

**ORDINANCE NO. 4
SERIES 2008**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GUNNISON
AMENDING THE RATES TO BE CHARGED BY THE CITY OF GUNNISON
ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT FOR ELECTRICITY CONSUMED.**

WHEREAS, Section 40-3.5-102, Colorado Revised Statutes, vests the power and authority to set rates and charges for electrical service in the City Council for electrical service provided within the authorized service area of the City of Gunnison Electric Department;

WHEREAS, Section 9.2 of the City of Gunnison Municipal Home Rule Charter requires that the City Council set rates for electrical service by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Section 9.2 of the City of Gunnison Municipal Home Rule Charter requires that said rates be at least sufficient to pay the costs of operation and maintenance of the City's electrical system, interest and principal of all bonds payable from the revenues thereof, and to replace, when necessary, obsolete components thereof; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Gunnison has, after public notice as required by Section 40-3.5-104, Colorado Revised Statutes, held a public hearing upon the amended rates contained herein on December 16, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Gunnison has considered the current electrical service rates and charges, and has determined that a change in the electrical service rates and charges is necessary;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GUNNISON,
COLORADO, ORDAINS THAT:**

Section 1. The electrical rates as set forth in Section 12.40.020(A), Rate Tables, Electrical Rates, of the City Code of the City of Gunnison, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Electrical Rates	Proposed/2009	Current/2008
Residential:		
Monthly Service Charge		
Flat Rate	\$ 5.84	\$5.20
Time of Day Rate	\$12.23	\$10.92
Usage Charge		
Flat Rate	\$ 0.07039/kWh	\$0.06285/kWh
Time of Day Rate		
On-Peak	\$ 0.08771/kWh*	\$0.07831/kWh*
Off-Peak	\$ 0.03089/kWh*	\$0.02758/kWh*
Commercial:		
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 5.84	\$5.20
Usage Charge	\$ 0.06623/kWh	\$0.05913/kWh
City Government Service:		
Monthly Service Charge	\$ 5.84	\$5.20
Usage Charge	\$ 0.06623/kWh	\$0.05984/kWh
Western State College:		
Monthly Service Charge	\$26.01	\$26.01
Usage Charge	\$ 0.04537/kWh	\$0.04051/kWh
Demand Charge	\$ 5.58/kW	\$4.98/kW

Contract Lights: Monthly Charge	\$ 7.00/fixture	\$6.24/fixture
Wind Power Attributes	\$ 1.70/100kWh per month added to usage charge**	\$ 1.70/100kWh per month added to usage charge**

Section 2. The rates and charges set forth herein shall be effective as of January 1, 2008, and thereafter.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED this 11th day of November, on first reading, and introduced, read, and adopted on second and final reading this 16th day of December, 2008.

Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

City Clerk

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