

Submitted by: Chairman of the Assembly at  
the Request of the Mayor  
Prepared by: Anchorage Water &  
Wastewater Utility  
For reading: AUGUST 15, 2000

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
AO NO. 2000 - 129

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 26.50 SEWER SERVICE TO PROVIDE NEW OR AMENDED DEFINITIONS AND REVISED TECHNICALLY BASED DISCHARGE LIMITATIONS FOR TOXIC POLLUTANTS, STANDARDS FOR SEWERAGE DISCHARGE, PERMIT FORMS AND PROCEDURES, SAMPLING REQUIREMENTS AND METHODOLOGY, REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, AND ENFORCEMENT MECHANISMS AND FINES TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW.

WHEREAS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO REGION X REQUIRE THAT ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 26.50 REGARDING SEWER SERVICE BE UPDATED AND BROUGHT INTO CONSISTENCY WITH THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY'S MODEL ORDINANCE; AND

WHEREAS, THE EPA REQUIRES THAT AWWU HAVE AUTHORITY TO LEVY CIVIL PENALTIES OF UP TO \$1,000 PER DAY, AND

WHEREAS, IMPLEMENTATION OF AN EFFECTIVE PRETREATMENT PROGRAM IS CRITICAL FOR CONTINUANCE OF ANCHORAGE'S 301(h) WAIVER AND PROVIDES A SIGNIFICANT SAVINGS FOR AWWU'S RATE PAYERS; NOW THEREFORE

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS:

**Section 1.** The Table of Contents to Anchorage Municipal Code chapter 26.50 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Chapter 26.50**

**SEWER SERVICE\***

**Part 1. General Provisions**

<u>26.50.010</u> [26.50.011]	Purpose and objectives of chapter.
<u>26.50.020</u> [26.50.012]	Definitions.
<u>26.50.030</u> [26.50.013]	Rates, fees and charges.

**Part 2. Rules and Regulations**

26.50.020	[CUSTOMER AGREEMENT.]
<u>26.50.040</u> [26.50.021]	General conditions of service.
<u>26.50.050</u> [26.50.022]	Prohibited acts.
<u>26.50.060</u> [26.50.023]	Specific discharge limitations.
<u>26.50.070</u> [26.50.024]	Compliance with state limitations on discharge.
<u>26.50.080</u> [26.50.025]	Compliance with federal categorical pretreatment standards.
<u>26.50.090</u> [26.50.026]	Dilution of discharge.
<u>26.50.100</u> [26.50.027]	Accidental and slug discharges.

<u>26.50.110</u>	<u>Operating upsets.</u>
<u>26.50.120</u> [26.50.028]	Notice of intent to commence <u>new or significantly altered</u> discharge.
<u>26.50.130</u> [26.50.029]	Control manhole.
<u>26.50.140</u> [26.50.030]	Utility inspection and sampling.
<u>26.50.150</u> [26.50.031]	Wastewater pretreatment facilities.
<u>26.50.160</u> [26.50.032]	Connection to sanitary sewer system.
<u>26.50.170</u>	<u>Industrial management practice plans.</u>
<u>26.50.180</u>	<u>Hauled wastewater.</u>
<u>26.50.190</u>	<u>Special agreement.</u>
<b>Part 3. Wastewater Discharge Permits</b>	
<u>26.50.200</u> [26.50.041]	<u>Requirement.</u> [INITIAL COMPLIANCE STATUS REPORT.]
<u>26.50.210</u> [26.50.042]	<u>Application Contents.</u> [DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR PERMIT.]
<u>26.50.220</u> [26.50.043]	<u>Issuance.</u> [PERMIT CONDITIONS.]
<u>26.50.230</u>	<u>Permit contents.</u>
<u>26.50.240</u> [26.50.044]	<u>Modifications.</u>
<u>26.50.250</u> [26.50.045]	Duration; renewal.
<u>26.50.260</u> [26.50.046]	Transfer.
<u>26.50.270</u>	<u>Baseline monitoring reports.</u>
<u>26.50.280</u> [26.50.047]	Periodic compliance status reports.
<u>26.50.290</u> [26.50.048]	Sampling requirements for user self-monitoring.
<u>26.50.300</u> [26.50.049]	Sample analysis.
<u>26.50.310</u> [26.50.050]	Confidentiality of information.
<u>26.50.320</u>	<u>Records retention.</u>

