## CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS ORDINANCE NO. 16-11

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS APPROVING THE PETITION OF BONITA SPRINGS UTILITIES, INC., MODIFYING ITS WASTEWATER TARIFF TO APPROVE A SPECIAL SERVICE CHARGE FOR THE FOREST MERE AND SPRING LAKES SUBDIVISIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, BONITA SPRINGS UTILITIES, INC. ("BSU") provides water and wastewater service within and outside the City of Bonita Springs pursuant to that certain Franchise Agreement By, Between And Among Bonita Springs Utilities, Inc., The City of Bonita Springs, Florida, and Lee County, Florida ("Franchise"); and,

WHEREAS, on June 23, 2016 the City of Bonita Springs received the Petition dated June 23, 2016 from BSU, revised July 8, 2016, to amend its Tariff for special service charges to the Forest Mere and Spring Lakes Subdivisions, which Petition was accepted by the City Council at its regular meeting of August 3, 2016; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council has set the said Petition for a public hearing on July 20, 2016, at 9:00 a.m., and caused due notice thereof to be published in the Fort Myers News-Press, a copies of which said notice are on file with the City Clerk; and,

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on August 3, 2016, in the City Council Chambers, Bonita Springs, Florida, at which time BSU presented evidence and testimony in support of its Petition, and all interested parties were permitted to address the Board and to make a statement of record, and the Board, after being fully advised in the premises, makes the following determinations:

## NOW THEREFORE, the City of Bonita Springs herby Ordains:

- The revised Water and Wastewater Tariffs, to include a special service charge to the Forest Mere and Spring Lakes Subdivisions, as proposed by BSU in its Petition, is hereby approved and granted.
- 2. The provisions of this Ordinance shall take effect 30 days following its adoption by the City Council by official vote at the conclusion of the public hearing.

AUTHENTICATION: Mayor APPROVED AS TO FORM: City Attorney Vote: DeWitt Aye Aye Quaremba **Forbes** Aye Simmons Aye Slachta Gibson Aye Aye O'Flinn Absent

DULY PASSED AND ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Bonita

Springs, Lee County, Florida, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2016.

Date filed with City Clerk: