



Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR
AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Kerrie Romanow

SUBJECT: SEE BELOW

DATE: June 4, 2024

Approved

Date

6/4/24

SUBJECT: PUBLIC HEARING ON SEWER SERVICE AND USE CHARGE

SUPPLEMENTAL

REASON FOR SUPPLEMENTAL

This supplemental memorandum reports on the written protests received to date in response to mailed public notices regarding the Sewer Service and Use Charge proposed to go into effect July 1, 2024.

ANALYSIS

Public notices were mailed to 237,195 property owners advising them that a public hearing would be held on June 4, 2024, prior to Council consideration of the proposed increase in the Sewer Service and Use Charge effective July 1, 2024. In accordance with Proposition 218, customers were given at least 45 days to file written protests of the proposed rate increase.

As of Tuesday, May 28, 2024, the City Clerk's Office has received 596 protests in response to the Sewer Service and Use Charge public notice, which represents less than one percent of all customers impacted by the change in rates. Protest letters may be submitted through the close of the Public Hearing, at which point the City Clerk will provide a count of all protests received during the protest period.

/s/

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For questions, please contact Kat Estrada, Administrative Officer, Environmental Services Department, at (408) 975-2569.