ORDINANCE NO. 3295

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO WATER/SEWER SYSTEM CUSTOMER RATES PROVIDING FOR INCREASES IN SAID RATES AND AMENDING CHAPTER 15.24 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>: Table 15.24.020 of the Kirkland Municipal Code which establishes the monthly water charge required to be paid to the City by customers of the Kirkland Water System is amended to read as follows:

	Customer Class	Rate	
a.	Single-family residential		
	(1) Basic charge (includes 200 cubic feet of water consumed)	\$[5.33] <u>5.93</u>	
	PLUS		
	(2) Water consumption charge - 201 cubic feet to 1,200 cubic feet	\$[1.13] <u>1.24</u> per 100 cubic feet	
	PLUS		
	(3) Water consumption charge - over 1,200 cubic feet	\$[1.40] <u>1.52</u> per 100 cubic feet	
b.	Multifamily residential		
	(1) Basic charge	\$[1.57] <u>2.00</u> per residential unit	
	PLUS		
	(2) Water consumption charge	\$[1.24] 1.33 per 100 cubic feet of water consumed	

c. All other including commercial

Meter Size (inches)

(1) Basic charge per size of meter	5/8 x 3/4	\$[5.39]	_5.93
	1	\$[9.90]	10.89
	1-1/2	\$[13.95]	<u>15.35</u>
	2	\$[21.88]	<u>24.07</u>
	3	\$[61.47]	67.62
	4	\$[85.27]	<u>93.80</u>
	5	\$[109.81]	<u>120.79</u>
	6	\$[145.46]	<u>160.00</u>
	8	\$[299.48]	<u>329.43</u>
PLUS			
(2) Water consumption charge		\$1.24 per 100 cubic feet of water consumed	

Section 2: Table 15.24.070 of the Kirkland Municipal Code which establishes the monthly sewer charge required to be paid to the City by customers of the Kirkland Sewer Systems is amended to read as follows:

	Customer Class	Rate
a.	Single-family residential	\$[18.80] <u>21.25</u>
b.	Multifamily residential	
	(1) Basic charge	\$[1.70] <u>2.50</u> per residential unit
	PLUS	
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But not less than

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<u>Section 3</u>. QUALIFIED SENIOR CITIZENS RATE - The water and wastewater user rates to be charged to a qualified low-income senior citizen single-family residential customer shall be:

WATER

- (1) 50% of the Basic Charge (includes 200 cubic feet of water consumed) as set forth in table 15.24.020.
- (2) Water consumption charge as set forth in Table 15.24.024.

<u>SEWER</u>

(1) 75% of the Single-Family Residential Rate set forth in Table 15.24.070.

For the purposes of this section "qualified low-income senior citizen" means a person who meets the following qualifications:

- (1) Resides in a single-family residential unit;
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(5) A single-family residential customer who is either disabled or blind, according to Social Security criteria, and who also meets the qualifications of sub-paragraphs (1) and (3) of this section shall for the purposes of this section be a qualified senior citizen customer. (Ord. 3248 1, 1991: Ord. 3198 1, 1989).

Section 4. Effective date for new rates: The monthly service and consumption rates for water and sewer customers established in this ordinance shall go into effect and become the rates to be charged as of December 1, 1991 provided, however, that the water consumption charge for both water and sewer as to those customers billed on the City of Kirkland billing cycles number 2, number 4, and number 5 shall go into effect January 1, 1992.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect five days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and publication pursuant to Section 1.08.017 Kirkland Municipal Code in summary form attached to the original of this Ordinance and by this reference approved by the City Council, as required by law.

Passed by majority vote of open meeting this <u>19th</u> day of					
Signed in authentication		this	<u>19th</u>	day	of
_s/R	andy Bartor	า			
May	or				
Attest:					
s/Janice Perry					
City Clerk					
Approved as to Form:					
s/Ralph Thomas					
City Attorney					

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Signed in authentication thereof this 19th day of November, 1991.

Mayor

Attest:

Approved as to Form:

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