COUNTY OF ERIE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING
DIVISION OF SEWERAGE MANAGEMNT
*** * MEMORANDUM * ***

FROM: Matt A. Salah, P.E. Senior Coord. Sewer Construction Projects
TO: Angela M. Horton, Secretary, ECSD 2 Board of Managers
David C. Millar, Secretary, ECSD 3 Board of Managers
Thomas M. Batt, Secretary, ECSD 4 Board of Managers
Kevin Zynda, Secretary, ECSD 5 Board of Managers
James A. Carr, Secretary, ECSD 6 Board of Managers
Garry S. Pecak, Secretary, ECSD 8 Board of Managers
DATE: September 24, 2015
RE: 2016 User Charges

Please place the attached resolution on the next Board of Managers agenda for approval.

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Encl.

cc: J. Fiegl/0.4.2.User Charges 2016
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Item 5(e)(ii)

ERIE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT NO. 4
USER CHARGE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Erie County Sewer District No. 4 has submitted and has received approval of their User Charge System from E.P.A.;

WHEREAS, a formula has been established, a system of rates established and collection of said charges was initiated for a surcharge of flow and pollutants in 1981;

WHEREAS, from time to time, Out-of-District Customer Agreements are negotiated with certain property owners to provide sewer service to properties outside of the Sewer District;

WHEREAS, after public notice in the official County newspapers, a public hearing to discuss the user charges was held on September 24, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Managers for Erie County Sewer District No. 4 did at their meeting of October 7, 2015 review and approve new rates for the 2016 budget year as follows:

Flow (water use):	$ 2.45 /1000 gallons
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD_5)	$ 0.1649 /lb.
Suspended Solids (SS):	$ 0.2045 /lb.
Phosphorous (P):	$ 0.039 /lb.
Waste Hauler	$ N/A /1000 gallons
Flat Usage Charge	$ 180.00/$180.75 *Village of Depew only

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Board of Managers for Erie County Sewer District No. 4 does hereby agree to adopt the aforementioned system of user charges more fully defined as the system of charges approved by the E.P.A. pursuant to Section 266 of the County Law; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the user charge for flow will be based on water use unless the property owner(s) can substantiate actual sewage volumes; and be it further

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 266, Out-of-District Customers be assessed sewer charges as if the properties were located within the Sewer District using the same system of charges assessed against properties within the Sewer District; and be it further

RESOLVED, that it is determined the collection of such revenues shall be in the same manner and fashion as the regular sewer district tax bills collected pursuant to Section 271 of the County Law with the existing tax bill; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature be directed to request the Director of Budget and Management to collect said user charges from subject properties and parcels of land at the same time as the regular tax bills for the Sewer District and the County are collected.

MOVED BY: _____
SECONDED BY:_____
APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:_____
DATE:_____

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THOMAS M. BATT, P.E.
SECRETARY

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c: 4.4.2.User Charge

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