

**CITY OF GIG HARBOR
ORDINANCE NO. 812**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON
CHANGING THE MONTHLY SEWER SERVICE RATE TO BE PAID TO
THE CITY BY OWNERS OF PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY FOR THE
PROVISION OF SEWER SERVICES, AMENDING GIG HARBOR CODE
SECTIONS 13.32.010, 13.32.015, 13.32.020, AND 13.32.025, TO BE
EFFECTIVE BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1, 1999.**

WHEREAS, it is necessary to raise sewer service rates and charges to meet the increasing cost of providing sewage collection and treatment services;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington, **DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 13.32.010 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.32.10 Sewer Rates.

A. The monthly sewer service rate shall be set at the following amounts:

Customer Class	Customer Base Charge (per month)	Commodity Charge (per ccf)	Minimum Charge (per month)
Residential	\$4.85 \$5.10	\$2.13 \$2.24	\$15.50 \$16.28
Multi-Family Residential (per living unit)	2.86 3.01	2.13 2.24	11.38 11.95
Commercial/School (per billing unit)	9.09 9.55	2.13 2.24	15.48 16.26

Section 2. Section 13.32.015 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.32.015 Sewer Rates – Community Systems. The monthly sewer service rates for community systems shall be set at the following amounts:

Customer Class	Monthly Charge
Penn Thicket System	\$118.14/system \$124.05/system
Shore Crest System	\$16.17/living unit \$16.98/system

Section 3. Section 13.32.020 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.32.020 Non-metered uses. Until a water meter has been installed to measure water flow by a residential unit, multi-residential building, or commercial facility, the sewer service charge for each unmetered unit/facility shall be as follows:

Nonmetered Customer Class	Monthly Charge
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Residential	\$19.76/unit	\$20.75/unit
Multifamily residential	45.64/living unit	16.43/living unit
Commercial	41.04/billing unit	43.10/billing unit

Section 4. Section 13.32.025 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

13.32.025 Sewer Rates – Community systems using flow meters.

Customer Class	Customer Base Charge (per month)	Commodity Charge (per ccf)	Minimum Charge (per month)
Residential	\$4.85 \$5.10	\$2.13 \$2.24	\$19.76 \$20.75
Multi-Family Residential	2.86 3.01	2.13 2.24	15.74 16.53
Commercial	9.09 9.55	2.13 2.24	41.04 43.10

Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and take effect February 1, 1999 which shall be at least five (5) days after its publication of an approved summary consisting of the title.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington, and approved by its Mayor at a regular meeting of the council held on this 11th day of January, 1999.

APPROVED:

Gretchen A. Wilbert, Mayor

ATTEST:

Molly Towslee, City Clerk

Filed with city clerk: 12/9/98

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**SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 812
of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington**

On January 11, 1999, the City Council of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington, approved Ordinance No. 812, the summary of text of which is as follows:

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR:

The full text of this ordinance will be mailed upon request.

APPROVED by the City Council at their regular meeting of January 11th, 1999.

BY:

Molly M. Towslee, City Clerk