# CORRESPONDENCE

	From:		
	Sent:	Rebecca Abel	
	To:	Wednesday, February 28, 2024 4:14 PM	
	Subject:	PublicComment-AutoResponse	
		Oppose Sewage and Garbage increase	
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	Hello:		
	I am a Pasadena resident and homeowner at I oppose the increase in rates for sewage and garbage as proposed in the letter I received. The increases are tremendous and I cannot afford them.		
Thank you.			
ļ	Rebecca Abel		

From:

Sent:

Saturday, February 24, 2024 5:12 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Per your notice of public hearing, I am protesting the rate increase(Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure). My address is , Pasadena, CA. 91105

The rate adjustments are excessive.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Alden

Mary C. Alden Law Offices of Mary C. Alden

Pasadena, CA 91105

### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Bill Alexander

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 5:37 PM

To:

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Subject:

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We are the owners of :

Pasadena, CA 91105. We are protesting this rate increase.

You already tax us to death. Please learn how to adequately manage the exorbitant taxes you already assess.

Also, the process for protesting these rate increases is broken and could be considered discriminatory in nature. This should be on a ballot, not driven by a letter that is seemingly junk mail.

Sincerely,

William and Michelle Alexander

#### Iraheta, Alba

The Real Bev

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 10:25 PM

To:

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Subject:

Proposed sewer price increase

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I am vehemently opposed to the proposed increase. The City is here to PROVIDE service, not profit from something we are forced to use.

**Beverly Ashley** 

Pasadena, CA 91007

From:

EJ Assi

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 8:33 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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To Whom It May Concern,

This is email is regarding the sewer use rate increase. My name is Elie John Assi and my wife's name is Olivia Marie Assi. We live at \_\_\_\_\_\_, Pasadena CA 91107. We are protesting the increase and do not agree to the new terms of sewer use. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely, Elie John Assi and Olivia Marie Assi , Pasadena CA 91107

### Iraheta, Alba

From: Robert Atayan

**Sent:** Friday, February 23, 2024 1:42 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Hello,

This is Robert Atayan at

Pasadena CA 91106.

I am protesting the rate increase for the Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments.

Best Regards, Robert Atayan

From:

Ash Augustus

Sent:

Sunday, March 10, 2024 1:30 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Pasadena City Council,

My name is Ashok Augustus and I live at Pasadena, CA 91107. I am writing to PROTEST the implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments. I am OPPOSED to this implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Ashok Augustus

Pasadena, CA 91107

From:

Martha Avina

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:10 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Don't raise rates

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Please do not raise sewage rates and garbage rates.

We don't need to pay anymore money then we're already paying for these services.

Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

From:	·/ <b>○ 5</b> ···-···
Sent:	Saturday, March 30, 2024 1:34 PM
To:	PublicComment-AutoResponse
Subject:	Protest of Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments
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Dear Sir/Madam:	
	osed rate increases associated with the Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments sluate the proposed rate increases as they will be onerous for some residents of Pasadena.
Sincerely,	
David Axworthy	
Pasadena, CA 91107	
Email:	

#### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Garrett Bailey

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 12:33 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Fwd: CITY OF PASADENA PROPOSED IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE

ADJUSTMENTS/April 8 PUBLIC HEARING 2nd Request

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#### Sent from my iPhone

#### Begin forwarded message:

From: Garrett Bailey ·

**Date:** February 23, 2024 at 11:58:32 AM PST **To:** correspondence@cityofpasadena.net

Subject: CITY OF PASADENA PROPOSED IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE

**ADJUSTMENTS/April 8 PUBLIC HEARING** 

I PROTEST AND OPPOSE THE PROPOSED SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS AND NEW RATE

**STRUCTURE** 

Name: GARRETT L BAILEY

BILLING Address:

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Janet Patton

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Sent: To: Tuesday, February 27, 2024 9:12 PM

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PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Colle tion Fees and Implementation of Sewer Use Fee

Rate Adjustments

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#### Elva A Baker

Pasadena, CA 91107

I am protesting both rate increases.

Elva Baker

From: Jennifer Baker

**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2024 2:17 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** No Sewer Increase!!!

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How about getting our Electric Bill to less than \$1100 for using nothing! I vote NO on tripling our Sewer bill. Zero support on this Pasadena.

-Jenny Baker

From: marlis balogh <

**Sent:** Thursday, February 29, 2024 9:13 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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My name is Marlis Balogh. I own Pasadena, CA 91107. My account number is I am protesting the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and the new rate structure.

From:

Janet Barnes

Sent:

Sunday, March 10, 2024 9:48 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implematation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments & Proposed Refuse Collection Fees

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To whom it may concern...

Janet C. Barnes

Pasadena

Calif. 91104

I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment & new rate structure and protest the rate adjustments to solid waste refuse collection fee

From:

**TOTRESS BEASLEY** 

Sent:

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 5:02 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Oppose

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To the city of Pasadena

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I am a city of Pasadena resident I am low income. I oppose the increase on the sewage and trash bins. Please acknowledge my favor.

Thank you.

Sent from my iPad

From: Patricia Bedford <

Sent:Friday, March 29, 2024 12:08 PMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponseSubject:in response of sewer fees

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i received a notice of a future bill to pass to increase a rate adjustment for my property. I wish to oppose the bill for the upcoming hearing on 4/8/24.

From:

Karen B.

Sent:

Sunday, March 3, 2024 2:08 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Karen Biggerstaff

Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

From:

Laurie Bilotta

Sent:

Sunday, March 3, 2024 6:54 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern,

Our names are Robert and Laurie Bilotta. Our address is

Pasadena CA 91107 We protest the
proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. We are retired and on a fixed income. We understand
rate increases but this is unconscionable!

With great concern, Robert and Laurie Bilotta Sent from my iPhone

From: Jeff Bird

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 2:55 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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I would like to protest the proposed rate increase on sewer services.

Thank you, Jeff Bird

, Pasadena, CA 91107

From:

Remy's Bistro

Sent:

Sunday, March 10, 2024 5:56 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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NAME:

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS:

Pasadena CA 91104

From:

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 6:33 PM

To: PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Cc:** \* Rez Bitanga

**Subject:** Objection to Proposed Increase of Sewer Use Fee Rate

Brian Bitanga

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Brian and Reza Bitanga Pasadena, CA 91107

March 4, 2024

Pasadena City Council 100 N. Garfield Ave. Pasadena, CA 91101

RE: Objection to Proposed Increase of Sewer Use Fee Rate

Dear Honorable Members of the Pasadena City Council,

We are writing to express our strong objection to the proposed increase in sewer use fees. While we understand the need to maintain sewer services and ensure the financial stability of the Sewer Conveyance System, we believe that the proposed fee hike places an undue burden on residents.

Our objections are as follows:

- 1. Affordability: The cumulative effect of multiple fee increases over time can significantly impact households. Many residents, including seniors and low to middle-income families, may struggle to absorb these additional costs.
- 2. Economic Climate: The rate hike is not justified by the current economic climate. As our community recovers from pandemic-related challenges, burdening residents with additional costs is counterproductive.
- 3. Exploring Alternatives: We encourage the City Council to explore alternative solutions to address the city's budgetary needs without placing such a significant burden on residents. Creative approaches and cost-saving measures should be considered.

In light of these concerns, we respectfully request that the Pasadena City Council reconsider the proposed sewer use fee rate increase.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

From: Tina Blair

**Sent:** Friday, March 1, 2024 11:03 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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My name is Christina Blair. I live at

Pasadena, CA 91107.

I am a long-time resident of the city and am writing to protest the proposed implementation of a Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment.

Thank you, Christina Blair

From: Todd Blecha

**Sent:** Monday, February 26, 2024 8:25 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

Todd Blecha

Pasadena, CA 91104

I am protesting the sewer use fee rate adjustment.

From: Noa Bolozky <

**Sent:** Monday, February 26, 2024 7:05 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Noa Bolozky

**Subject:** Protest for implementation of sewer use rate fee adjustment

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#### Good afternoon,

My name is Noa Bolozky. My husband Ross Melnick and I reside at in Pasadena. I am writing to formally protest the rates indicated in the letter we received last week. The adjusted rates are quite high and pose something of a financial hardship. I belong to two industries which have been widely affected by events of the last year. Production, (a film and tv makeup artist) and real estate. I haven't been able to work in 8 months on set with the strike, and the incredibly high interest rates have sent my buyers scurrying. Bills that jump this much will have a profound effect on my wallet and my ability to keep up with soaring costs and no work in sight.

Please consider this our household formal protest.

Thank you for your consideration.

Noa Bolozky and Ross Melnick. Sent from my iPhone

From:

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Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:36 PM

To:

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Trash Rate

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To whom it concerns,
I definitely do not want my trash and or sewage rate increased!
It is already high.
Thank you for your attention to this matter.
M Bosted

Altadena 91001 Owner

From: Liza Bourounsouzian

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 5, 2024 9:58 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:
My name is Liza Bourounsouzian and I live at adjustment and new rate structure.
Thank you for your time
Sincerely
Liza Bourounsouzian

. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate

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From: Nathaniel Bradley · Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2024 1:42 PM To: PublicComment-AutoResponse Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments Some people who received this message don't often get email from earn why this is important [ $\triangle$ ] CAUTION: This email was delivered from the Internet. Do not click links or open attachments unless you **know** the content is safe. Report phish using the Phish Alert Button. Learn more.... Address: ' , Pasadena, CA 91103 Our household is protesting this rate hike. **Nate Bradley** President Performance Marketing | Web Design | Digital Marketing

From: Jennifer Brown

**Sent:** Friday, March 1, 2024 3:01 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Jennifer Brown at Pasadena 91104. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. With taxes, interest, and insurance rates increasing, I can't afford anymore in my already limited budget. Please reconsider.

