

# RESOLUTIONS OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA

## RESOLUTION NO. 20476

### A RESOLUTION SETTING RATES FOR ALL CUSTOMERS OF THE CITY OF HELENA WATER SYSTEM

**WHEREAS**, water system users are charged a base rate and a per unit rate for water consumption as required by §6-2-8 of the Helena City Code;

**WHEREAS**, the Helena City Commission last adjusted water rates in November of 2017;

**WHEREAS**, rate adjustments are necessary to adjust for inflation of costs of service, provide for necessary capital improvements, and meet bonded debt coverage;

**WHEREAS**, a tiered rate structure is desired to encourage conservation of water while providing necessary funding for operational and capital costs; and

**WHEREAS**, a public hearing was held by the Commission on August 27, 2018, in the City Commission Chambers, 316 North Park Avenue, in Helena, Montana.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA:**

**Section 1.** The water base and usage rates imposed upon all users of the City of Helena water system are as follows:

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<b>Monthly Meter Base Rate <sup>1</sup>:</b>	<b><u>Rate</u></b>
<u>Meter Size</u>	
¾"	\$ 8.25
1"	\$13.70
1½"	\$ 27.40
2"	\$ 43.80
3"	\$ 82.30
4"	\$ 137.40
6"	\$ 274.80
8"	\$ 494.60
12"	\$ 618.20

<b>Per Unit Consumption Rate <sup>2</sup>:</b>	
<u>Type</u>	
Commercial	\$ 3.37
Multi-family	\$ 2.90
Residential (0 - 8 units)	\$ 2.90
Residential (9 - 15 units)	\$ 3.25
Residential (15+ units)	\$ 3.30
Non-metered residential (11 units)	\$ 3.35

<sup>1</sup> per meter per month

<sup>2</sup> units are measured in HCF (100 cubic feet or approximately 748 gallons)

**PASSED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA, THIS  
27<sup>th</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2018.**

**/S/ WILMOT J. COLLINS  
MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**

**/S/ DEBBIE HAVENS  
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION**