



MEMORANDUM

City of Venice

Utilities Department

TO: Ed Lavallee, ICMA-CM, MPA, City Manager

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FROM: Javier A. Vargas, MPA, Utilities Director and Joe Welch, Controller

DATE: August 18, 2021

COUNCIL APPROVAL: Yes

MEETING DATE: August 24, 2021

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Ensure a Financially Sound City

SUBJECT: Wholesale Wastewater Treatment Rates

Background: The City of Venice (COV) treats an average of 1.2 million gallons per day of wastewater influent coming from the Sarasota County (County) wastewater collection system into the City's Eastside Water Reclamation Facility for treatment and disposal. The rate charged is a cost-sharing arrangement pursuant to an Interlocal Agreement between the City and County dated 9/5/89 and amended on October 10, 2000. The applicable rate(s) are set periodically by City Ordinance based on an independent rate study.

Requested Action: Accept the Rate Study and approve the changes to the applicable Rate Ordinance.

If for an agenda item, this document and any associated backup created by City of Venice staff has been reviewed for ADA compliance: Yes

City Attorney Review/Approved: Yes

Risk Management Review: N/A

Finance Department Review/Approved: Yes

Funds Availability (account number): N/A

ORIGINAL(S) ATTACHED: Wholesale Wastewater Treatment Rate Study, Presentation

Cc: Linda Senne, CPA, Finance Director