

**TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 2024-01**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO,
AMENDING CHAPTER 13, ARTICLE IV OF THE PALISADE
MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING THE ASSESSMENT OF SEWER
SERVICE CHARGES FOR RESTAURANTS.**

WHEREAS, the Town of Palisade (“Palisade” or the “Town”) is a Colorado municipality organized pursuant to Title 31 of the Colorado Revised Statutes and with the authority set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, the Town has adopted regulations related to its sewer service in Article IV of Chapter 13 of the Palisade Municipal Code (the “Code”); and

WHEREAS, Section 13-88(a)(4) of the Code sets forth how service charges are assessed for restaurants by calculating the impact on the sewer system using EQUs which assessment needs to be updated as EQUs are being implemented by the Town as required by the Code; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees finds and determines that it is in the interest of the Town to amend the Palisade Municipal Code accordingly.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth in full.

Section 2. Section 13-88(a)(4) of the Palisade Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows, with underlined text added and ~~strike through language deleted~~:

Sec. 13-88. - Service charges assessed.

(a) There shall be levied and assessed upon each lot, parcel of land, building or premises having any connection with the sewer system of the Town, monthly sewer service charges computed by multiplying the EQU by the following factors to wit:

(4) Restaurants:

- a. ~~Twenty-four hour operation, 0.21~~ 0.08 times number of seats;
- b. ~~Twelve-hour or less operation, 0.14 times number of seats;~~
- c. Bar, no food, 0.04 times number of seats.


Section 3. This Ordinance shall be retroactively effective January 1, 2024.

**INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY
TITLE**, at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Palisade, Colorado held
on January 23, 2024.

TOWN OF PALISADE, COLORADO

By: 
Greg Mikolai, Mayor

ATTEST:


Keli Frasier, Town Clerk

