



Office of the City Manager

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City Council Approves Utility Bill Relief Program

OCTOBER 9, 2020 – KODIAK – At the regular meeting on October 8, 2020, the City Council unanimously approved a resolution that will credit water and sewer utility accounts in the amount of \$500.00 for each household and business customer that applies.

In recognition of the economic hardship that the Coronavirus pandemic has had on community residents, the Council directed the City Manager to use CARES Act funding to cover the approximately \$1.33M utility relief credit program. The utility bill relief arrived on the heels of the Small Business Emergency Grant program that the City Council approved in June 2020 for \$3.0M.

“It’s extremely important that the City make these commitments to our emergency health response, including stepping up to help families and businesses who have been impacted during this pandemic” stated Mayor Pat Branson. “The City understands the economic hardships and burdens many families are facing and this investment will allow us to continue to help people during these unprecedented times.”

Beginning today, the Water and Sewer Utility Relief Program Application will be available and customers are encouraged to apply as soon as possible. Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on December 4, 2020.

Have questions? Or want to fill out an application? Click [here](#)

If you have any questions regarding this press release, please contact Josie Bahnke, Deputy City Manager at 907.486.8640.

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