Thank you, Jennifer Brown

From:

Margret Brown

Sent:

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 8:08 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Increase in sewage fees and trash bins

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I am a Pasadena resident. I strongly oppose the increase in sewage fees and trash bins fees, due to low income.

Thank you

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

From:

Kathryn Burns

t>

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 2:59 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Garbage and Sewer Rates

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My name is Kathryn Burns and I do not want my sewer and garbage rates raised.

From: Meredith Buyrucu

**Sent:** Monday, February 26, 2024 7:46 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementaion of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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#### To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Meredith Buyrucu and I live at speaking for The Canadas and Elizabeth Nganga who live at sever use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Sincerely,

Meredith Buyrucu

From:

Victor Caballero -

Sent:

Monday, March 4, 2024 12:23 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

Subject:

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

NAME: Victor Caballero

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS:

Pasadena, CA 91104

From: Molly Carey

**Sent:** Saturday, March 2, 2024 12:12 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject: FW: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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From: Molly Carey

Date: Saturday, March 2, 2024 at 11:44 AM

To: "coorespondence@cityofpasadena.net" <coorespondence@cityofpasadena.net>

Cc: "Carey, Joseph"

Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

Dear City Council,

I am writing to you as the homeowner of Pasadena CA 91103 to OPPOSE (we are AGAINST) the increased fees for Sewer use starting in July 2024.

We recently bought a new home here in Pasadena and the cost of living is not sustainable for the upper middle class, let alone middle class.

We have recently seen electric and water/sewage bills up to (and over) of \$2,300.00 for 1 period (2 months). The average resident cannot afford this.

In addition to the property taxes and other fixed living expenses are beyond expensive.

We have 3 young children (ages 6, 5 and 5 months) and while we love Pasadena so much, an increase in our monthly fixed bills — could result us (and many others) to move elsewhere.

Please, we are begging you — make Pasadena more affordable to live for young families!! If not, you will continue to see a migrant of residents to other neighboring areas where it is more affordable.

Thank you for your time,

Molly and Joe Carey

Molly Carey

From:

Amanda Cassil

Sent:

Monday, March 4, 2024 3:50 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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Hi,

I am a resident of Pasadena where my partner and I reside at . Neither of us will be able to attend the Public Hearing in April due to work schedules, however, I would like to register our protest of sewer rate hikes in July. If there is any other information you need from me please let me know.

Thank you,

Amanda Cassil, PhD

Licensed Clinical Psychologist (PSY26549)
Founder, STEM Psychological Services PC

Author, The Empowered Highly Sensitive Person & The Self-Care Plan for the Highly Sensitive Person

From:

Nathaniel Chan

Sent:

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 12:58 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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I am writing to protest the rate.

**Nathaniel Chan** 

Pasadena, CA 91106

### Gary W. Charpentier, Trustee Charpentier Deceased Trust

Pasadena, CA 91107-2233

Office of the City Clerk 100 N. Garfield Ave. Room S228 Pasadena CA 91101

RE: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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I protest the sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Gary W. Charpentier, Trustee

2024 MAR 25 AM 8: 05
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From:

John Chavez ·

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 11:17 AM

To:

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Subject:

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To whom it may concern: My name is John (Juan) Chavez at , Pasadena 91107. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. Please review your proposed fees and come back with more realistic and palatable numbers.

Thank you.

JC

#### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Jason Chen

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 7:01 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Hello city of Pasadena,

I am against raising rates for Sewer use, at least in the proposed rates for the next 5 years. I would prefer a slower ramp to increase rates rather than a huge jump in the beginning.

Thanks and regards, Jason

Pasadena, CA 91103

From: Michael Chen

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 11:26 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Michael Chen at rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Pasadena, CA 91103. I protest the proposed sewer use fee

Thank you,

From: Lanny Cheng

**Sent:** Thursday, March 7, 2024 11:23 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Proposed sewer fee rate increase /rate structure; solid waste refuse collection increase

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Dear Sir and Madam,

I received your notice of public hearing on proposed sewer use fee rate increase and new rate structure as well as rate increase on solid waster refuse collection fee. I would like to indicate that I am opposed to such relatively drastic increases in both rates. Please know that these are essential services and that you are a municipal utility. Upkeep for the smooth running of these services is essential. A conservative increase in rate structure need to be reviewed and assessed every few years which does not seem to have been the case according to your letter (in the past ten years). The rate increase is too abrupt and drastic.

Thank you for your attention

Lanny Cheng

Pasadena, CA. 91107

From:

cindy h

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 8:56 AM

To:

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Subject:

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To whom it may concern: My name is Cindy Chiang at sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. We need additional transparency as to why you need to TRIPLE the average sewer use fees for single family residences. At a time when inflation has soared and residents are severely burdened by increasing expenses, this non-discretionary expense should not soar by an astronomical - and frankly incomprehensible - amount.

Cindy Chiang

From:

**GINO CHILLERI** 

Sent:

Friday, March 1, 2024 6:01 PM

To:

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Subject:

IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS

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I hereby protest the sewer rate increase proposed for consideration at the public hearing on April 8, 2024 at 5:30 p.m. in the city council chamber in Pasadena, California

Gino A. Chilleri registered owner of property located at

, Pasadena CA 91106

From:

Chilk, Carol, LC-MR

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 8:58 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Carol Chilk and I am writing to protest the rate increase.

I own property at

... Pasadena 91104. My billing address is

Pasadena 91109.

Sincerely,

Carol Chilk

From:

Sent:

Friday, March 29, 2024 5:28 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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Dear City Counsel,

I protest the sewer use fee rate increase.

Sanguan Chow

Pasadena, CA 91107

# Iraheta, Alba

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	rates. This is with respect to  assideration Deborah Cohen Sent from my iPhone Deborah Cohen

From:

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 8:02 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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NAME: Nurit Cohen, PhD

ADDRESS: Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases!

Nurit K. Cohen, PhD Clinical Psychologist/Psychoanalyst

From:

Sent:

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 8:35 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

City of Pasadena proposed implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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I am protesting about the proposed rate increases - Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments.

#### Please confirm receipt of this email.

Randy Crossman

Pasadena, 91107.

#### Kenebrew, Jerice

From:

ALTON CULLEN

Sent:

Sunday, March 17, 2024 5:05 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Lvon, Jason

Subject:

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We hereby protest the proposed rate adjustment.

This is the weakest excuse for a rate increase I have ever seen! The decreased water usage was primarily for irrigation of which very little enters the sewer.

This is simply to generate revenue to increase the capacity of the system to accommodate new development without the developers paying for the increased volume.

Stick it to the existing customers who have made an investment in Pasadena!

Alton & Yvonne Cullen

Pasadena, Ca. 91107

#### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Mark Denne

Sent:

Saturday, February 24, 2024 2:36 PM

To:

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Wincy Ng

Subject:

Opposition to proposed sewer and refuse rates adjustments

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I write in response to two recently-received letters:

- \* "Rate Adjustments to Solid Waste Refuse Collection Fee", and
- \* "Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure".

In accordance with the invitations therein, I am responding by email to correspondence@cityofpasadena.net.

I object to both sets of increases as set out in those letters, and to the proposed alteration to the rate structure for sewer use.

I would like to attend the proposed public meeting schedule for April 8 at 5:30pm in the City Council Chamber.

Regards

Mark Denne

From: Jerry DeZern

**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2024 4:29 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure

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Pasadena City Council,

I am writing to **PROTEST** the Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure.

The proposed increases are extraordinary, and will present an additional financial burden to the already high utility costs in Pasadena.

Please do NOT approve these rate adjustments.

Sincerely,

Gerard DeZern

Pasadena, CA 91106

From: Margaret Dickerson

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Cc: Bcc:

Date: Wed, 27 Mar 2024 15:27:57 -0700

Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use fee Rate Adjustments I am protesting the proposed rate increases for sewer rates.

Margaret A. Dickerson

Pasadena, CA 91104

**From:** Darien Donner

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 5:45 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Darien Donner

Pasadena Ca 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

From:

**Ted Dupas** 

Sent:

Sunday, March 31, 2024 5:55 PM

To:

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Subject:

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# To Whom it May Concern

I am protesting the proposed sewer usage rate increase.

As Pasadena is now under rent control, I think it is unfair to increase the sewer usage rates at a time when cost increases cannot be passed along to the tenants.

Sincerely

Ted Dupas Property Owner

Pasadena

From:

George Eastis

Sent:

Monday, March 18, 2024 1:53 PM

To:

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Subject:

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I am protesting the proposed rate change Sewer Use Fee . For the last few years we as residents of Pasadena were constantly reminded to cut the rate of water usage. We did and now we are being told that the city needs more money. I had a need for a 'Bulk Removal Service' from my property. One man drove the vehicle, two other men loaded the idem while another man drove a separate city truck and watched the whole process. So four men and two city trucks completed the task that two men in one truck would have done the same task in the private citizen business! I am one of the top water conservators in this city. I believe the city leaders can find other ways of saving money so that they will not pass rate changes on the Senior Citizens like me. Thank You, George Eastis

Implementation of sewer use Fee rate adjustment

City clerk, We oppose the proposed adjustments to the water, sewer rates and charges.

Bert Paul F

Pasadena CA 91103-1941

2024 MAR I I AM 8: 02 CITY CLERK CITY OF PASADENA

> City clerk's Office 100 N Dar Field Ave. room 5228 Pasadena CA 91101

From:	Brett Fallentine
Sent:	Monday, February 26, 2024 8:27 AM
То:	PublicComment-AutoResponse
Subject:	Implementation of Sewer Use Fee

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Hello,

I am writing in protest to the sewer use fee rate adjustments. I do not wish to have my rates increase.

My address:

Pasadena, Ca 91104

Brett

From: Brett Fallentine >

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 5, 2024 9:00 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Sewer Use Fee Rate

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Hello,

I am writing in protest to the sewer use fee rate adjustments. I do not wish to have my rates increase.

