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## CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

## ORDINANCE NO. 2177

AN ORDINANCE establishing sewerage service charges for the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue.

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into November 1, 1973, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Bellevue Sewer District, has assumed the obligations of the district and has taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into July 15, 1970, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Lake Hills Sewer District, has assumed the obligations of the district and has taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into November 7, 1972, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 99, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into October 27, 1970, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 97, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement entered into February 26, 1973, the City of Bellevue has assumed control of Water District No. 68, has assumed the obligations of the district and taken title to the assets thereof, and has authority to fix rates and charges therefor, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellevue operates its own municipal water system, including the facilities heretofore acquired from Water Districts Nos. 68, 97 and 99, King County, Washington, and its own sanitary sewerage system, including the facilities heretofore acquired from Bellevue Sewer District and Lake Hills Sewer District, King County, Washington, and

WHEREAS, said municipal water system and sanitary sewerage system have been combined into the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue pursuant to Ordinance No. 2169, adopted January 20, 1975, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the public interest to establish the following schedule of rates for sewerage service for said Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue, now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. There are hereby established and shall be collected from each user of sewerage service provided by the Waterworks Utility of the City of Bellevue sewerage service charges as hereinafter provided. The schedule of charges hereby established shall supercede, as of its effective date designated in section 6 hereof, all existing schedules of charges, whether established by the City of Bellevue, Bellevue Sewer District or Lake Hills Sewer District.

Section 2. The service charge for single-family and two-family

residential structures located outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be \$11.60 per bi-monthly billing period for each dwelling unit.

The service charge for single-family and two-family residential structures located inside the city limits of Bellevue shall be 105.095% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

Section 3. The service charge for each multi-family residential structure or facility located outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be \$8.10 per bi-monthly billing period for each dwelling unit, plus \$0.69 per 100 cubic feet of water consumed by such structure or facility in excess of 1000 cubic feet per dwelling unit during each bi-monthly billing period.

The service charge for each multi-family residential structure or facility located inside the city limits of Bellevue shall be 105.095% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

For purposes of this section "multi-family residential structure or facility" shall mean any residential structure or facility containing three or more dwelling units, including but not limited to triplexes, apartment buildings, trailer parks, and parcels containing three or more separate dwelling units, but shall not include hotels and motels.

Section 4. The service charge per bi-monthly billing period for all industrial structures or facilities located outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be based on the water consumption by each such structure or facility, and shall be computed as follows:

<u>Water Consumption in Cubic Feet Per Bi-Monthly Billing Period</u>	<u>Charge Per 100 Cubic Feet Consumed</u>
Up to and including 10,000	\$74.00 Basic Charge
Next 190,000	\$ 0.69
Next 500,000	\$ 0.49
All consumption in excess of 700,000	\$ 0.45

The charge for all industrial structures or facilities located inside the city limits of Bellevue shall be 105.095% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

For purposes of this ordinance "industrial structures or facilities" shall mean any structure or facility or group of structures or facilities connected to the Waterworks Utility sanitary sewer system, which are determined by the Director of Utilities to be contributing industrial waste to the sewer system. The words "industrial waste" shall mean any liquid, solid, or gaseous substance, or combination thereof, resulting from any process of industry, manufacturing, commercial food processing, business, trade or research, including the development, recovery, or processing of natural resources.

Section 5. The service charge for all structures or facilities other than those governed by sections 2 through 4 hereof, located outside the city limits of Bellevue shall be based on the water consumption by each such structure or facility and shall be computed as follows:

\$0.74 per 100 cubic feet of water consumption, up to and including 10,000 cubic feet of consumption per bi-monthly billing period.

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\$.069 per 100 cubic feet of water consumption, in excess of 10,000 cubic feet of consumption per bi-monthly billing period,

Provided, there shall be a minimum charge of \$11.60 per bi-monthly billing period.

The service charge for all structures and facilities not governed by sections 2 through 4 hereof located inside the city limits of Bellevue shall be 105.095% of the appropriate charge as determined above.

Section 6. All charges herein established shall apply to sewer services provided on and after February 1, 1975.

Section 7. If any section of this ordinance, or any portion of any section of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance or the application of the provision to other persons and circumstances, shall not be affected.

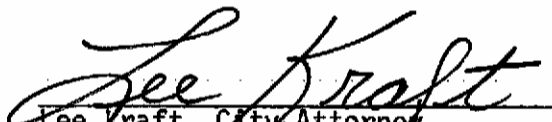
Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five days after its passage, approval and legal publication.

PASSED by the City Council this 20 day of January, 1975, and signed in authentication of its passage this 20 day of January, 1975.


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Richard M. Foreman, Mayor

Approved as to form:

  
Lee Kraft, City Attorney

Attest:

  
Patricia K. Weber, City Clerk

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