

HALL COUNTY SEWAGE FEE PROPOSAL

WILL COST YOU MONEY

December 29, 2008

South Hall Residents,

As the New Year approaches we all consider things that we would like to do differently next year. As it turns out our County Government is doing the same thing with our sewer rates. At the January 8th County Commissioner's meeting the county will be considering changing Chapter 13.10 of The *Official Code of Hall County, Georgia*. This new chapter changes the way we pay sewer from a flat \$42 rate to \$9.87 per ccf (100 cubic feet). While not in the code, there is also a plan that could add a \$7.26 charge to the bill for administration.

If you look at your last City of Gainesville water bill you can use the table below to see what your new rate could be (This does not include the City of Gainesville Rate change effective January 2009):

CCF Used	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Total Sewer	\$17.13	\$27.00	\$36.87	\$46.74	\$56.61	\$66.48	\$76.35	\$86.22	\$96.09	\$105.96
Total Water and Sewer	\$27.85	\$41.56	\$55.27	\$68.98	\$82.69	\$96.40	\$110.11	\$123.82	\$137.53	\$151.24

Can you imagine how high it will go once we can start to water our lawns again?!?!?

We ask for you to show up at the County Commissioner's meeting on January 8th at 5pm. The meeting will be held at the Georgia Mountains Center in Gainesville, 301 Main St. SW. For more details on the sewer issues, please visit www.vote4lutz.com/blog and/or www.votefetterman.wordpress.com. The January meeting is critical since we expect the Commissioners to vote on the proposal at that time and we will have a chance to voice our opinion again in that meeting.

We look forward to seeing you on the 8th!

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