

## CITY OF WASILLA

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## COUNCIL MEMORANDUM NO. 90-21

FROM: Public Works Director

DATE: March 7, 1990

RE: Proposed Ordinance 90-09

The City Water Utility regulations presently requires a fee of \$5.00 to be charged for service calls. That fee was originally established in 1980. The amount does not adequately reimburse the Water Utility for actual labor costs incurred on a service call. We believe that \$10.00 is a more appropriate fee except for after hours, weekends and holidays when the City must pay time and one-half. The latter times should be at the rate of \$25.00 per hour, one hour minimum.

The City of Palmer presently charges \$15.00 per service call, including delivery of "turn-off" notices.

Recommend Council introduction and adoption of Ordinance No. 90-09.

Robert E. Harris

Deputy Administrator