

RESOLUTION NO. 11-953

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CHINO VALLEY, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, APPROVING AND RATIFYING THE ADOPTION OF WASTEWATER MONTHLY SERVICE FEES FOR 2008, 2009, AND 2010

WHEREAS, Arizona Revised Statutes Section 9-240 authorizes the Town of Chino Valley ("Town") to construct, operate and maintain sewer and water utilities, and also to appropriate money and provide for the payment of its debts and expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Town owns and operates a wastewater collection, treatment and recharge system for the collection, treatment and disposal of sewage wastes and the Town owns and operates a water production, storage and distribution system to provide safe, potable water for its citizens, both of which are collectively referred to as the Town Utility Systems; and

WHEREAS, the Town Utility Systems are designated as enterprise funds which are to be self sustaining for operating, maintenance and capital expenditures from revenues generated from fees collected from users of such Systems; and

WHEREAS, certain operations of the Town Utility Systems are expanding in both scope, complexity and service areas requiring additional revenue to meet the designation of enterprise funds; and

WHEREAS, Arizona Revised Statutes Section 9-511.0(B) provides that the Council, after holding a public hearing, may adopt by resolution a proposed wastewater fees or service charge increase or decrease; and

WHEREAS, on January 10, 2008, after holding a public hearing for the purpose of receiving public comment on proposed wastewater rate adjustments, the Council approved by minute motion the adoption of new wastewater monthly service fees, to be as follows: (i) forty dollars (\$40.00), commencing March 1, 2008, (ii) forty-five dollars and twenty cents (\$45.20) commencing January 1, 2009, and (iii) forty-eight dollars and forty cents (\$48.40) commencing January 1, 2010;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the Town of Chino Valley, Arizona, such monthly service fees are hereby ratified and approved.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Chino Valley, Arizona this 8th day of March, 2011.

Jim Bunker, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jami C. Lewis, Town Clerk

Musgrove Drutz & Kack, P.C.,
Town Attorney