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### News Release

## Water and Sewer Rates Ordinance to be Considered Again by Board on Feb. 20

**February 8, 2012, Monroe, NC** – The Union County Board of Commissioners on Monday voted 3-2 to adopt an ordinance setting charges, fees, rates and deposits for Union County water and sewer system customers for the next three years. However, since the vote was not unanimous, the item must be considered again by commissioners at their Feb. 20 meeting.

According to N.C. General Statute 153A-45, to be adopted at the meeting at which it is first introduced, an ordinance must receive the approval of all members of the board of commissioners. If the ordinance is approved by the majority of commissioners voting but not all members of the board, the ordinance will be considered at the next regular meeting of the board. If then or at any time within 100 days of the introduction of the ordinance it receives a majority of the votes cast, the ordinance is adopted.

For more information about the proposed ordinance, visit the Union County website at [www.unioncountync.us](http://www.unioncountync.us).

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