RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AND APPROVING RULES OF INTERPRETATION AND PROCEDURE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SEWER SERVICE CHARGE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 64.32.2, ET SEQ., OF THE SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, heretofore this Council has adopted provisions relating to and has established a sewer service charge in connection with the handling and processing of sewage in the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of those sections, it is necessary to establish and approve rules of interpretation and procedure in connection with the administration of the appropriate sections of the San Diego Municipal Code establishing the sewer service charge; and

WHEREAS, it has been recommended by the City Manager that the following rules of interpretation and procedure be established for the purpose of clarifying and administering the appropriate sections of the San Diego Municipal Code; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego as follows:

That Resolution No. 136803 adopted December 18, 1956 is hereby rescinded.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the following rules and regulations are hereby established and approved as the rules of interpretation and procedure in connection with

the administration of the sewer service charge established under the provisions of Section 64.32.2 of the San Diego Municipal Code:

## RULE #1

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(1) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code, "average sewage" shall mean the maximum volume and type allowable for established sewer service charges. No variances in sewer service charges will be granted for sewage which is below average in volume or type; however, sewage determined to exceed the average in volume or type may be subject to a greater sewer service charge than herein established.

#### RULE #2

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(3) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code, construction water meters used specifically for the purpose of furnishing water for construction purposes shall be exempt from the sewer service charge.

## RULE #3

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(3) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code: Upon an application for a sewer service charge rate review from a water consumer, where all of the water usage from such service is used for the construction of subdivision improvements, public improvements, and commercial, industrial and public buildings, the service shall be exempt from the sewer service charge during the period of construction.

# RULE #4

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(3) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code: Upon an application for a sewer service charge rate review from a consumer, where a substantial portion of the water supplied to such property is not entirely or substantially discharged into the sewerage system, the sewer service charge shall be based upon the quantity of water disposed of in sewerage system as compared to the total quantity of water used.

### RULE #5

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(3) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code, upon application for a sewer service charge rate review from a water consumer, where a substantial portion of the premises is used for industrial, commercial, recreational, horticultural, or agricultural purposes of such nature that the water supplied to such premises is not entirely or substantially discharged into the sewerage system, the sewer service charge shall be based on the quantity of water discharged into the sewerage system.

### RULE #6

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(3) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code, domestic water services set prior to or during construction of residences shall be charged the minimum sewer service charge from the date of installation.

### RULE #7

For the purpose of administering paragraph A(5) of Section 64.32.2 of the Municipal Code, upon application for a sewer service charge rate review from a water consumer at a premises not connected to the sewerage system, said consumer shall be exempt from the sewer service charge if the nearest available public sewer is more than 150 feet from the property line, or if the grade of the public sewer is such as not to allow gravity flow from the property.

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