

**CITY OF SAMMAMISH  
WASHINGTON  
ORDINANCE NO. O2001-85**

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**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH,  
WASHINGTON, ENACTING THE INCREASES IN 2002  
STORMWATER RATES RECOMMENDED IN THE CITY'S  
STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN**

WHEREAS, the City Council is currently considering the final Stormwater Management Comprehensive Plan for the City of Sammamish; and

WHEREAS, that Comprehensive Plan recommends that the City enact a thirteen percent across-the-board increase in its stormwater rates for 2002, and consider annual rate increases of ten percent per year thereafter;

WHEREAS, this rate increase will be a significant step towards the City meeting its operating and capital requirements for 2002, and will enable the City to meet future debt service requirements;

WHEREAS, with this rate increase, the City's stormwater rates will still be comparable to or below that charged by most surrounding communities;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH,  
WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Increase in Stormwater Rates Enacted. The stormwater rates charged by the City of Sammamish as set forth in King County Code Section 9.08.070, which the City adopted by reference in Ordinance No. O99-17, shall be increased to all classes of customers by twenty-three (23) percent, effective in tax year 2002.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON  
THE 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF MAY 2001.**

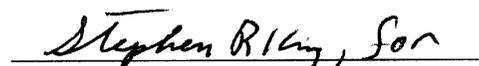
CITY OF SAMMAMISH

  
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Mayor H. Troy Romero

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

  
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Melonie Anderson, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

  
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Bruce L. Disend, City Attorney

Filed with the City Clerk: April 26, 2001  
Passed by the City Council: May 2, 2001  
Date of Publication: May 5, 2001  
Effective Date: May 10, 2001

## CITY OF SAMMAMISH CURRENT ANNUAL STORMWATER RATE

Description	% Impervious Surface	Rate
Residential (very Light)	≤ 10	\$104.57 per parcel
Light	11 to 20	\$244.03 per acre
Moderate	21 to 45	\$505.51 per acre
Moderately heavy	46 to 65	\$969.23 per acre
Heavy	66 to 85	\$1,237.58 per acre
Very Heavy	86 to 100	\$1,621.07 per acre