RESOLUTION NO. <u>14</u> for 1996

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lebanon did on November 28, 1987 adopt Section

13.04.080 of the Municipal Code providing that Wastewater Use Rates should be established by

Resolution;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lebanon as follows:

The wastewater use fees shall be:

## WASTEWATER FEE SCHEDULE

For purposes of this resolution, average winter water consumption shall be calculated each year and the new monthly rate set for the bills sent out each May 1. For 1996 only, the new monthly rate shall be set for the bills sent out August 1.

<u>Domestic User Rates</u>: For each domestic user, the monthly sewage charge is based on Average Winter Water Consumption (AWWC) as outlined in Section 13.04.520 as follows, not to exceed:

Base rate	\$ 7.35 plus
Volumetric rate (1 to 15 units)	2.10 per hundred cubic feet
More than 15 units	38.85

The basic fee to account for users who are not served by the City of Lebanon's water system and do not wish to install a meter on their water service line shall be the same as a customer whose average winter water usage is seven units.

Base rate	\$22.05
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<u>Commercial User Rates</u>: For each commercial user, the monthly sewage charge is based on Average Winter Water Consumption (AWWC) as outlined in Section 13.04.530 as follows, not to exceed:

Meter Size	Base Rate
3/4"	\$10.83
1	16.58
1 1/2	41.97
2	74.16
3	167.25
4	404.65 plus
Volumetric Rate	\$2.10 per hundred cubic feet

<u>Schools</u>: For each school, the monthly sewage rate is based upon the following formula as outlined in Section 13.04.540 of the Lebanon Municipal Code.

A = FG

where:	A = Monthly sewage charge	
	F = Total student enrollment	
	G = Sewerage charge per student	.76
	(Middle School & High School)	
	G = Sewerage charge per student	.47
	(elementary schools)	

<u>Industrial User Rates</u>: For each industrial user, the monthly sewage rate is based upon the following formula as outlined in section 13.04.550 of the Lebanon Municipal Code.

I = (TSS) J + (BOD) K + L + (Q) M + N

where:	I	= Monthly sewage charge	
	TSS	= Total suspended solids/month	
	J	= Use charge for TSS (per pound)	.25
	BOD	= Total biochemical oxygen demand/month	
	K	= Use charge for BOD (per pound)	1.04
	L	= Demand charge by meter size:	
		3/4"	\$ 10.83
		1	16.58
		1 1/2	41.97
		2	74.16
		3	167.25
		4	404.65
	Q	= Monthly flow of discharge	
	M	= Volumetric Rate (per 100 c.f.)	2.10

Special Rate for Low Income Senior Citizens and Disabled: Senior and disabled citizens who qualify for the State of Oregon Low Income Energy Assistance Program will be entitled to a discount of 10% for residential service. To be eligible, applicants must present a copy of the State of Oregon approved income verification form to the Finance Department. Duration of eligibility is for 12 months from the date the application is approved and must be resubmitted annually. Discounts will begin for the billing received on or about the first of the month following presentation of the form at the Finance Department.

Special Phase In of July 1,1996 Commercial and Industrial Rates: Commercial and Industrial Customers may apply for a special discount on the July 1, 1996 commercial and industrial rates if the following criteria are met:

- 1. Based on the usage from October, 1994 to September, 1995 the increase in cost of the combined water and wastewater bills for all the customer's accounts will equal or exceed the lesser of 20% or \$4800 per year and be at least \$1200 per year. Another twelve month period may be selected by the City Administrator if it would better represent typical usage for the customer.
- 2. The customer requests the discount in writing. Requests received by October 1, 1996 will be calculated retroactively to the inception of the July 1, 1996 rates. Requests received after October 1, 1996 will only be granted for future billings.

<u>Calculation of Discount</u>: Each month the bills of qualified customers will be discounted in the following manner.

The bill will be calculated under the new rates, then under the rates in place immediately preceding the enactment of this resolution. All accounts for the customer will be combined. The increase in the combined bill will be discounted by the following percentages:

<b>Bills Issued After</b>	Discount Percentage
July 1, 1996	75%
January 1, 1997	50%
July 1, 1997	25%
January 1, 1998	0%

SECTION 2:

This resolution supersedes and replaces all prior resolutions.

Passed by the Council by a vote of 5 for and 0 against and approved by the Mayor this 26th day of June, 1996.

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Robert G. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joseph A. Windell, City Recorder