My address:

Pasadena, Ca 91104

**Brett** 

From:

Ralph Frammolino

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 9:37 PM

To:

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Subject:

Protest of proposed water and sewer rate hike — April 8, 2024

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## To the City Council:

We are formally protesting the proposed rate hikes for water and sewer service that have been placed on the April 8, 2024 agenda for your consideration.

These proposed increases are unnecessary, punitive, and onerous. Please do NOT approve them.

It makes little sense for the Council to push affordable housing if it adopts prohibitively expensive utility rates that will unfairly squeeze household budgets and deprive current residents of their opportunity to live affordably.

Sincerely,

Ralph and Anya Frammolino

Pasadena, CA

Good day members of the City Council for Pasadena.

I address the April 8, public hearing, which I <u>protest</u> the proposal to increase sewer rates July 1, 2024.

The City collects enough from residents for Electric, Water , Sewer and Refuse. Please syphon from tax collected funds for low-income housing development or many other development funds like the 710 reclaimed land development proposals. Times are bad economically and this is another jab at home owners who worked hard to own and maintain their own homes. My makeup and hair union local 706 will not gain any ground in the present Studio negotiations, to increase our hourly minimum rates, as we are too crippled from the 2023 Writers and Actor strikes to protest. Film production has fled our city, state and nation for cheaper labor and tax incentives.

Please respect your Pasadena voters and residents. Burry this proposed adjustments to the Solid Waste Refuse Collection Fees.

Thanks,

Mark Garbarino (Family of four.) , Pasadena CA 91104

Registered voter and voted in the recent city and state elections.

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From:

R. Garcia

Sent:

Thursday, March 21, 2024 3:55 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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NAME: Rocio Garcia

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS:

, Pasadena, CA 91103

From: ileana --

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 3, 2024 11:59 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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#### **Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments**

I am protesting any rate increase. Please do no implement. Very hard for people on social security.

Ileana Garcia-Montes

Billing address: Pasadena, CA. 91107

Thank you.

From:

Nancy Garen

Sent:

Saturday, March 9, 2024 1:00 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I strongly protest the significant increases proposed for sewer use fees. It puts an undue hardship on many residents.

Sincerely, Nancy Garen

Pasadena, CA 91106

Sent from my iPad

From:

Jean-Luc Gauvreau

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 7:19 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Thanh-Thien Nguyen

Subject:

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## To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Jean-Luc Gauvreau at . I protest the proposed Sewer fee use rate adjustment and new rate structure. It is unconscionable for a rate increase of 150% when there is no increase or improvement of services. In the meantime, our property taxes went up, and the City raises all kinds of fees without consideration for the inflation and high prices we have to live with, making our paychecks less valuable because we cannot buy as much of essentials as before. The City Council and personnel must negotiate better for the tax-paying citizens of Pasadena.

Jean-Luc Gauvreau

From:

Sanaz Ghaffari

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 12:24 PM

To:

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Cc:

James Wong

Subject:

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Hi City of Pasadena,

We received a notice in the mail of public hearing for the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustments. We are property owners and ratepayers of . We oppose and protest the implementation of sewer use fee adjustments. Please let us know if there is anything else we need to do to make our voices heard.

Sanaz Ghaffari and James Wong

, Pasadena 91105

# Kenebrew, Jerice

From: Armond Ghazarian

Sent:Tuesday, April 2, 2024 5:55 PMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Name: Armond Ghazarian

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I am writing to protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment proposed by the City.

# Kenebrew, Jerice

From: Price Gilchrest

Sent:Tuesday, April 2, 2024 9:31 PMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Sewer rate fee

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I protest the sewer use fee rate adjustments.

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I reside at	I am protesting the proposed sewer rate in	rease. Marion Gomez	<u>.</u>	

I am protesting the proposed sewer rate increase.

Marion Gomez

From:

Maral Guarino

Sent:

Sunday, February 25, 2024 9:24 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Please reconsider the fee increase for sewer use. This letter is in protest to the proposed fee.

From:

sheryl

Sent:

Sunday, March 3, 2024 5:03 PM

To:

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Subject:

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## To Whom It May Concern:

I am responding to the Notice of Public Hearing to consider the Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure. I oppose any rate/adjustment increases for Water/Sewage and Sewage Management Services.

My home is at

Pasadena, CA. I am a senior Pasadena resident and taxpayer who has

lived in Pasadena for more than 40 years.

I already pay property taxes and fees for Sewer and Sewage Management services and **oppose** all rate adjustment increases.

Please do not allow the City of Pasadena to impose this rate adjustment increase.

Sincerely,

Sheryl Hammen

From:

Linda Han -

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 1:20 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

About sewer rate and refuse collection Fees adjustment

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The home owner is Hongjin Yang,

I am is Hua Han,

the mail address is

',Pasadena CA 91107

**WE ARE PROTESTING THE RATE INCREASE.** "Implementation of sewer Use Fee rate adjustment and city of Pasadena proposed refuse collection Fees and implementation."

At the beginning of the epidemic, everything is going up, and we can't afford it.

Hua Han

From: Hanson, Eric <

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 9:17 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

NAME: Eric Hanson

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS: Pasadena, Ca, 91106

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Michelle Harris

Sent:

Friday, March 22, 2024 8:59 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Opposed to the Sewage increase

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I am a senior and homeowner in the city of Pasadena for 26 years.

The increase of the sewage and bins will be a heartship for me, so I oppose the vote for the increase.

Michelle Harris

From: faisal haroon

Sent:Monday, March 11, 2024 11:10 AMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponseSubject:250 percent increase in sewer fees

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#### To whom it may concern

My name is Faisal Haroon, Pasadena 91107. It has been bought to my notice that City of Pasadena is planning to have a 250% increase in sewer fees. This is unacceptable. How can such a large increase be justifiable?

Thank you

#### Faisal Haroon

Death comes to some as a punishment, to some a gift and to most a favor Relax, make good bubbles, technicolor dreams And hear the bells ringing in the empty sky.

From: Sent: To: Subject:	KATHLEEN HASSETT Sunday, February 25, 2024 7:19 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse Protest Re: Implementation of Sewer Use Fe Ave., Pasadena, CA 91104	ee Rate Adjustments// 1710 N Los Robles
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To the City Council:		
I am the property owner of	Pasadena, CA 91104.	
I will not be able to attend the pu rate structure, so I am writing to p	blic hearing on 4/8/24 to consider proposed protest the rate adjustments and new rate st	sewer use fee rate adjustments and new ructure.
Thank you for including my protes	st at the hearing.	
Sincerely,		
Kathleen Hassett		
Pasadena, CA 91104		

Pasadena311

Friday, March 1, 2024 9:04 AM

PublicComment-AutoResponse

From:

Sent:

To:

Cc:

Email

Subject:	FW: Message from CSC Site from Holly Hawkins		
Good morning, We received this message from Thank you	n resident regarding the City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fee notice		
From: City Web <cityweb@city Sent: Thursday, February 29, 2 To: Pasadena311 <pasadena31 Subject: Message from CSC Sit</pasadena31 </cityweb@city 	2024 2:59 PM 11@cityofpasadena.net>		
Questions, Comments, Concerns	I protest the proposed increased rate adjustments to trash collection and sewer use. It is dis-proportionally high as it is. Please register this official complaint. Holly Hawkins		
Would you like to provide your contact information?	Yes		
Your Name	Holly Hawkins		
Phone			
	TO A THE CONTROL OF T		

From:

Chris Henley

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 9:20 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Olmos, Tony

Subject:

Protest sewer fee increase

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments protest.

91104

Please consider this my protest to the proposed rate increases

From: Joel Henriod

Sent:Monday, February 26, 2024 2:45 PMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponseCc:Carol Benesh; Tyler Hendry

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Adjustments

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Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Adjustments

Dear City Clerk,

On behalf of Dental Partners LLC, with regard to our property located at Partners LLC

It has come to our attention that the revised sewer use fees, if implemented, present a considerable escalation that impacts our operational costs significantly. Our protest is grounded on the premise that the adjustments fail to consider the financial strain on local businesses and homeowners in Pasadena, including ours.

We respectfully request a comprehensive review of these fee adjustments, specifically in relation to their impact on small to medium-sized enterprises. It is our belief that a more equitable solution can be found, one that balances the city's financial needs with the sustainability of its business community.

Sincerely,

Joel Henriod, Partner

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Pasadena, CA 91106

From:

Dave Herman

Sent:

Thursday, March 14, 2024 12:35 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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I PROTEST this rate increase.

From:

lleana H

Sent:

Friday, March 29, 2024 12:12 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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#### Hello City of Pasadena

I am writing this email to inform you that I am protesting the rate increases proposed in the letter I received for adjustments to the sewer fee rate and new rate structure.

My name is Ileana Hernandez and my billing address is

Pasadena, CA 91103

Your attention to this matter is appreciated. Thank you

Ileana Hernandez

From:

Charlie Hoecker

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 5:44 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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Charles Hoecker

Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

From: paula jackson

**Sent:** Friday, March 22, 2024 8:57 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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#### Paula Hood

Pasadena CA 91103 I am protesting the rate Yahoo Mail: Search, Organize, Conquer

From: Kathleen Howard

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 4:11 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Kathleen Howard

Pasadena

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

I OPPOSE the rate increase

From: Sent:	Rob Hunt Monday, February 26, 2024 1:34 PM			
To: Subject:	PublicComment-AutoResponse Water and sewage increases			
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Hello - where can I find information about the rationale for the recent utilities/services price hikes and the justification for the amount of those increases? The increases were so substantial relative to past that it substantially exceeds inflationary impacts, so I was surprised by the relative increase. I think we may want to explore outsourced, private options if the city increased budgets and costs are really so large to justify a 50% increase.				
Thank you,				
Rob				
Sent from my iPhone				
Sent from my iPhone				

From:

jodysgold (null)

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 5:10 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Olmos, Tony; Gordo, Victor; Márquez, Miguel; cityclerk; Hampton, Tyron; Williams,

Felicia; Jones, Justin; genemasuda@cityofpasadena.net; Rivas, Jessica; Madison, Steve;

Lyon, Jason

Subject:

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Joanne Jackson. I reside at

, Pasadena, CA 91103.

I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

From: Saeed Jaffer

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 2:48 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern: My name is Saeed Jaffer at ..., Pasadena CA 91106. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. The rate of increases is far too high and steep in too short of a time frame. Unacceptable.

From:

Donna Jensen :

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 9:46 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Please do not increase our garbage sewer water. Any rates everything is too high

already. Thank you.

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Sent from my iPhone

From:

Grace Jo

Sent:

Friday, March 22, 2024 3:35 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

gracejo@hotmail.com

Subject:

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Hello,

My name is Young Jo and my address is :

Pasadena CA 91107.

I am protesting the new rate increase proposal.

Sincerely,

Young Jo

From: Jackie Jones

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 1:28 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate structure

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I hereby protest against the Proposed Sewer Use Fee rate adjustments and new rate structure to take effect July 2024. I have been a resident of Pasadena since 1986. I am now retired and a rate increase would impact me.

Jackie Jones

Pasadena, 91105

Let nothing dim the light that shines within.. Maya Angelou

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Jeff Jones -

Sent:

Sunday, March 10, 2024 11:27 AM PublicComment-AutoResponse

To: Subject:

Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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Hello, My name is Jeff Jones and I am the representative of the Sweetwater Trust which owns the property at , Pasadena, 91103.

I am writing this email to protest any rate increases proposed by the city. Please respond to my email to acknowledge receipt of this email.

Best,

Jeff Jones

From: Jeff Jones

**Sent:** Sunday, March 10, 2024 11:31 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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Hello, My name is Jeff Jones and I am the representative of the Jeffrey Jones separate property trust which owns the property at Pasadena, 91103.

I am writing this email to protest any rate increases proposed by the city. Please respond to my email to acknowledge receipt of this email.

Best,

Jeff Jones

From:

Carol Kamoe

Sent:

Sunday, March 31, 2024 6:32 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Trash and Sewage hikes

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I am recanting my initial vote of no to the rate hikes and voting YES. After further investigation into the issue, I realized the necessity for the increase.

YES to the rate hikes.

Carol Kampe

From:

Chris Karageuzian

Sent:

Sunday, March 10, 2024 12:41 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Rate Hikes

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Please do not increase fee for sewer and refuse.

Everything is expensive enough, thank you.

Thanks, Chris

Sent from my iPhone

### Iraheta, Alba

From: Lindsey Keefner

**Sent:** Friday, February 23, 2024 4:42 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment - protest

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I would like to protest this rate hike. Doubling the fee year over year is excessive and unfair.

Please consider a more reasonable solution.

CA 91104

- Lindsey Keefner

#### Kenebrew, Jerice

From: Michael Kefalas

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 3, 2024 2:32 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To Whom it May Concern

I am protesting the proposed sewer usage rate increase.

As Pasadena is now under rent control, I think it is unfair to increase the sewer usage rates at a time when cost increases cannot be passed along to the tenants.

Sincerely

Michael Kefalas LBM Properties, LLC Owner

From:

Mike kefalas

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 1:37 PM

To:

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Subject:

IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENT

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Hello My name is Evelyn Kefalas and I am protesting the rate adjustment.

Address:

Pasadena CA 91107

# To: city of pasadena proposed refuse collection Fees

#### Pasadena Council

100 N. Garfield Ave., Room.S228. Pasadena, CA 91101

February 26, 2024

Dear Council Member,

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As a 55 year resident of Pasadena, I am OPPOSED to the proposed implementation of refuse collection rate adjustments. I am also opposed to the implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments.

I also share your concern about too much water usage. You can check my last year's water consumption and notice that I am using less water every month as I appreciate the need to conserve water. There is no need to increase rates

Cordially Yours

Janice Kelly

Pasadena, california 91103

City of Pasadena refuse Collection fees

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March 8, 2024

CITY CLERK
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Office of the City Clerk
"Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments"
100 N. Garfield Avenue, Room S228
Pasadena, CA 91101

Re:

Pasadena, CA 91103

APN

To the City Council:

I hereby PROTEST the proposed "sewer use fee rate adjustments and new rate structure".

Very truly yours,

THOMAS KEISER Property Owner

TK/t

Thomas Keiser

Pasadena CA 91103

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Re:

, Pasadena, CA 91101

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To the City Council:

I hereby PROTEST the proposed "sewer use fee rate adjustments and new rate structure".

Very truly yours,

THOMAS KEISER Property Owner

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To the City Council:

I hereby PROTEST the proposed "sewer use fee rate adjustments and new rate structure".

Very truly yours,

THOMAS KEISER Property Owner

TK/t

Thomas Keiser

Pasadena CA 91103

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From: ske

**Sent:** Saturday, March 2, 2024 10:24 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Sean Kennally at

Pasadena, CA 91101

I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Sincerely,

Sean Kennally

Pasadena, CA

James Kim

From: Sent: To: Subject:	JK Saturday, February 24, 2024 6 PublicComment-AutoRespon Implementation of Sewer Use	se
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Hello:		
My name is James Kim, h	nomeowner at	. I oppose the rate hike.
Regards,		

From:

Jo Kitchen

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 9:26 PM

To:

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Subject:

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I vote AGAINST this proposal. Raising a bill over 200% in 5 years is not acceptable.

JoEllen Kitchen,

., Pasadena, 91107

From:

Harlan Klipp

Sent:

Monday, March 4, 2024 9:14 AM

To:

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Subject:

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NO to the proposed increase sewer rates!

Harlan Klipp

Pasadena, CA 91104

From: Ketti Kupper

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 2:16 PM

To:PublicComment-AutoResponseSubject:Rate Increase Notice Protest

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I, Ketti Kupper, am the owner of the property at

91104..

Assessor's ID#

I'm writing to protest the rate increase "Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment and City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fees Fees and Implementation. That is an unreasonably high increase.

From:

Joan Lang

Sent:

Monday, March 4, 2024 1:51 PM

To:

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Subject:

fee proposal increase sewer

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I am protesting the rate increase implementation of sewer use fees and other fee implementations.

Joan Lang 1

Pasadena, CA 91105-----

From:

Sent:

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 9:49 AM

To:

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Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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... I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate

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To whom it may concern:
My name is Adrian Laska at
adjustment and new rate structure.
Thank you for your time
Adrian Laska

My name is Esther Lau and my billing address are

91107, I am protesting the increase sewer rates.

Esther Lau

From:

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Sent:	Wednesday, February 28, 2024 12:22 PM	
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:, Pasadena, Ca

From: Diana L

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 12:35 PM

To: PublicComment-AutoResponse

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Diana Lee

, Pasadena, CA 91106

I am protesting/against the rate increase of our sewer use fee

From:

Gary Lee

Sent:

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 9:47 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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March 20, 2024

Dear Pasadena City Council,

My name is Gary Lee at

, Pasadena, CA 91106. I have reviewed the memo

regarding proposed sewer use fee rate adjustments and new rate structure. I protest this proposal.

Sincerely,

Gary Lee, Home Owner

From: Nancy Leon

**Sent:** Thursday, February 29, 2024 9:13 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Sullivan, Noreen

**Subject:** Protest to Proposed Increases in Trash Collection Rates

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I would like to register my opposition to the proposed increases in trash/sewer rates. We have had enough increases to last a lifetime. How about looking at ways to achieve efficiencies INSTEAD.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Leon

Pasadena CA 91107

**Emmanuel and Cathy Leventakis** 

From: Sent: To: Subject:	cathy` Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:00 AM PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments	:
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We at '	Pasadena, Ca 91104 are protesting the proposed rate.	
No. No. No!		

We are protesting the rate increases.

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Adele Levitt Sunday, February 25, 2024 5:46 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments	
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Dana and Adele Levitt,	, Pasadena, CA 91105	

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Wednesday, February 28, 2024 9:32 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse City of Pasadena proposed implementation of	sewer use fee rate adjustments
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Hello,		
I would like to forma	lly protest the proposed rate adjustments to sewer usage .	
Sergio Llerenas  account #	aadena, CA 91107	
Thank you		
Sergio Llerenas		
Sent from my iPhone	•	

From:

B.R. Lopez

Sent: To: Sunday, March 31, 2024 6:45 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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City Representative:

My name is Beatrice R. Lopez. I live at increases for sewer use.

Pasadena CA 91107. I am opposed to the proposed rate

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Todd Lund

Sent:

Saturday, March 30, 2024 10:05 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Masuda, Gene

Subject:

Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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The Sewer Use Fee has always been based on the premise that all residential water usage goes into the sewer. THIS IS NOT TRUE, since water used for the landscape does not go into the sewer.

Once again, since residents are conserving water, you are proposing a Fixed Sewer Fee.

So the City is proposing the following:

- 1. Volumetric Fee: 86% increase effective July 1, 2024, 15% increase the next year and 4% 5% increases for subsequent years.
- 2. New Fixed Fee: \$6.16 effective July 1, 2024, 16% increase the next year and 4% increases for subsequent years.

I live on a fixed income and this rate increase is not acceptable.

NO SEWER USE FEE INCREASE!

Joseph Lund

From:

Jenifer

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 12:25 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To Whom It May Concern:

As the property owner at , Pasadena 91103, I wish to lodge a protest against the implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments currently being proposed. The rate increases are excessive. These proposed rate adjustments need further review and the City needs to do a better job handling what has already been allocated for these services.

Glen Lutz

From: Elizabeth M.

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 27, 2024 9:37 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Protesting Rate Increases (Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments)

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Hello my name is Elizabeth M
Public Hearing on April 8, 2024. However, I am against any increase and/or adjustments to our Refuse Collection Fees. We property owners pay enough taxes and more than our fair share in Pasadena, and we are not seeing a lot of results. We do everything right and are just trying to get by and we have to cover all the problems of everybody else and this needs to stop! Where are our rewards and handouts for doing the right thing by taking a lifetime to attend school/college, save to buy our homes, drive our old cars, and be involved with making our neighborhood better? People need to be satisfied with working hard and having a tremendous amount of patience by saving and not buying what they can't afford just to show off to others and because they want things now. Enough is enough and we (homeowners) are getting tired of always carrying those who make bad choices and are not willing to work hard, save, and sacrifice. There are better ways to find the money, and there is a lot of it. The city just needs to get creative and quit relying on the hardworking home owners to continually foot the bill. With all the taxes we pay, these rate increases are inexcusable! Both my husband and I are against any increases.

From:

Rose Malmberg

Sent:

Tuesday, April 2, 2024 5:07 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - Protest

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I protest the sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Rose Malmberg

Pasadena, CA 91104

From: Cassie Gardener Manjikian

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 8:37 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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### Cassandra Gardener Manjikian

, Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

From:

Edgar Maravi

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Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 11:27 PM

To:

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Subject:

Protest the sewer rate

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From: Nicole Martinez

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 10:59 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Cc:** Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

Nicole Martinez

Pasadena Ca 91104

From: Justine Massa

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 19, 2024 4:52 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

This is too steep of an increase, too quickly. Therefore I'm protesting this proposal.

NAME: Justine Massa

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS: , Pasadena 91103

Thank you, Justine Massa

Sent from my iPhone

From:

**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2024 9:19 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** "Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment"

TJ Mastros

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This email is a **protest** response to the <u>"Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment"</u>

My name is Thomas J Mastros My billing address is

Pasadena CA 91107

TJ

From:

Jolean Matsumoto

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 9:55 PM

To:

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Subject:

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To whom it may concern,

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Please do not increase the rate on My sewer and trash.

Thank you, Jolean Sent from my iPhone

Mauro, Stefano

Monday, February 26, 2024 8:29 PM

From:

Sent:

To:	PublicComment-AutoRe	sponse			
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Hello Pasadena City Council Chan	nber,				
I am a property owner and reside	ent of	Pasadena, CA 91104.			
I would like to state that I stand in Sewer Use Fee Rate/New Rate St			Solid Waste Refuse Collection and		
			cted, and other fees collected by your costs to our citizens should not be		
Please keep our costs low and fin Stefano Mauro	d savings elsewhere. Thai	nk you for your time.			
<b>Stefano Mauro, MHA</b> Associate Administrator, Regiona Keck Medicine of USC	l Radiation Therapy Servio	ces			
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From:

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Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 9:46 PM

To:

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Subject:

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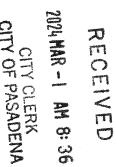
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Our sewer Fees CANNOT TRIPLE, not in 5 years or 10 years. People, regular people, not company head types, are breaking. Do not raise the fees!!!!

Barbara McCallon

Sierra Madre, CA 91024



Office of the City Clerk 100 N. Garfield Ave. Pasadena, CA 91101 Room S228

# Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

Sugar H. McCoundy

This letter is to **protest** the implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustment.

Sincerely,

Susan H. McCurdy

Pasadena, CA 91105

From:

greg mcdonald

Sent:

Friday, March 8, 2024 2:36 PM

To:

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Subject:

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To whom it may concern: My name is Gregory McDonald, and I have lived at protesting the proposed sewer use fee adjustment and new rate structure. The city has allowed for too much new residential construction, which is now overtaxing the city's infrastructure. Better planning and assessments, including notifications of the current city property owners that additional resource costs will impact, must be done before these approvals are given.

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From:

Karen McGuire

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 12:40 PM

To:

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Subject:

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To: City of Pasadena

From: Karen McGuire

91104

Although some increase in sewer use fees can be justified, the proposed increase is too steep especially with annual increases. The volume rate charge is especially unfair because it is based on water use, but the majority of the water, at least on my property, is used for the landscape and does not go into the sewer.

I am opposed to the currently proposed rate increase.

From:	Christine N	•	
Sent:	_	arch 1, 2024 8:10 AM	
To:		nment-AutoResponse	
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To Whom It May Concern	:		
My name is Christine Med	dley at	Pasadena, CA 91107.	
I protest the proposed se	wer use fee rate adj	justment and new rate structure.	
Christine Medley			
Pasadena, CA 91107			

From:

Fan Meng

Sent:

Friday, March 29, 2024 10:07 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc:

Jeff

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment - 1561 S Oak Knoll Ave

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From: Fan Meng and Jeff Brookes

, Pasadena, CA 91108

Re: proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure

Honorable City Council,

This letter serves as a written protest to the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

We understand that the rate increase is to cover the cost of maintaining the city's aging sewer infrastructure. However, an 85.7% initial increase on the Volumetric rate **and** a **new** fixed rate is too large of an overall increase. If the city could reduce the initial fixed rate to \$3.00 and subsequent yearly increases to 7% and the initial Volumetric increase to 7% and 7% per year in subsequent increases, we would be in agreement with this proposal.

Single family	Current rate	Proposed rate FYE 2025	Proposed rate FYE 2026	Proposed rate FYE 2027	Proposed rate FYE 2028	Proposed rate FYE 2029
Fixed	n/a	\$6.16	\$7.15	\$7.44	\$7.73	\$8.04
Increase %		600%	16%	4%	3.9%	4%
Volumetric	\$0.35	\$0.65	\$0.75	\$0.78	\$0.82	\$0.85
Increase %		85.7%	15.4%	4%	5.1%	3.7%

**From:** janice mercade

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 28, 2024 8:27 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Janice and jose mercade

Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

Re: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

To: The City Clerk

From: Laurel Merjil

Pasadena, CA 91107

I am opposed to Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments. And I am protesting the Rate increase.

I am not able to afford additional Fees because my income is below poverty level.

Sincerely,

Lamel & Mijil

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From:

Tom Michener

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 12:55 PM

To:

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I oppose the implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments explained in the city's notice of public hearing. The proposed increase in fees is too rapid an increase over the stated time frame.

**Thomas Michener** 

Pasadena, Ca 91107

From:

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 5:07 PM

To:

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Subject:

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I protest the size of both of these increases. I do understand that an increase may be necessary but they are both extreme.

Sincerely, Kendra Miller

Pasadena

From:

Carol Dinniene Mispagel

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 4:01 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Carol Mispagel

Pasadena

I protest the rate increase and new rate structure. The rates are too high aready! Thanks

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object to any rota increases

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From:

Jadja Najdziuk

Sent:

Thursday, April 4, 2024 2:02 PM

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### To Whom it May Concern:

My name is Jadviga Najdziuk and my billing address is OPPOSED to the proposed rate increase for sewer use fees.

7. I am

From:	Donna Nordstrom	>
Sent:	Saturday, March 2, 2024 10:25 PM	
To:	PublicComment-AutoResponse	
Subject:	Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjust	ments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Donna Nordstrom at Pasadena, CA 91107.

I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Sincerely, Donna E Nordstrom

From: TO

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 5, 2024 3:55 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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I protest the rate hike.

Tim Okamoto

Pasadena, CA 91107

From: Dana Olkkonen «

**Sent:** Sunday, March 3, 2024 4:08 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern,

My name is Dana Olkkonen and I own and reside at the residence at 1 , Pasadena, CA 91104. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Please consider this email my formal written protest.

Respectfully,

Dana Olkkonen

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From:	Ken Moore <	۱>
Sent:	Friday, February 23, 2024 4:06 PM	
To:	PublicComment-AutoResponse	

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Do not raise the rates.

You are proposing doubling of the fee.

This is wrong.

I do not support raising the rates.

Manage the city's money better and you won't have to raise rates.

Ken Moore

Pasadena, CA 91106

### Iraheta, Alba

From: Mario Moreno :.

**Sent:** Saturday, February 24, 2024 3:38 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: MARIO MORENO

Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Dear City of Pasadena,

I am writing to let you know I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustments and new rate structure. We are on a fixed income and the current cost of living is already a challenge in making ends meet.

My name is Mario N. Moreno and my billing address is:

Pasadena, CA 91106

Sincerely,

Mario N. Moreno

### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Perry Mulleavy

Sent:

Saturday, February 24, 2024 10:59 AM

To:

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Subject:

RE: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Dear City Clerk,

I am opposed to the proposed implementation of the new sewer use rate fee adjustments.

Thank you, William Mulleavy

Pasadena, CA

From: Thomas Murphy

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 6, 2024 4:25 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Regards,

Tom Murphy

From:

Peggy Names

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 10:26 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse; Olmos, Tony; Gordo, Victor; Hampton, Tyron

Subject:

City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fees

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To all those in charge of decision making in this matter,

I am the owner of a Bungalow Court located at sewer. I do not support these new fee increases.

. Pasadena, CA 91103. I pay for trash, water, and

These rates are very steep. As a landlord, I can't pass these increases on to my tenants who are the end users. It will come out of my pocket, decreasing my already measly profit. Oh, wait! What profit? Most landlords pay for trash and sewer/water. The regulations set forth by the newly formed PRHB, rents can only increase by 75% of the CPI. It looks like these utilities want an increase far greater than that. I object!

The very real consequence may very well be to have my tenants get their own bins.

**Peggy Names** 

Pasadena, CA 91109

#### Iraheta, Alba

From: Liz Nayebi <..

