

BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT

BILL NO. 2013-23

(Changes the billing and payment of sewer service charges from an annual basis to a quarterly basis, and increases the amount of the fee for releasing a sewer lien)

This business impact statement was prepared pursuant to NRS 237.090 to address the impact of a proposed ordinance, Bill No. 2013-23, that would change the billing and payment of sewer service charges from an annual basis to a quarterly basis, and increase the amount of the fee for releasing a sewer lien.

1. The following constitutes a description of the number of the manner in which comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their responses and an explanation of the manner in which other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

No comments were solicited from businesses. The billing change is expected to have no negative impact and a possible beneficial impact on businesses. The increase in the lien release fee will have no across-the-board impact on businesses, the only impact being on those unidentifiable businesses that might in the future become delinquent

2. The estimated economic effect of the proposed rule on businesses, including, without limitation, both adverse and beneficial effects, and both direct and indirect effects:

Adverse effects:

Slight increase in lien release fee for businesses that become delinquent

Beneficial effects:

Potential benefit to being billed quarterly in advance instead of annually

Direct effects:

See above

Indirect effects:

None identified

3. The following constitutes a description of the methods the local government considered to reduce the impact of the proposed rule on businesses and a statement regarding whether any, and if so which, of these methods were used:

Not applicable

4. The governing body estimates the annual cost to the local government for enforcement of the proposed rule is:

No additional cost

5. If the proposed rule provides for a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount expected to be collected is:

Estimated at \$30,000

6. If the proposed rule provides for a new fee or increases an existing fee, the money generated by the new fee or increase in existing fee will be used by the local government to:

Help offset cost of supplies, postage and labor

7. If the proposed rule includes provisions that duplicate or are more stringent than federal, state or local standards regulating the same activity, the following explains when such duplicative or more stringent provisions are necessary:

Not applicable

Date: April 17, 2013