ORDINANCE NO. /08/ CITY OF LACEY

AN ORDINANCE INCREASING THE MONTHLY BASIC SEWER SERVICE CHARGE IN LACEY BY \$0.50 FOR ALL BILLS RENDERED ON OR AFTER APRIL 1, 1998 AND AMENDING SECTION 13.16.060 OF THE LACEY MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the City has increased its monthly basic sewer service charge each year during the last 3 years by the sum of \$0.50 per month and, prior to adopting a long term schedule for sewerage rates, it is necessary to complete and study the City's new Wastewater Comprehensive Plan, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary in order to maintain sufficient revenues within the system that while said studies are taking place, the historical increase in sewerage service rates be put in effect.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, as follows:

Section 1. Section 13.16.060 of the Lacey Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.16.060 Basic service charge—Designated. The "basic sewer service charge" of Lacey shall be \$31.20 per month per equivalent residential unit for all utility billings rendered on or after April 1, 1995, and prior to April 1, 1996, \$31.70 per month per equivalent residential unit for all utility billings rendered on or after April 1, 1996, and prior to April 1, 1997, and \$32.20 \$32.70 per month per equivalent residential unit for all utility billings rendered on or after April 1, 1997. 1998.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall be effective on April 1, 1998.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, this 26th day of <u>Frhaudy</u>, 1998.

CITY COUNCIL

Attest:

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Approved as to form:

City Attorney