\*Cross reference(s)—Water and wastewater utilities commission, § 4.70.020; fines, § 14.60.030; public nuisances, ch. 15.20; wastewater disposal regulations, ch. 15.65; connection of on-site disposal systems to public sewer systems required, § 15.65.110; allocation of costs of sewer improvements, ch. 19.70; sewer assessments for connections, ch. 19.80; plumbing code requirements, ch. 23.25.

#### Part 4. Enforcement

<u>26.50.330</u> [26.50.061]	Emergency suspension of service and permit.
<u>26.50.340</u> [26.50.062]	Revocation of permit.
<u>26.50.350</u> [26.50.063]	Notice of violation. [; SPECIAL ORDER]
<u>26.50.360</u>	<u>Compliance order.</u>
<u>26.50.370</u> [26.50.064]	Judicial proceedings.
<u>26.50.380</u> [26.50.065]	Annual publication of users in <u>significant noncompliance.</u>
<u>26.50.390</u> [26.50.066]	[ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS.]
<u>26.50.067</u>	Right to administrative ruling.
<u>26.50.068</u>	[OPERATING UPSETS.]
	[RECORDS RETENTION.]

#### [PART 5. PENALTIES]

<u>26.50.400</u> [26.50.071]	Civil penalties.
<u>26.50.410</u> [26.50.072]	Recovery of costs incurred by Utility.
<u>26.50.420</u> [26.50.073]	<u>Criminal prosecution.</u> [FALSIFYING INFORMATION.]

**Section 2.** Anchorage Municipal Code section 26.50.01 is hereby renumbered and amended to read as follows:

#### 26.50.010 [26.50.011] Purpose and objectives of chapter.

- A. This chapter sets forth uniform requirements for wastewater discharges into the municipal sewerage system and enables the municipality to comply with applicable state and federal

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<b>1</b>	SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT <b>Amendments to AMC 26.50 Sewer Service, and AMC 14.60 Fine Schedule</b>	DATE PREPARED <b>August 3, 2000</b>
		Indicate Documents Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AO <input type="checkbox"/> AR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AIM
<b>2</b>	DEPARTMENT NAME <b>Anchorage Water &amp; Wastewater Utility</b>	DIRECTOR'S NAME <b>Mark Premo, P.E.</b>
<b>3</b>	THE PERSON THE DOCUMENT WAS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY <b>Kris Warren, Acting Treatment Division Manager</b>	HIS/HER PHONE NUMBER <b>338-3870</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>COORDINATED WITH AND REVIEWED BY</b>	<b>INITIALS                      DATE</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Mayor</b>	<i>W</i> 8/10
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Municipal Clerk</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Municipal Attorney</b> <i>Not Reviewed / Substance</i>	<i>8/9/00</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Municipal Manager</b>	<i>8/9/00</i>
	Cultural & Recreational Services	
	Fire	
	Health & Human Services	
	Merrill Field Airport	
	Municipal Light & Power	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Office of Management and Budget</b>	<i>8/9/00</i>
	Police	
	Port of Anchorage	
	Public Works	
	Solid Waste Services	
	Transit	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Water &amp; Wastewater Utility</b>	<i>8/8/00</i>
	Executive Manager	
	Community Planning & Development	
	Finance, Chief Fiscal Officer	
	Heritage Land Bank	
	Management Information Services	
	Property & Facility Management	
	Purchasing	
	Other	
	Summary of Economic Effects (SEE) attached	
<b>5</b>	<b>Special Instructions/Comments</b>	
	Thirty (30) day public notice requested <i>than 8/20/00</i> <i>ad in J No later</i> <i>7.B.3. Introduction</i>	
<b>6</b>	ASSEMBLY HEARING DATE REQUESTED <b>August 15, 2000, <i>Intro</i></b>	<b>7</b>
		PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED <b>September 26, 2000</b>

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