

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-04

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDWAY, TEXAS ESTABLISHING NEW RATES FOR WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICES; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DAY; SEVERABILITY; FIND OF READING IN A MEETING UNDER THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Midway provides the services of water and wastewater to the residents of the City of Midway; and

WHEREAS, the City must set reasonable rates for the provision of City Services.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
MIDWAY,**

1. RATE STUDIES

The City of Midway performs rate studies on an annual basis to determine the best rates to meet the financial needs of providing the services of water, wastewater; maintaining the water and wastewater systems; and providing trash to the residents of Midway.

2. TRASH SERVICE

The current charges for trash service will remain the same for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2024 and ending September 30, 2025.

3. WASTEWATER

The wastewater (sewer) service will have a base rate of \$40.00 and is based on a usage of 3,000 gallons of water. Usage charges over 3,000 gallons remain the same.

4. WATER SERVICE

Water service for each residence will be based on 3,000 gallons of usage with a base rate of \$50.00. Usage charges over 3,000 gallons will remain the same.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE

These rates shall take effect in a staggered schedule:

November billing—bills due in December:

Water: \$42.50 including 1,500 gallons of water

Sewer: \$37.25 (based on percentage of water)

February billing—bills due in March:

Water: \$50.00 including 3,000 gallons of water

Sewer: \$40.00 (based on percentage of water)

6. **SEVERABILITY**

It is the intention of the City Council that this ordinance, and every provision hereof, shall be considered severable, and the invalidity or unconstitutionality of any section, clause, provision or portion of this ordinance, shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other portion of this ordinance.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
MIDWAY, THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2024.**

SIGNED:

Randal Dorman, Mayor

ATTEST:

Debra Newkirk, City Secretary

APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL

Gus Kangos, Councilman

Brenda Ford, Councilwoman

Rex Newkirk, Councilman

Marc Nelson, Councilman

John Whitmire, Councilman