## RESOLUTION NO. 567

A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF POLSON, LAKE COUNTY, MONTANA, TO EFFECTUATE A ONE PERCENT (1%) INCREASE IN THE CURRENT WATER RATES AND A SIX PERCENT (6%) INCREASE IN THE CURRENT SEWER RATES, INCLUDING MINIMUM AND CONNECTING CHARGES.

WHEREAS, it is required by State law that the rates and charges for the services and facilities of the municipal water and sewer shall be sufficient to provide income and revenues adequate for payment of the reasonable expense of operation and maintenance and for depreciation and replacement of said systems; and

WHEREAS, the above-described costs and expenses of operating said systems are increasing; and

WHEREAS, a rate and charge increase of one percent (1%) for water and six percent (6%) for sewer is sufficient to help defray these increasing costs and is not subject to review by the Public Service Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Polson, Lake County, Montana:

That it is advisable for the City of Polson to take affirmative steps to effectuate a one percent (1%) increase in water rates and connection charges and a six percent (6%) increase in sewer rates and connection charges. These proposed increases shall apply to residential and commercial rates and charges. A public hearing upon this Resolution shall be held to consider the proposed increase, after which a final decision shall be made within thirty (30) days.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 5th day of August, 1991.

James W. Jones

Mayor

ATTEST:

Jayne Devlin City Clerk