

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, SUSPENDING THE AUTOMATIC INDEXING OF WATER AND SEWER RATES AND UNIT CONNECTION FEES FOR THE PONTE VEDRA SYSTEM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011 DUE TO AN ONGOING RATE STUDY; PROVIDING A DATE FOR THE RATES AND FEES TO RESUME INDEXING; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 35 (A) of St. Johns County Ordinance 2006-04 requires that water and sewer rates and unit connection fees be automatically indexed annually by the Consumer Price Index;

WHEREAS, the St. Johns County Utility Department is undergoing a rate study; and

WHEREAS, the Utility Department will present the results of this study at an upcoming Board of County Commissioners meeting; and

WHEREAS, Section 35 (B) of St. Johns County Ordinance No. 2006-04 gives the Board of County Commissioners the authority to modify all rates and fees at any time by Resolution of the Board; and

WHEREAS, with respect to the Ponte Vedra system, the Board of County Commissioners has determined that not automatically indexing water and sewer rates, and unit connection fees for Fiscal Year 2011 (October 1, 2010 to September 30, 2011) is in the overall interest of the County.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, that:

- Section 1.** With respect to the Ponte Vedra system, the County water and sewer rates and unit connection fees shall not be automatically indexed for Fiscal Year 2011 (October 1, 2010 to September 30, 2011).
- Section 2.** Indexing of the County water and sewer rates and unit connection fees shall resume in accordance with Ordinance No. 2006-04, beginning October 1, 2011, unless said rates and fees are modified by subsequent resolution or ordinance.
- Section 3.** To the extent that there are typographical and/or administrative errors that do not change the tone, tenor, or context of this Resolution, then this Resolution may be revised without subsequent approval of the Board of County Commissioners.
- Section 4.** This resolution shall take effect upon its passage by the Board of County Commissioners.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, State of Florida, this 29th day of September, 2010.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Ron Sanchez
Ron Sanchez, Chair

ATTEST: CHERYL STRICKLAND, CLERK

By: Pam Halterman
Deputy Clerk

RENDITION DATE 9/29/10