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**AJO IMPROVEMENT COMPANY**  
**ACC DOCKET NO. WS-01025A-03-0350**  
**ACC DECISION NO. 67092**

**WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT RATES AND CHARGES**

**RATES:**

In Opinion and Order No. 67092, dated June 29, 2004, the Arizona Corporation Commission approved the following wastewater rates for Ajo Improvement Company ("Company"). Phase I rates become effective for all service provided on or after July 1, 2004. Phase II rates become effective on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month following the 3<sup>rd</sup> month after the Company's notification to the Director of the Utilities Division that ADEQ has determined that the Wastewater Department meets the standards required by the Arizona Administrative Code. Phase III rates become effective 6 months after the implementation of Phase II rates. Phased increases in rates are not applicable for domestic wastewater service to small commercial and municipal customers, restaurants with dishwashers, laundromats and car washes. Increases in non-phased rates and charges become effective on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month following the Company's notification to the Director of the Utilities Division that ADEQ has determined that the Wastewater Department meets the standards required by the Arizona Administrative Code.

Residential Service – Per Month:	
Phase I	\$9.42
Phase II	12.76
Phase III	16.10
Commercial and Municipal – Per Month	\$19.60
Restaurants with Dishwashers	\$46.14
Additional Monthly Commercial Charges:	
Laundromats – Per Washing Machine	\$7.33
Wash Racks – Per Rack	\$7.33
Customers Billed on Residential Equivalents ("REU"):	
Industrial, Commercial and Schools – Per REU:	
Phase I	\$9.42
Phase II	12.76
Phase III	16.10

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INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL REU TABLE: (1)

<u>Employee Range(2)</u>	<u>REUs(3)</u>
1 – 8	1
9 – 15	2
16 – 50	3
51 – 100	7
101 – 200	14
201 – 300	23
301 – 400	33
401 – 500	42
501 – 600	52
601 – 700	61
701 – 800	70
801 – 900	80

Notes:

1. The customer shall not discharge industrial waste into the wastewater collection system that requires any treatment other than that typical of residential waste. The Company may require customers that discharge hard-to-treat sewerage to install pretreatment facilities.
2. Number of employees on the payroll at the end of the month in the plant area excluding the mine area.
3. Based on the average number of employees in each range. One REU is equal to 10.625 employees working an eight-hour shift.

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SCHOOLS REU TABLE: (1) (2)

<u>Faculty, Students And Employees (3)</u>	<u>REUs (4)</u>
0 – 8	1
9 – 15	2
16 – 50	4
51 – 100	9
101 – 200	19
201 – 300	31
301 – 400	44
401 – 500	56
501 – 600	69
601 – 700	83
701 – 800	94
801 – 900	106
901 – 1,000	119

Notes:

1. Applicable to Curley Elementary and Junior High School and Ajo High School.
2. Influent quality restrictions same as for industrial customers. See footnote (1) to Industrial REU Table.
3. School populations for billing purposes shall be established at the end of each December and the end of each May.
4. Based on average users in each range. One REU is equivalent to 8 school users (faculty, students and employees).

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**SERVICE CHARGES:**

Establishment	\$25.00
Establishment – After Hours	40.00
Deposit	*
Deposit Interest	*
Reestablishment – Within 12 Months	**
Re-connection of Service – Regular Hours	25.00
Re-connection of Service – After Hours	40.00
Service Calls – After Hours Only	\$40.00/hour
NSF Check	20.00
Deferred Payment	1.5%
Late Charge	1.5%

**Asterisk Explanations:**

- \* Per Commission Rule A.A.C. R14-2-403(B)
- \*\* Months off system times monthly minimum per Commission Rule A.A.C. R14-2-403(D)

**TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS:**

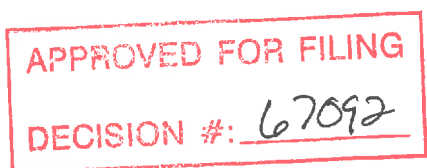
In addition to the rates and charges authorized herein, the Company shall collect from its customers all sales, transaction, privilege, regulatory or other taxes and assessments as may now or in the future be applicable to wastewater service.

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**RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

The Company has adopted the Rules and Regulations established by the Arizona Corporation Commission as the basis for its operating procedures. A.A.C. R14-2-601 through R14-2-610. R14-2-610 will be controlling of Company procedures unless a specific Commission Order provides otherwise.

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