

# TRUNK AND TREATMENT RATES AND RETAIL SEWER COLLECTION RATES

WHEREAS, Renewable Water Resources (ReWa) strives to maintain fair and equitable rates for all customers; and

WHEREAS, ReWa's staff has reviewed revenue requirements and given consideration to protecting ReWa's investment in infrastructure, economic development, and ratepayer affordability; and

WHEREAS, ReWa's Board of Commissioners has reviewed and understands these requirements and considerations, as well as the modifications to the existing rate structure needed; and

WHEREAS, the monthly Trunk and Treatment Rates are as follows and are made a part of the official minutes of ReWa:

	Current		2024		2025		2026	
Base Charges								
5/8" / 3/4"	\$	12.75	\$	12.75	\$	12.75	\$	12.75
1"		19.83		20.30		20.78		21.25
1.5"		23.13		29.59		36.04		42.50
2"		30.22		42.81		55.41		68.00
3"		46.75		73.67		100.58		127.50
4"		70.37		117.75		165.12		212.50
6"		129.42		227.95		326.47		425.00
8"		200.28		360.19		520.09		680.00
Volume Charges/kgal								
Residential	\$	6.56	\$	6.73	\$	6.91	\$	7.09
Commercial/Industrial (1)		6.23		6.49		6.78		7.09
Commercial/Industrial (2)		6.56		6.73		6.91		7.09

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents volume charges per 1,000 gallons of metered water

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents volume charges per 1,000 gallons of metered wastewater

WHEREAS, the monthly Retail Sewer Collection Rates are as follows and are made a part of the official minutes of ReWa:

	Current		2024		2025		2026	
Base Charges								
5/8" / 3/4"	\$	13.81	\$	13.81	\$	13.81	\$	13.81
1"		23.02		23.02		23.02		23.02
1.5"		46.03		46.03		46.03		46.03
2"		73.65		73.65		73.65		73.65
3"		138.09		138.09		138.09		138.09
4"		230.15		230.15		230.15		230.15
6"		460.30		460.30		460.30		460.30
8"		736.48		736.48		736.48		736.48
Volume Charge/kgal	\$	-	\$	0.50	\$	1.00	\$	1.50

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Renewable Water Resources does hereby implement the Trunk and Treatment Rates and the Retail Sewer Collection Rates as prescribed above effective January 1 of the above noted years and that this resolution updates Attachment B to the current Sewer Use Regulation related to these changes.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### Mauldin Road Coarse Screen and Headworks Gate Actuator Replacement Construction Contract Award

WHEREAS, the Mauldin Road Coarse Screens and Headworks Gate Actuator Replacement consists of two (2) new TrashMax® multirake screens and appurtenances and installation of electrical and controls for fourteen new electric actuators upstream of the Coarse Screens and in the Headworks Building;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Renewable Water Resources does hereby award this work to Reeves Young, LLC. for a cost not to exceed \$899,500.00 and that the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee is hereby authorized to execute the contract plus up to \$100,500 in future contract amendments on behalf of ReWa, conditioned upon and subject to the following:

- 1. The Contractor's Acceptance.
- 2. The Contractor's compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Notice of Award.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### Saluda #4 Pump Station Elimination Construction Contract Amendment No. 2

WHEREAS the Saluda #4 Pump Station Elimination Construction Amendment No. 2 consists of additional quantities for bid items;

WHEREAS, Tugaloo Pipeline, Inc. has previously been awarded \$2,166,950.91 for construction services;

WHEREAS, Staff has negotiated a fee not to exceed \$130,000.00 for additional construction services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT that Renewable Water Resources does hereby amend the contract with Tugaloo Pipeline, Inc. and authorize the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee to execute an amendment to bring the total contract to a not to exceed amount of \$2,296,950.91; and for an increased duration of 0 days, to bring the total contract time to 671 days.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### Basin Master Plan Engineering Services Contract Award

WHEREAS, the Basin Master Plan consists of determining short, mid, and long-term needs for each of ReWa's WRRF basins in order to create and maintain effective sewer service throughout the service area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Renewable Water Resources does hereby award this study services work to CDM Smith, Inc. for a cost not to exceed \$548,580 and that the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee is hereby authorized to execute the contract.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, Jr., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### Mauldin Road Solar Dryer CMAR Preconstruction Services Contract Award

WHEREAS, the Mauldin Road Solar Dryer Project consists of the installation of six (6) solar dryer cells;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Renewable Water Resources does hereby award this CMAR preconstruction services work to Harper Corporation for a cost not to exceed \$40,000 and that the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee is hereby authorized to execute the contract.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### George's Creek Onsite Equalization Design Services Contract Amendment

WHEREAS, the George's Creek Onsite Equalization Project consists of an assessment of onsite equalization alternatives in light of site constraints and recent site investigation data and design of the selected alternative; and

WHEREAS, AECOM has previously been awarded \$408,050 for performing the engineering design of the project; and

WHEREAS, Staff has negotiated a fee not to exceed \$189,260 for the amended design scope;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Renewable Water Resources does hereby amend the contract with AECOM and authorize the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee to execute an amendment to bring the total contract to a not to exceed amount of \$597,310.

The above Resolution, upon motion duly made, was passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Renewable Water Resources at a regular meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



#### Enoree River Gravity Sewer Upgrade Right of Way Acquisition

WHEREAS, the Enoree River Gravity Sewer Upgrade Project consists of upgrading approximately 3 miles of gravity sewer roughly adjacent to the Enoree River from Wade Hampton Boulevard to Corey Burns Park in Taylors; and

WHEREAS, Staff and Renewable Water Resource's (ReWa) consulting engineer, Hazen and Sawyer, have determined it is necessary to acquire right of way either by way of gift, purchase, or by the exercise of eminent domain in accordance with ReWa procedures;

WHEREAS, ReWa is a body politic under the laws of the State of South Carolina and has rights under the Eminent Domain Procedure Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee are directed to proceed with this project and acquire through gift, purchase, or by exercise of eminent domain, rights of way and/or land over properties needed to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed infrastructure. This authority is to include, but not be limited to, the institution of any and all other actions reasonably associated with acquiring the necessary rights of way for construction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event the rights of way cannot be acquired by gift or purchase, the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee shall cause to be instituted condemnation proceedings to exercise ReWa's right of eminent domain under the provisions of S.C. Code Ann. Section 28-2-10, *et seq.* by way of trial as set forth in S.C. Code Ann. Section 28-2-240, as amended.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Executive Officer and/or his designee are authorized to negotiate special terms and conditions with property owners as part of such acquisition, where appropriate, which are not inconsistent with the needs of ReWa.

BE IT RESOLVED that should any lien holder, existing or otherwise, attempt to take any action or make any claims which would interfere with ReWa's right to construct, operate and maintain the Project, ReWa has rights under the law to counteract such interference, including the Right of Eminent Domain, pursuant to Title 28, Chapter 2 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended, including Section 28-2-90, and ReWa affirms that it will take any such action necessary to counteract such interference.

#### RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS' RESOLUTION

The above Resolutions, upon motion duly made, were passed and approved by the Board of Commissioners of ReWa at a regular meeting held on the 28th day of August 2023.

R. L. FOGLEMAN, JR., CHAIRMAN

ATTEST: