



Request for City Council Committee Action From the Department of Public Works

Date: July 27, 2010

To: Honorable Sandra Colvin Roy, Chair Transportation & Public Works Committee

Subject: **Ordinance Amendment - Assessment for Repairs to Water or Sewer Service Line**

Recommendation:
Set Public Hearing for August 17, 2010

Previous Directives:
November 5, 2009 – Staff directed to report at Committee of the Whole regarding the parameters involved in setting the administrative fee and the interest rate relating to water and sewer service line assessments.

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Approved by:

Steven A. Kotke, P.E., City Engineer, Director of Public Works

Presenters: Brette Hjelle, Public Works Interagency Coordinator

Reviews

Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval _NA_ Date __

Civil Rights Approval Approval _NA_ Date __

Policy Review Group (PRG): Approval _NA_ Date __

Financial Impact

Within Departmental Budget

Community Impact

Neighborhood Notification: NA

City Goals: A City that Works

Comprehensive Plan: NA

Zoning Code: NA

Background/Supporting Information

During the 2009 assessment process for water and sewer line repairs, the City Council directed staff to reassess chapter 509.465 (Assessment for repairs to water or sewer service line). The department was asked to focus on the 8% interest rate and the 10% penalty specified within the ordinance.

Public Works has completed a review of these issues and will be proposing changes for City Council consideration at a public hearing on Tuesday, August 17, 2010