

# City of Santa Rosa



## Legislation Details

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**Type:** CC- Public Hearing      **Status:** Agenda Ready  
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**On agenda:** 9/17/2018      **Final action:**  
**Title:** PUBLIC HEARING - PLACEMENT OF ANNUAL STORM WATER ENTERPRISE CHARGES ON THE SONOMA COUNTY PROPERTY TAX ROLL UNLESS THOSE CHARGES DO NOT MEET THE COUNTY MINIMUM OF \$10 AND/OR PARCEL OWNER CONTACT INFORMATION IS KNOWN TO BE INCORRECT

**BACKGROUND:** The City of Santa Rosa was required under the federal Clean Water Act to obtain and comply with a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges from the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (Storm Water Permit). To comply with permit requirements and to control and reduce flooding, property damage, erosion, and storm water quality degradation in the City, the Council, in 1996, added Title 16 to the City Code, which created a Storm Water Enterprise and Utility ("Storm Water Enterprise") as an agency of the City. Under Title 16, the City Council was authorized to prescribe and collect charges (special assessments) for the services and facilities of the enterprise. The Council's intention to collect the Storm Water Enterprise charges on the Sonoma County Property Tax Roll was stated in Resolution 22880, which levied the annual charges.

**RECOMMENDATION:** It is recommended by the Water Department that the Council, by resolution, adopt by 2/3 vote the Storm Water Enterprise Charge Report and approve placement of the Storm Water Enterprise charges on the Sonoma County Property Tax Roll to be collected by the Sonoma County Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector at the same time and in the same manner as Sonoma County property taxes are collected, unless those charges do not meet the County minimum of \$10 and/or parcel owner contact information is known to be incorrect.

**Sponsors:** Water

**Indexes:** Not a Project

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. Staff Report, 2. Resolution, 3. Presentation, 4. Public Hearing Notice

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
9/17/2018	1	City Council	to waive reading of the text and adopt	Pass