RESOLUTION NO. 14-32

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ANNUAL INFLATIONARY ADJUSTMENTS TO THE RATES CHARGED FOR WATER SERVICES

WHEREAS, Oregon City Municipal Code (OCMC) 13.04.260 establishes the setting of water rates by City Commission resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon City Charter, Section 58 establishes that water rates may not be increased by more than three percent annually without a vote of the people; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 09-17 establishing water rates with an expiration date of January 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission desires to adjust rates annually for the effects of inflation so as not to unnecessarily burden customers with unpredictable large rate increases;

NOW, THEREFORE, OREGON CITY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Effective January 1, 2015, and annually thereafter, the monthly rates charged for water provided to each customer serviced by Oregon City shall be adjusted to account for inflation in an amount not to exceed 3 percent.

Approved and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Commission held on the 3rd day of December, 2014.

DOUG NEELEY, Mayor

Attested to this 3rd day of December 2014:

Nancy Ide, City Recorder

Approved as to legal sufficiency:

City Attorney