising under this chapter  
53 which are past due or delinquent shall be charged a late fee of  
54 eight percent per annum.

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56 Section 2. Effective date for new rates: For 2021, the  
57 monthly rates established in this ordinance shall go into effect and  
58 become the rates to be charged as of January 1, 2021. For 2022,  
59 the monthly rates established in this ordinance shall go into effect  
60 and become the rates to be charged as of January 1, 2022.

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62 Section 3. The surface water utility rates set forth in KMC  
63 15.56.020, which is amended by this ordinance, shall remain in  
64 force and effect until the rates set forth in this ordinance go into  
65 effect.

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67 Section 4. If any provision of this ordinance or its  
68 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the  
69 remainder of the ordinance, or the application of the provision to  
70 other persons or circumstances is not affected.

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72 Section 5. This ordinance shall be in force and effect five  
73 days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and  
74 publication, as required by law.

75           Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open  
76 meetings this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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78           Signed in authentication thereof this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
79 \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Penny Sweet, Mayor

Attest:

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Kathi Anderson, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

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Kevin Raymond, City Attorney

PUBLICATION SUMMARY  
OF ORDINANCE NO. 4738

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SECTION 1. Amends Section 15.56.020 of the Kirkland Municipal Code related to monthly surface water service rates.

SECTIONS 2 - 3. Provides an effective date for the rates.

SECTION 4. Provides a severability clause for the ordinance.

SECTION 5. Authorizes publication of the ordinance by summary, which summary is approved by the City Council pursuant to Section 1.08.017 Kirkland Municipal Code and establishes the effective date as five days after publication of summary.

The full text of this Ordinance will be mailed without charge to any person upon request made to the City Clerk for the City of Kirkland. The Ordinance was passed by the Kirkland City Council at its meeting on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

I certify that the foregoing is a summary of Ordinance 4738 approved by the Kirkland City Council for summary publication.

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Kathi Anderson, City Clerk