Sent: Saturday, February 24, 2024 10:50 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fees - PROTEST

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Hello,

I'm writing in protest of the proposed increase of sewage and refuse rates. I think this is ridiculous along with a lot of other measures that the City has imposed. I am not in agreement with this. The cost of living in Pasadena is already high and the additional taxes we pay for a poor school district along with other programs is ridiculous. The city needs to better control their spending and money and not at the expense of its residences or businesses.

Sincerely, Elizabeth Nayebi

Pasadena, 91107

From:

Nguyen

Sent:

Saturday, March 9, 2024 11:42 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Fw: Implementation of Sewer Fee Rate Adjustments OPPOSE

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I, oppose the proposed fees increase because that is excessive create difficult for with fix saving income like me.

Truly

Ann Nguyen

From: Thanh-Thien Nguyen

**Sent:** Monday, March 4, 2024 2:45 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

NAME: Thanh-Thien Nguyen-Tran

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS: Pasadena CA 91104

From:

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Sent:

Thursday, March 28, 2024 5:22 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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i do not want see a rate going up we broke

From: Johnny's Sport Shop

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 12:48 PM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - protest rate

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We are the property owners of 1408 Lincoln Ave and 1402 Lincoln Ave 91103. We are protesting the Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments.

Robert Ota Owner

Warren Utsunomiya Manager

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Johnny's Sport Shop 1402 Lincoln Avenue Pasadena, CA 91103

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From:

**Sent:** Friday, March 8, 2024 10:22 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Protest Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure

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As a resident of Pasadena, I strongly object to the Proposed Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure.

Jeanne Ouellette

Pasadena, CA 91104

From: Jeanne Paiz

**Sent:** Sunday, March 3, 2024 3:59 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** object to rate hikes for city services sewer and trash

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# Alfred and Jeanne Paiz Pasadena CA 91105

Cheers

Jeanne (BJ) Paiz

From:

CP <

Sent:

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 9:45 AM

To:

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Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - Protest

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To Whom This May Concern:

### Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

I am writing to **PROTEST** the adoption of the proposed Sewer Use Fee rate adjustment and New Rate Structure.

Homeowner: Cindy Pan

Billing Address:

, Pasadena, CA 91104-1012

Assessor's Identification Number (AIN):

Parcel:

Thank you, Cindy Pan

### Iraheta, Alba

From:

John P

Sent:

Saturday, February 24, 2024 11:18 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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Hi,

My name is John Pan. I am a resident of

Pasadena, CA 4

I am writing to protest the proposed rates.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers, John

From:

William M. Paparian

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 5:48 PM

To:

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Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment Fees

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# William Paparian

Pasadena 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment Fees OPPOSE the sewer rate increases

From:

Sally Park

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 8:58 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Sally Park-Au at rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Pasadena, CA 91107. I protest the proposed sewer use fee

Thank you, Sally Park-Au

# Iraheta, Alba

From:

David Parsons

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 9:13 PM

Sent:

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Subject:

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I Protest the changes regarding "Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments".

Signed -

**David Parsons** 

Pasadena, 91105

P.S. No justification for the proposed fees has been provided. No Balance Sheet, no Income Statement, no Cash Flow Statement, nothing.

From:

Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2024 8:43 PM To: PublicComment-AutoResponse

Protest City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fees and Implementation of Sewer Subject:

Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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My name is Janet Patton and husband Rick Patton

PASADENA, CA 91107

We are protesting both potential rate increases.

Sent from AOL on Android

From:

Yahoc

Sent:

Sunday, March 3, 2024 8:52 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Proposed implementation of sewer fee rate adjustments

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To whom it may concern-

I am writing to protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Erica Phillips

Pasadena, CA 91104

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Eva Ramirez

Sent:

Thursday, February 29, 2024 11:39 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Rate Increase Notice

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#### Eva Ramirez

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Hello,		
Milton Ramirez		
Pasadena, CA 91104		
I am protesting the Implementation	on of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments.	
Thank you, Milton and Nancy Ramirez		

From:

Ratcliff, James T (US 335N)

Sent:

Tuesday, April 2, 2024 5:35 PM

To:

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Cc:

Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel

Subject:

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

NAME: James T Ratcliff

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS:

, Paradena, CA 91104

#### To Whom it may concern:

While I'm not opposed to a rate increase in principle, I would prefer to see a more gradual increase, or perhaps a switch to larger fixed rate upon transfer/new service rather than such a large increase to existing customers over such a short time.

Regards,

James T. Ratcliff

# Kenebrew, Jerice

From:

Sent:

Wednesday, April 3, 2024 9:31 AM

To:

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Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - Oppose

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City of Pasadena,

I oppose, and am protesting, the proposed rate increases to the Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments which will be discussed at the April 8, 2024 City Council meeting.

Sincerely,

Lyn E Riemers

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### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Romi Rios

Sent: To: Friday, February 23, 2024 9:10 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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I am not in agreement with the purposed sewer increase, I disagree. Thank you for your time Romi Rios Sent from my iPhone

From:

Laiza Robertson

Sent:

Sunday, February 25, 2024 10:40 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Sewer use fee rate adjustment

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I oppose the rate increase in sewer. It is too high all at once. This should have been implemented slowly over time. A rate of over 100% can be disastrous for households on fixed incomes!

From: Anthony Robinson

**Sent:** Sunday, March 3, 2024 10:08 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Ue Fee Rate Adjustments

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We are in protest of the rate adjustments.

Pasadena CA 91107

Anthony Robinson and Ray Valubena

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From:

Matthew S. Rodman <----

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 3:18 PM

To:

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Subject:

Protest of Rate Increase - 603 and 605 South Lake Avenue

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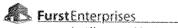
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We hereby protest the proposed rate increase of the Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment and new Rate Structure as contained in the notice of the public hearing set for April 8, 2024. Thank you.

# Matthew Rodman

**Furst Enterprises Group** 8955 National Boulevard, Suite 100 Los Angeles, California 90034-3307 Voice



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l live on the property on	Pasadena, CA			
I am writing this to the city of Pasadena to oppose the price hike that is being proposed for the trash collection and the sewage. I will be attending the meeting.				
Thank you				
Sent from my iPhone				

From: Jane Romano Sent: Monday, February 26, 2024 8:48 AM To: PublicComment-AutoResponse Subject: Implementation of Proposed Sewer Rate Adjustments [Some people who received this message don't often get email from earn why this is important at https://aka.ms/LearnAboutSenderIdentification] [1] CAUTION: This email was delivered from the Internet. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know the content is safe. Report phish using the Phish Alert Button. Learn more...<a href="https://mydoit.cityofpasadena.net/sp?id=kb\_article\_view&sysparm\_article=KB0010263">https://mydoit.cityofpasadena.net/sp?id=kb\_article\_view&sysparm\_article=KB0010263</a>. I am writing to protest the proposed sewer rate increases for the City of Pasadena. Given the already high rates, this increase is excessive and financially painful, especially for retirees on a fixed income like my husband and me. Our address is: Pasadena, CA 91104

Sincerely, Jane Romano

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From: Sent:

Thank you.

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Marianne Sunday, February 25, 2024 12:16 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments			
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To whom it may concern: My name is Marianne Rosa	do at	, Pasadena, CA 91107.		
I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. I believe adjustments should be made at lower amounts over a longer timeframe.				

From: Joel Roya -

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 12:50 PM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Pasadena City Resident\_OPPOSITION TO RATE INCREASES\_Sewage & Refuse:

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Greetings City Council Members/To Whom It May Concern,

I wanted to reach out to express my extreme opposition to any rate increases for either Solid Waste/Refuse Collection or Sewage and Sewage Management Services.

These increases do not outline any additional infrastructure, system securities, reliability, or benefit of any kind to the residents of the City. As a Taxpayer who is already paying fees for these services and property taxes, there seems to be no real need to increase the cost to the consumer for any reason.

Thank You for your Time. Sincerely,

Joel D.

From:

Elissa Ruiz

Sent:

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 8:05 AM

To:

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Subject:

PROPOSED SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS-FEEDBACK

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#### Good morning,

I am a resident of Pasadena for nearly 20 years now and I would like to express my OPPOSITION to the proposed sewer use fee increases. The increase is absolutely EXORBITANT and RIDICULOUS. It is understandable that over the years SMALL increases may be necessary from time to time due to rising costs however the proposal indicates that the fees would BASICALLY DOUBLE in ONE YEAR and then continue to increase year after year! This exorbitant increase is COMPLETELY UNACCEPTABLE for Pasadena residents and puts an INCREDIBLE BURDEN on all households in Pasadena, the majority of which are already struggling to make ends meet amidst the high cost of living in Pasadena and skyrocketing inflation.

If there is going to be any proposal for fee increases it absolutely cannot be such a dramatic increase on residents. I OPPOSE THE APPROVAL OF THIS PROPOSAL. It most certainly needs to be re-done with realistic and feasible (in other words SMALL) increases over time that will avoid bankrupting Pasadena residents and small businesses.

Elissa Ruiz

From:

evelyn ruiz

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 6:52 PM

To:

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Subject:

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To whom it may concern: My name is evelyn Ruiz at sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

pasadena,ca. I protest the proposed

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From: Virginia Rusk

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 11:59 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

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**Subject:** Implementation of sewer, use fee rate adjustments

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I protest the implementation of the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Pasadena 91107

Virginia McLain Rusk

From:

Kathy Russell

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 11:24 AM

To:

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I am strongly against this proposal.

I live at

Pasadena 91106 Katherine B Russell

From:				
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Dear City of Pasadena,

I am protesting the proposed rates.

Suzi Safarians

Pasadena, CA 91107

Thanks

Suzi

From:

Maria Salazar

Sent:

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 8:12 PM

To:

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Subject:

Protest rate increases for Sewer & Solid Waste Refuse Collection Fees

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We are writing to protest the rate increases to both our Sewer & Solid Waste Refuse Collection Fees. The rate increases are too high over the five year period. We are requesting a much lower rate of increase.

