

COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 14-31

1 A RESOLUTION FIXING AND ESTABLISHING SEWER RATES AND SERVICE  
2 CHARGES FOR THE OPERATION, MAINTENANCE AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS  
3 OF THE METRO SEWER SANITARY AND STORM SEWER SYSTEM AND FOR THE  
4 OPERATION, MAINTENANCE AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT OF THE METRO  
5 SEWER TREATMENT PLANT BY THE CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE-SILVER  
6 BOW, MONTANA FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014 - 2015 AND PROVIDING FOR AN  
7 EFFECTIVE DATE HEREIN.

8 WHEREAS, in order to comply with federal and state  
9 environmental mandates issued through  
10 Administrative Orders of Consent in regard to the  
11 City-County of Butte Silver Bow's metro sewer  
12 sanitary and storm sewer system, the local  
13 government has been and continues to be required  
14 to make infrastructure improvements to such  
15 system, which are required to be completed by  
16 January 1, 2016 and;

17 WHEREAS, the City-County determined through Resolution 13-  
18 40 that in order to continue with capital  
19 improvements needed to comply with these  
20 environmentally mandated improvements to its  
21 metro sewer sanitary and storm sewer system, an

1 incremental rate increase for the fiscal years  
2 2013-2014 through 2016-2017, is necessary to  
3 raise sufficient revenue to meet these  
4 obligations; and

5 WHEREAS, a public hearing concerning the above noted  
6 proposed rate increases for the metro sewer  
7 sanitary and storm sewer system was held on June  
8 26, 2013; and

9 WHEREAS, based upon the all of the above, the council  
10 finds it is necessary to impose a monthly  
11 increase in the metro service (per unit) rate for  
12 fiscal year 2014-2015 as set forth below.

13 WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 527, codified in  
14 Section 13.08.030 of the Butte-Silver Bow  
15 Municipal Code, the total annual rate of charge  
16 for metro sewer user fees shall be set by the  
17 Council of Commissioners in the annual metro  
18 sewer rate resolution.

19 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY AND  
20 COUNTY OF BUTTE-SILVER BOW, STATE OF MONTANA:

21 SECTION 1: That the sewer rates and service charges  
22 necessary to raise the amount for operation and

1 maintenance of the Metro Sewer Sanitary and Storm  
2 Sewer System and for operation and maintenance of  
3 the Metro Sewer Treatment Plant by the City and  
4 County of Butte-Silver Bow to defray the cost of  
5 environmentally mandated improvements for fiscal  
6 years 2014 - 2015, are hereby fixed at the  
7 following rate per unit user:

8 SERVICE

9 Metro Sewer Maintenance and Treatment

10 <u>RATE PER UNIT</u>	11 <u>INCREASE</u>	12 <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
13 \$100.00	14 \$10.00	15 JULY 1, 2014

16 SECTION 2: That this Resolution shall be in full force and  
17 effect upon its passage and approval.

18 PASSED this 25th day of August, 2014.

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20 CINDI SHAW  
21 CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS

22 APPROVED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

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24 MATT VINCENT  
25 CHIEF EXECUTIVE

26 ATTEST:  
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28 SALLY J. HOLLIS  
29 CLERK AND RECORDER  
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32 BY \_\_\_\_\_

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EILEEN JOYCE

9 COUNTY ATTORNEY

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WILLIAM O. ANDERSEN

15 CHAIRMAN, JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

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