

ORDINANCE NO. 71

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BIG BEAR AREA REGIONAL
WASTEWATER AGENCY CLARIFYING THE USER
CHARGE PER EQUIVALENT DWELLING UNIT
EFFECTIVE FISCAL YEAR 2000/01**

WHEREAS, the Governing Board desires to clarify the User Charge per Equivalent Dwelling Unit contained in Ordinance No. 67.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governing Board of the **BIG BEAR AREA REGIONAL WASTEWATER AGENCY** hereby ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 5.16 of the Big Bear Area Regional Wastewater Agency Code of Regulations and Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Chapter 5.16

USER CHARGES

5.16.010 Definitions.

As used herein, the following terms shall have the meaning hereinafter ascribed to them:

A. "Collecting agency" means the Agencies which operate local sewage collection systems, i.e., the Big Bear City Community Services District, the City of Big Bear Lake, and the County of San Bernardino, which operates the sewage collection system within Improvement Zone "B" of San Bernardino County Service Area 53.

B. "Equivalent dwelling unit" or "EDU" means the equivalent flow and pollutant loading of sewage and wastewater from a single-family dwelling unit. The amount of various fees and charges to be paid by users of the Agency's sewage system are determined based on the number of equivalent dwelling units or EDU's assigned to such users by the collecting agencies in accordance with the user charge classifications and formula established by Chapter 5.12.

C. "Plumbing fixture unit" means a plumbing fixture unit or equivalent fixture unit, public use, as defined in the Uniform Plumbing Code.

5.16.020 User Charge.

The user charge to be collected by the collecting agency during the fiscal year 2000/01 shall be \$104.74 per equivalent dwelling unit.

5.16.030 Collection.

Each collecting agency shall levy said user charge against all users of its sewage collection system based upon the equivalent dwelling units assigned to each user and shall collect the same in not more than twelve (12) installments.

5.16.040 Proration for new users.

Users who commence using the sewage collection system of one of the collecting agencies after July 1, 2000 shall pay a proportionate amount of the user charge for each equivalent dwelling unit assigned to them by the collecting agency based on the number of calendar days during said fiscal year in which they will use said collection system."

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption. The Secretary of this Governing Board shall cause a copy of this ordinance to be published once in the Big Bear Life and Grizzly. The Secretary shall deliver a certified copy of this ordinance to the City of Big Bear Lake, the County of San Bernardino and the Big Bear City Community Services District.

ADOPTED this 22nd day of March 2000.

MARY CORTEZ, Chair of the
Governing Board Big Bear Area
Regional Wastewater Agency

ATTEST:

BOB COLVEN, Secretary of the
Governing Board Big Bear Area
Regional Wastewater Agency