Thank you, Albert & Maria Salazar

Pasadena, CA 91107

### Iraheta, Alba

From:

josephrsaldana

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 6:58 PM

To:

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I am protesting the proposed sewage rate hike. Respectfully, Joseph R. Saldana, 91105

, Pasadena, CA.

Sent from Samsung tablet.

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Rebecca Sale Friday, March 1, 2024 11:32 AM PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of Sewer Use		
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To whom it may cor	ncern,		
My name is Rebecca Sale, Pasadena 91107.  Please note that I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.			
Thank you, Rebecca			

From: Armen V. Sarkissian

**Sent:** Thursday, February 29, 2024 9:46 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Armen Sarkissian

Pasadena, CA 91103

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment - I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

From: Jim Sarni

**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2024 2:59 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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# We are protesting the rate increase.

Our billing address is as follows:

Pasadena, CA 91106

This is being submitted by James & Rebecca Sarni

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From:

A Thund

Sent:

Wednesday, April 3, 2024 11:52 AM

To:

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Subject:

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# I protest the sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Stinmia C. Sasturain (property owner)

Pasadena, CA 91104

From: Maureen Schimmoller

Sent: Thursday, February 29, 2024 12:23 PM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

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I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

Maureen Schimmoller

From:

Sent:

Sunday, March 24, 2024 9:55 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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I am Protesting the Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

Ludwig S Schreiner

Pasadena CA 91107

Assessor ID

From:

Peg Schuster

Sent: To: Friday, March 29, 2024 3:53 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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I would like to protest the implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments. My husband and I are the owners of the home and property at Pasadena, CA

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THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF SEWER USE FEERATE
ADJUSTMENTS.
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From:

Schweers, Nicole E.

Sent:

Friday, March 8, 2024 11:44 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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To whom it may concern,

Me and my husband are protesting the new proposed sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Regards,

Nicole Schweers and Robert LaBrash

Pasadena Ca 91104

Account number:

From:	Shannon Hee	
Sent:	Sunday, March 10, 2024 1:15 PM	
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> Hello,		
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> We are not in favor of	of these sewer fee adjustments.	
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> Shannon Scovell		
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> Pasadena, CA 91103	3	
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> Thanks,		
> Shannon		
>		
> Sent from my iPhone	e	

From: Kenneth Shaw

**Sent:** Thursday, February 29, 2024 5:03 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To Whom it May Concern,

I (Kenneth Shaw) and my wife (Stacy Gamble), living at proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. These extreme increases in rates are outrageous...especially in this high-inflation environment.

Kenneth Shaw

From:

Patty Shaw

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 1:57 PM

To:

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Subject:

Sewer Use

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TO: correspondence@cityofpasadena.net SUBJECT: Implementation of Sewer Use

Fee Rate Adjustments

BODY: To whom it may concern: My name is Patricia L Shaw at proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

. I protest the

From:

Patty Shaw

Sent:

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 7:48 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

correction to address from earlier email

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TO: correspondence@cityofpasadena.net SUBJECT: Implementation of Sewer Use

Fee Rate Adjustments

BODY: To whom it may concern: My name is Patricia L Shaw at proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

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From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject:	Lucy Shih > Sunday, March 3, 2024 9:35 AM PublicComment-AutoResponse Bernard Ong Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjusted	ustments
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To: Office of the City (	Clerk	
Please accept these as years 2025 to 2029,	s three written protests, against the proposed rate in	crease for the sewer use fees, for fiscal
one for each of our s	ingle family residence properties in Pasadena:	
Pasadena, CA 91107		
Parcel No:		
Pasadena, CA 91107		
Parcel No.:		
Pasadena, CA 91107		
Parcel No (Assessor's	ID):	
Respectfully yours,		
Lucy Shih and Bernard	l Ong	

# Iraheta, Alba

From:

Sanjeev Sidhu

Sent:

Saturday, February 24, 2024 10:56 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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Hello,

I protest the sewer rate increase.

Sanjeev Sidhu

Pasadena CA

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From: Craig Sindici state

Sent: Saturday, February 24, 2024 1:37 PM

To: PublicComment-AutoResponse

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Implementation of Sewer Fee Rate Adjustments Craig Sindici

Pasadena, CA

I am protesting the rate increase.

From:

Eileen Slogan

Sent:

Saturday, March 2, 2024 2:12 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Eileen M Sloman

Pasadena Ca 91104

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I oppose the sewer rate increase! Sent from my iPhone

March 1, 2024

Office of the City Clerk Room S228 100 North Garfield Avenue Pasadena, CA 91101

From Calvin E. Smith Trustee The Smith Family Trust

Glendale, CA 91202-2030

Pasadena property:

Edwin Wards Replat of lots 1 and 2 and N 20 ft of lots 3 and 8 A F and lot 7  $\,$  And

Lots 6

Edwin Wards Replat of Lots 1 and 2 and N 20 ft of lots 3 and 8 A F of Lot know

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RE: Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

I am against proposed rate increase.

Sincerely,

Calvin E. Smith Trustee

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From Calvin E. Smith Trustee The Smith Family Trust

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Pasadena property:

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Edwin Wards Replat of lots 1 and 2 and N 20 ft of lots 3 and 8 A F Mills Sub Lots 6 and lot 7

And

5713 007 009

Edwin Wards Replat of Lots 1 and 2 and N 20 ft of lots 3 and 8 A F Mills Sub S 10 ft of Lot know as Private Alley

RE: Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

I am against proposed rate increase.

Sincerely,

Calvin E. Smith Trustee

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From:

M.A.S. 48

Sent:

Thursday, March 7, 2024 7:33 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

City of Pasadena Proposed Refuse Collection Fees; Implementation of Sewer Use Fee

Rate Adjustments

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To Whom it May Concern,

I am protesting the increase rates for the sewer use and the refuse collection containers.

Sincerely,

Mont Smith

Pasadena, CA 91105

From: Q Smith

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 5, 2024 1:22 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To whom it may concern: My name is Queen Smith, landlord at . Upstairs Unit, Pasadena, Ca. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure. I am the owner of several residential rental properties in Pasadena. The fee increase is too steep. The entire burden will be upon me as the new Pasadena rent control laws limits adjusting rents to share the cost. I stand against the proposed rate adjustment.

Queen Smith

From:			

Robin Snyder

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 3:44 PM

To: Subject: PublicComment-AutoResponse Sewage rates and garbage rates

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I recently received the notice of the Public Hearing to be held on April 8 regarding a proposed increase to my sewage and garbage rates. The proposed rate increases are significant and well beyond our means.

I do not agree with the proposed rate increases.

Sincerely, Robin Snyder

**From:** Stephanie de Souza

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 27, 2024 9:03 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject: Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment

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#### Hello.

I am protesting the rate increase, and do not think it should increase. Stephanie de Souza

From:

Jon Staff

Sent:

Sunday, February 25, 2024 9:21 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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I protest the proposed increase in sewer rate fees.

A near tripling of the fees over the next five years seems egregious. It's unclear how much this is costing the city today and also unclear how the increased revenue will be spent. Until those are provided, I will not support any changes.

Jonathon Staff

, Pasadena CA 91106

From: Shar Stafford

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 5, 2024 12:38 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Cc:** shar Stafford

**Subject:** Implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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Sir and Madam,

#### I am protesting the implementation of Sewer use fee rate adjustments.

We have done as you wanted and cut back on our water usage for several years now but the city has allowed huge building projects of apartments and condos thru out our city. These, if they are even filled, have increased the water and sewer usage dramatically. I agree that some increase is normal but basically doubling the fee is hitting all the homeowners, seniors and low income once again. The 5 year total increase would be 1 1/2 times what we now pay.

Please consider the longtime residences in this decision and lower the amount of the increase to be more affordable for us.

Thank you,

**Shar Stafford** 

Pasadena, CA 91107

From:

Patricia Stark

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 3:08 PM

To:

Subject:

PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of Sewer Rates

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments Protesting Patricia Stark

Pasadena, CA 91101

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From: Stacey Rain Strickler

**Sent:** Thursday, February 29, 2024 7:33 AM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Rate Increases for Waste/Refuse/Sewer

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#### Good Morning,

Please put me on the record to being opposed to any rate increases for either Solid Waste/Refuse Collection or Sewage and Sewage Management Services. These increases do not reflect any additional infrastructure, system securities, reliability, or benefit of any kind to the residents of the City. As a homeowner, I already pay the fees for these services in addition to property taxes, and there seems to be no real need to increase the cost to the consumer for any reason.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

Sincerely, Stacey Rain Strickler

From:

Lakshmanan Suryanarayanan

Sent:

Saturday, March 9, 2024 5:33 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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I own and live at

, PASADENA, CA 91106

I protest against the proposed increase in sewer rates.

Thanks

Lakshmanan Suryanarayanan

#### Iraheta, Alba

**From:** George Swihart

**Sent:** Friday, February 23, 2024 7:26 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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I don't see how you get the numbers in the bottom table showing the impact on the monthly utility bill. In the upper table under Current you show the average  $\frac{1}{5}$ /hcf is  $\frac{5}{0.35}$  for a single family residence. And in the lower table you show the Current SFR bill is  $\frac{5}{0.35}$ /hcf =  $\frac{13}{0.35}$ /hcf =  $\frac{13}{0.35$ 

Since it appears to me that the numbers in the lower table showing impact to the monthly utility bill aren't correct, I can't approve the proposed changes at present. If the numbers aren't correct please send out a revised notice for our consideration.

