1	CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO				
2	ORDINANCE NO. 2008-3				
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5	AN ORDINANCE				
6	CREATING A NEW RATE SCHEDULE 10 OF EXHIBIT B, CHAPTER 25 SFCC 1987				
7	ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL CHARGE FOR ALL WATER SERVICE CUSTOMERS IN				
8	ORDER TO FUND WATER CONSERVATION PROGRAMS.				
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10	BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE:				
11	[Sectio	n 1.	A new Rate Schedule 10 of Exhibit B, Chapter 25 SFCC 1987 is	
12	ordained to read as shown on the attached Exhibit.				
13	Section 2.		n 2.	Section 15-1.3 SFCC 1987 (being Ord. #2003-25, §63) is amended to	
14	read:				
15	15-1.3 Poverty Exemption.				
16		A.	Qualif	ied customers shall be exempt from the following:	
17			(1)	Monthly residential sewer assessment and charges;	
18			(2)	Monthly residential refuse assessment and charges;	
19	,		(3)	Monthly residential service charge for water if individually metered;	
20			(4)	Yearly water conservation charge; and	
21			(5)	Monthly residential stormwater assessment.	
22		В.	In ord	er to qualify for an exemption, the following shall apply:	
23			(1)	The customer shall file an affidavit setting out the following facts:	
24				(a) The customer is the head of the household residing in the	
25			reside	nce being assessed; and	
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1	(b) The household's gross annual income does not exceed one				
2	hundred twenty percent (120%) of the most recent federal poverty guidelines				
3	issued by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.				
4	(c) The customer shall submit documents as required by city policy				
5	in order to verify income.				
6	(2) The customer shall consent to any reasonable investigation and				
7	substantiation by the city of the facts stated in the affidavit.				
8	(3) The filing of a false statement or otherwise fraudulently obtaining the				
9	benefits of this section is a violation of the Santa Fe City Code and is punishable pursuant				
10	to Section 1-3 of this Code and shall entitle the city to recover any fraudulently exempted				
11	amount and applicable interest penalties.				
12	PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 9 th day of January, 2008.				
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15	DAVID COSS, MAYOR				
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17	ATTEST:				
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20	VOLANDA Y. VIGIL, CITY CLERK				
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22	APPROVED AS TO FORM:				
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25	FRANK D. KATZ, CITY ATTORNEY				
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1	CITY OF SANTA FE - PUBLIC UTILITIES DEPARTMENT					
2	WATER SERVICES DIVISION					
3	RATE SCHEDULE 10					
4	CONSERVATION PROGRAM CHARGE					
5	APPLICABILITY: In addition to the charges set forth elsewhere in Exhibit B of Chapter 25					
6	SFCC 1987, all customers, except those that qualify for the poverty exemption set forth in					
7	Section 15-1.3 SFCC 1987, shall pay a once per year conservation program charge. The charge					
8	shall be included in the customers' April water bill. Multi-family service customers shall be billed					
9	on a quarterly basis. The revenue collected shall be specifically set aside to fund water					
10	conservation programs of the city.					
11	SERVICE AREA: Within the corporate limits of the city of Santa Fe, New Mexico and those					
12	areas outside the corporate limits to which service has been authorized by action of the governing					
13	body of the city of Santa Fe.					
14	<u>RATE</u> : The charge for the conservation program shall be the following:					
15	SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL SERVICE					
16	Meter Size	Conservation Fee				
17	5/8"	\$4.00				
18	3/4"	\$4.00				
19	1"	\$6.00				
20	1.5"	\$9.00				
21	2"	\$9.00				
22	MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL SERVICE					
23	Meter Size	Conservation Fee				
24	5/8"	\$8.00				
25	3/4"	\$15.00				

1	1"	\$20.00			
2	1.5"	\$50.00			
3	2"	\$105.00			
4	3"	\$150.00			
5	4"	\$305.00			
6	6"	\$525.00			
7	8"	\$750.00			
8	COMMERCIAL SERVICE				
9	Meter Size	Conservation Fee			
10	5/8"	\$5.00			
11	3/4"	\$12.50			
12	1"	\$20.00			
13	1.5"	\$32.00			
14	2"	\$65.00			
15	3"	\$110.00			
16	4"	\$200.00			
17	6"	\$285.00			
18	8"	\$350.00			
19	TERMS OF PAYMENT: The charge set forth above is payable within twenty (20) days from				
20	date of bill.				
21	REVIEW OF FEE. The governing body shall review the conservation fee every two years after				
22	the date of adoption.				
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25	Jp/shared drive/2008 ord/water conservation fee				