

By Representative Rayson

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to Broward County; providing
3 for notice of water or sewer rate changes to
4 residents served outside of municipal
5 boundaries within Broward County; providing for
6 a public hearing; providing an effective date.
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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10 Section 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of s.
11 180.191, Florida Statutes, any municipality within Broward
12 County which serves residents outside its corporate boundary
13 shall not change, alter, or amend any water or sewer rate
14 within such area without holding a public hearing duly noticed
15 by providing a notice in the bills of all customers outside
16 such municipality regarding the proposed change or alteration
17 to the water or sewer rates within such area. At said hearing,
18 the municipality providing the utility service shall explain
19 the necessity of the proposed rate change and demonstrate that
20 the rate is just and equitable.

21 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
22 law.
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