Thank you,

**George Swihart** 

My billing address:

CA 91107

From: Robert Thomas

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:27 AM

To: PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** implementation of sewer use fee rate adjustments

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I object to raising the sewer use rates

my address is , pasadena 91106 l protest against raising the fees for sewer use please do not do this

Regards

Robert T. Thomas MD

March 26, 2024

Subject: Proposed Water Use and Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments and New Rate Structure

To Whom It May Concern

I am requesting that the proposed increase(s) do **NOT** occur as they are very steep. I am a disabled resident with income from Social Security Disability and I reside at , Pasadena. The initial increase as well as subsequent increase amounts proposed are going to create greater difficulty in being able to afford the utilities that I am already having difficulty paying. Not having the ability to work, work over-time or take on a second job is very difficult in today's economy as expenses increase without missing a beat but social security income does not.

I thank you for your time and attention to my request.

Regards,

Lynn M Thompson

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McMillan, Acquanette (Netta)

Date:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 6:32:23 PM

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My name is Lynn Thompson. I'm a Pasadena homeowner and on a fixed income. The pending increase in utilities may seem minor to some but for someone on a fixed income, every penny counts. All expenses have increased and a rise in utilities cost will make it that much more difficult to afford food and my many meds. Please reconsider the increase. Thank you.

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

#### Iraheta, Alba

From:

Judith Toscano

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 6:50 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse

To: Subject:

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To Whom It May Concern:

Please be informed that my husband and I protest the increase in sewer rates and refuse collection rates.

Thank you for your consideration,

Anthony and Judith Toscano

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From:	Laurel Trzaskoma	
Sent: To:	Tuesday, March 26, 2024 10:04 AM PublicComment-AutoResponse	
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To The Office of the Cit	ry Clerk:	
My husband and mysel	f are writing to protest against the proposed implementa	tion of Sewer Rate Adjustments.
We do not want to see	the fees raised.	
Our address is	Pasadena.	
Sincerely,		
Laurel A Trzaskoma and	Stephen M Trzaskoma	

From:

Amy Wong

Sent:

To:

Friday, March 29, 2024 9:58 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Amy Tsang, the record owner of sewer use fee rate adjustment and new rate structure.

Pasadena CA 91107. I protest the proposed

Regards, Amy Tsang 03/29/2024

#### Kenebrew, Jerice

From: Gricelda Valenzuela

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 3, 2024 10:37 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - Protest

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I protest the sewer use fee rate adjustments.

Gricelda Valenzuela

From: Felipe Velasquez

Sent:Saturday, March 2, 2024 6:08 PMTo:PublicComment-AutoResponseSubject:Opposed to Sewage Rate Increases

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We opposed the sewage rate increases due to lack of explanation in recently sent notice. The rates will double of next 5 years without sufficient explanation.

Felipe Velasquez

Pasadena, CA 91105

**Felipe Velasquez , CPA** VP, Internal Audit OSI Systems, Inc.

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From:	BAVU
Sent:	Friday, February 23, 2024 7:29 PM
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Dear Representative,	
This letter is to inform the	City Council that I am protesting the proposed rates.
Regards,	
Ba Vu	
Pasadena, CA 91105	

From: Lynn Walford

**Sent:** Friday, March 8, 2024 10:57 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Vote NO "implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustment".

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I use almost no water and don't water my lawn but pay high sewage fees.

DO NOT increase the Sewer Use Fee!

Lynn Walford

Pasadena, CA 91103

From:

Jeanette Walton

Sent:

Monday, March 4, 2024 10:58 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Cc: Subject: Gordo, Victor; Olmos, Tony; Hampton, Tyron; Dyson, Darla; Márquez, Miguel Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

NAME: Patrick and Jeanette Walton

PARCEL OR BILLING ADDRESS: 1

., Pasadena, CA 91104

I am protesting the proposed refuge and sewer rate increase. A 174% rate increase for sanitation and another 243% rate increase for sewage seems steep.

Thank you,

Patrick and Jeanette Walton

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From: Sent: To: Subject:	Rand West Saturday, February 24, 2024 3:30 PM PublicComment-AutoResponse Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adju	ustment that I protest NO rate increase.	
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My name is Rand W. West.

My (2) addresses are:

1)

2)

I am protesting the rate increase for both properties I own. No new rate increase.

Rand West

From:

Donald and Sandra Westenhaver

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 12:07 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

PROTESTING-Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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Our household is <u>PROTESTING</u> THE SEWER USE FEE RATE INCREASE. Our parcel/billing address is: Don and Sandra Westenhaver @ in Pasadena (91107).

Thank you,

**Don and Sandra Westenhaver** 

From: Lily \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 9:09 AM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - oppose

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Lily Winn

, Pasadena, CA 91107

Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments I OPPOSE the sewer use rate increases.

Blessings,

Lily

"The way you think about who you really are affects almost every decision you will ever make." Pres Russell M. Nelson

From: Elaine Wong

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 1:34 PM

**To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments

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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Elaine Wong at adjustment and new rate structure.

, Pasadena, CA 91106. I protest the proposed sewer use fee rate

Sincerely, Elaine Wong

From:

lily wong

Sent:

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:46 AM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Proposed Sewer/Water rates

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Dear Pasadena Water and Power,

I protest the proposed increase of Water/Sewer rates July 1,2024.

Sincerely, Lillian Wong

Pasadena, Ca 91107

#### Iraheta, Alba

From:

cityclerk

Sent:

Friday, February 23, 2024 7:44 PM

To:

Iraheta, Alba; Jomsky, Mark; Robles, Sandra; Sabha, Tamer; McMillan, Acquanette

(Netta); Kenebrew, Jerice; Soo, Christine; Haskett, John

Subject:

FW: IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS AND CITY OF

PASADENA PROPOSED REFUSE COLLECTION FEES

From: Ardelia M. Wright

Sent: Friday, February 23, 2024 7:44:23 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada)

To: cityclerk <cityclerk@cityofpasadena.net>

Subject: Re: IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS AND CITY OF PASADENA PROPOSED REFUSE

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From:mailer-daemon@aol.com

Fri, Feb 23 at 7:26 PM

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On Friday, February 23, 2024 at 07:26:23 PM PST, Ardelia M. Wright

· wrote:

This letter is in response to two letters that I received regarding:

IMPLEMENTATION OF SEWER USE FEE RATE ADJUSTMENTS

AND

CITY OF PASADENA PROPOSED REFUSE COLLECTION FEES

My name is:

Ardelia M. Wright,

Pasadena, CA 91107-1306, Upper Hastings Ranch. I am in

councilman Gene Masuda's District 4.

I have been a resident here for over 45 years and have paid taxes and fees on this property for that many years. The sewer service and waste management has not been upgraded since I have been here. When I was working it was not a problem, but now I am on a fixed income. I have to pay someone to bring my trash cans up and down. I have had to pay someone to clean out the sewer. The city does not cover any of these costs. It says these fees cover the cost of operating the system, ongoing maintenance and needed capital improvements. In whose neighborhood?? There have been none of these in mine, so what am I paying for??

When the city's tree damaged my sidewalk and bricks on my parkway, the first time the city paid to fix the sidewalk. I had to pay to repair the bricks. The 2nd time a few years ago, they said "we don't do that anymore and you have to pay half." Half was over \$900.00. I had to remove the bricks and put in rocks because the roots are already coming back and I had to pay for that!! I asked them to remove the tree, because over time this is going to happen again. I was told that the tree was healthy, so they wouldn't remove it. I noticed another crack and they have just filled it in with black asphalt causing a bump that someone could trip over and who would be responsible??? What am I paying taxes for??

If they are going to increase the rates on the sewer use, then I want the sewer checked for cracks and cleaned out. That is what we are paying for right?? And if the waste collection fees are going up, I want new trash cans with my address printed on it, so I can find it when the rain washes it down the street. Also trash cans that don't have bear scratches all over them. They are over 20 years old. I am already paying for them!!

# I DO NOT AGREE WITH THE INCREASES ON EITHER PROPOSAL!! I AM PROTESTING THE RATE INCREASES ON BOTH PROPOSALS!!

Thank you for letting me vent. Ardelia M. Wright

From: Victoria Yeliokumson

**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2024 7:21 PM **To:** PublicComment-AutoResponse

**Subject:** Implementation of Sewer Use Fee Rate Adjustments - PROTEST

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Hello,

My family and I live at , Pasadena, CA 91107

We do not agree with the rate increases. The current proposal does not make sense to me.

Thank you,

Victoria and Nathan Kayser

Victoria Alexandra Yeliokumson

From:

Kathyguy1

Sent:

Monday, February 26, 2024 12:36 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

Protest of proposed sewer use fee rate increases - April 8, 2024 public hearing

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I protest the rate increases for the Solid Waste Refuse Collection Fee. The increases are excessive. For example, the 100 gallon cart rate increases 13.7 percent for the first year (July 1, 2024) and the Residential Bin pickup for one bin pickup per week is a 100 percent increase from \$124.70 to \$249.92 for the first year of the increases. The notification letter to residents did not specifically state what expense accounts increased to warrant the fee increase. I hope this will be addressed in detail at the public hearing.

Regards,

Guy Zelenski

From:

Sent:

Sunday, March 3, 2024 2:37 PM

To:

PublicComment-AutoResponse

Subject:

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To whom it may concern,

We are writing to file a protest to the rate adjustment.

Home owner: Ling Zhao, et al

Billing Address:

Pasadena, CA 91105

From:

Lorain Zielke

Sent:

Thursday, March 14, 2024 12:03 PM

To:

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Subject:

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#### I strongly protest the proposed implementation of Sewer Use Rate Adjustments

As a senior on a fixed income these continuous rate hikes on everything from sewer use to utilities to insurance and beyond are very challenging to keep up with. I'm not low income so don't qualify for assistance, but feel like I'm heading that way because of the increase in costs for basic needs.

Lorain Zielke

r, Pasadena, CA 91107

April 3, 2024

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Sincerety,

JOHN Alvarado

Pasadella UA 91104

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Joime BRITO

Pasaden + CA 9/104

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