

NOTICE OF SOUTH DAVIS SEWER DISTRICT 2021 FEE INCREASE PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Trustees of the South Davis Sewer District hereby gives notice of its 2021 Fee Increase Public Hearing.

Date: October 29, 2020
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Location: 1800 West 1200 North, West Bountiful, UT
Purpose: To hear comments regarding the proposed fee increase and to explain the reasons for the proposed increase.

The District intends to increase the residential base fee to \$15.50 per month; the monthly fee charged to a trailer home will increase to \$12.50; and the increase to commercial, industrial and other sewer service fees will be \$15.50 per month per equivalent residential unit. The extraterritorial service fee (the fee charged for service to property located outside the District which does not pay property taxes to the District) will be double the fee that would be charged if the property were located within the District's boundary. Excess water charges will increase to \$.93 per 1,000 gallons.

This meeting will be held as an electronic meeting in accordance with requirements of the Open and Public Meetings Act, Utah Code Ann. § 52-4-207(4). Interested persons and the public may participate in the electronic public hearing via ZOOM and/or telephone. Please contact the District Office at 801.295.3469 during normal business hours for instructions on how to connect to the Board meeting.



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South Davis Sewer District 2021 Fee Increase Purpose

In 2014 the Utah Division of Water Quality (UDWQ), passed a rule mandating an increase in removal of phosphorus from all Utah wastewater treatment plant discharges effective January 1, 2020 (R317-1-3.3, Utah State Administrative Code). In addition to the new phosphorus rule, UDWQ issued South Davis Sewer District more stringent ammonia limits for both of its treatment plants.

These more stringent regulations necessitate substantial infrastructure improvements at both of the Districts treatment plants. The effect of constructing these improvements will be increased costs and capital construction and operation of much more sophisticated treatment facilities. The District has a long-standing tradition of fiscal responsibility. Even after the rate increase is enacted, customers of the District will pay an annual sewer rate that is 48% of the Wasatch Front average.

Note: Fees are per single family residential dwelling unit.