Record of Ordinances

Ordinance No.: 2013-29

Passed: August 26, 2013

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE WATER AND SEWER RATES FOR THE VILLAGE OF WEST LAFAYETTE, OHIO, AMENDING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT HEREWITH

WHEREAS, a rate increase is required to offset increases in the cost of operations and maintenance of the water and sewer services departments and

WHEREAS, the water and sewage treatment facilities are in need of a capital improvements upgrade to conform to environmental protection standards,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of West Lafayette, State of Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1: That the monthly rates for water consumption by residents of the Village of West Lafayette, Ohio for all billings on or after August 26, 2013 shall be as follows:

First 2000 gallons	\$8.99 per 1000 gallons
Next 3000 gallons	\$7.36 per 1000 gallons
Next 3000 gallons Next 3000 gallons	\$5.88 per 1000 gallons
Over 11,000 gallons	\$4.71 per 1000 gallons \$3.85 per 1000 gallons
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SECTION 2: That the monthly sewer rates for residents of the Village of West Lafayette, Ohio, shall be based on water consumption, shall be for all billings on and after January 1, 2012, and shall be as follows:

\$5.44 per 1000 gallons for water consumption

SECTION 3: That the minimum billing shall be defined as 2000 gallons per month for water and/ or sewer.

SECTION 4: Water and sewer connections outside the limits of the Village of West Lafayette, Ohio, shall be billed at one and one-half time the rates as set forth in Section 1 and Section 2. Exceptions to this section may be approved by Village Council.

SECTION 5: Bulk water purchases may be obtained and water placed into a tank provided by the purchaser. The cost will be \$0.01 per gallon.

SECTION 6: That the monthly rates for water consumption by the Ridgewood Local Schools Athletic Fields (football and baseball only) on or after January 1, 2013 shall be as follows:

Under 11,000 gallons shall use the same rate structure as in Section 1.

Over 11,000 gallons shall be 50% of the rate in Section 1 until January 1, 2038.

SECTION 7: That the monthly rates to be paid by the Coshocton County Commissioners for the receipt and treatment of the industrial discharge waste water from Pearl Valley Cheese:

Under or equal to 900,000 gallons per month shall be at a rate of \$2.78 per each 1,000 gallons of discharge.

Over 900,000 gallons per month shall be at a rate of \$2.03 per each 1,000 gallons of discharge.

SECTION 8: That the monthly rates to be paid by the Coshocton County Commissioners for the receipt and treatment of sanitary waste from the community of Fresno shall be at a rate of \$3.28 per each 1,000 gallons of discharge.

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SECTION 9:

That this Ordinance shall be and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary to preserve the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of the Village of West Lafayette, Ohio, the emergency being the necessity of providing proper revenues and orderly administration of the water utilities, and shall take effect immediately upon passage by Council.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 26th day of August 2013

Jack L. Patterson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lisa M. Stiteler, Fiscal Officer

l, Lisa M. Stiteler, Fiscal officer of the Village of West Lafayette, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is taken and copied from the Records of Proceedings of said Council meeting; that the same has been compared by me with the Ordinance/Resolution on said record and that it is a true and correct copy there. Witness my signature, this 2012 day of

Lisa M. Stiteler- Fiscal Officer