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2002-0298

**INTRODUCED BY: ALBERT D. LAQUE
PARISH PRESIDENT**

ORDINANCE NO. 02-8-19

An ordinance to amend the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 22, Section 22-80 to delete the January 1, 2003 sewer rate increase.

WHEREAS, on June 18, 2001 the Parish Council adopted Ordinance No. 01-6-04 adjusting the sewer user rate charges; and,

WHEREAS, GSE Associates, Inc. has conducted a review of sewer rates comparing the Rate Study Report and the actual audited financial statements for 2001; and,

WHEREAS, the professional independent review determined... "that no increase is required at the beginning of 2003"; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Wastewater, at the direction of the Parish President, has prepared the 2003 Wastewater Budget based on no rate increase in 2003; and,

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Parish President and the Parish Council to eliminate the previously enacted 2003 sewer rate increase.

THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION I. That the St. Charles Parish Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in Chapter 22, Section 22-80 (1) (a) by deleting the following:

..."\$5.19 (80 percent of \$5.19 equals \$4.15) per 1,000 gallons of water use on January 1, 2003";

The foregoing ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: RAMCHANDRAN, FAUCHEUX, HILAIRE, FABRE, ABADIE, AUTHEMENT, BLACK, MARINO, MINNICH

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted this 19th day of August, 2002, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

CHAIRMAN: [Signature]

SECRETARY: [Signature]

DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: August 20, 2002

APPROVED: [Signature] DISAPPROVED: _____

PARISH PRESIDENT: [Signature]

RETD/SECRETARY: August 20, 2002

AT: 2:48 pm RECD BY: [Signature]

REFERENCE

Ord.01-6-04

