## RESOLUTION NO. 576

A RESOLUTION TO IMPLEMENT AN ANNUAL FUNDING FEE FOR THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY PROGRAM (PWSP).

WHEREAS, the 1991 Legislature authorized the Department of Health and Environmental Sciences to assess fees for funding of the PWSP; and

WHEREAS, on November 15, 1991, the Board of Health and Environmental Sciences approved the PWSP to assess fees for each fiscal year according to the type and size of each public water systems; and

WHEREAS, this additional funding is necessary to allow Montana to maintain "Primacy" for implementing the PWSP for the federal Environmental Protection Agency; and

WHEREAS, publically owned utilities can pass this increase along to the customers without public notice or meeting process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Polson that an annual fee shall be levied on all water service connections in the month of January beginning in 1992. A notice of explanation shall be stamped on the back of January's billing for the benefit of the users.

The annual fee shall be based upon the number of service connections during the period between July 1 and August 1 prior to the March 1 due date. The fee per service connection in 1992 and 1993 shall be \$2.25 per connection per year. Beginning in 1994, the fee will be \$2.00 per connection per year; and

PASSED AND APPROVED this 6th day of January, 1992.

James W. Jones

Mayor

ATTEST:

Jayne Devlin City Clerk