

ORDINANCE NO. 784

AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO RATES AND CHARGES FOR SANITARY SEWER SERVICE AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 703

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF TEUTOPOLIS, EFFINGHAM COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1: Rate Schedule:

(a) That effective on and after September 1, 2008, for bills to be rendered during the month of November, 2008, the following rates and charges shall be made for the use of the sanitary sewerage system both within and outside the corporate boundaries of the Village of Teutopolis:

(i) Within corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$20.00 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$2.50 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$2.54 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(ii) Outside corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$24.50 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$4.95 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$5.45 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(b) That effective on and after May 1, 2009, for bills to be rendered during the month of July, 2009, the following rates and charges shall be made for the use of the sanitary sewerage system both within and outside the corporate boundaries of the Village of Teutopolis:

(i) Within corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$20.00 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$2.58 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$2.62 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(ii) Outside corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$24.50 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$5.10 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$5.60 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(c) That effective on and after May 1, 2010, for bills to be rendered during the month of July, 2010, the following rates and charges shall be made for the use of the sanitary sewerage system both within and outside the corporate boundaries of the Village of Teutopolis:

(i) Within corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$20.00 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$2.65 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$2.70 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(ii) Outside corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$24.50 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$5.25 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$5.80 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(d) That effective on and after May 1, 2011, for bills to be rendered during the month of July, 2011, the following rates and charges shall be made for the use of the sanitary sewerage system both within and outside the corporate boundaries of the Village of Teutopolis:

(i) Within corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$20.00 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$2.73 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$2.79 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(ii) Outside corporate boundaries.

(1) A minimum charge of \$24.50 shall be applied to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(2) A surcharge of \$5.42 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users whose water consumption exceeds 3,000 gallons during a billing cycle, but does not exceed 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(3) A surcharge of \$5.95 for each additional 1,000 gallons, or part thereof, shall be applied to all users who water consumption exceeds 54,000 gallons during a billing cycle.

(e) The term "billing cycle" as used herein, shall consist of two consecutive calendar months, commencing with the first month in each calendar year, and at two month intervals thereafter.

(f) Sewerage rates for industrial wastes shall be determined by the Village Engineer in accordance with the guidelines for user charge systems and industrial cost recovery systems for State of Illinois Grants under the Anti-Pollution Bond Act of 1972. "Industrial wastes", as used herein, shall mean any solid, liquid or gaseous waste resulting from any process or excess energy of industry, manufacturing, trade or business.

(g) The users of wastewater treatment services will be notified annually, in conjunction with a regular bill, of the rate and that portion of the user charges which are attributable to the wastewater treatment operation, maintenance and replacement.

Section 2: Change in occupancy:

(a) Notice of Village. Any user requesting a termination of service shall give written notice to the Village ten (10) days prior to the time such termination of service is desired. The meter shall be read by the Village and the user will be billed.

(b) Responsibility for payment of services already consumed. Responsibility for payment for water consumed prior to the date of termination shall be with the property owners as well as the user.

(c) Charges for change. There shall be no charge for transferring the sewer service to the subsequent user.

Section 3: Payment: delinquent accounts:

(a) Bills will be mailed by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the month, in alternating months, and will be delinquent unless paid by the 30<sup>th</sup> day of that month.

(b) Any sewer account delinquent 60 days shall be disconnected and a connection fee of \$60.00 shall be charged to reconnect.

Section 4: Access to records: The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency or its authorized representative shall have access to any books, documents, papers and records of the Village which are applicable to the Village system of user charges or industrial cost recovery for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts and transcriptions thereof to insure compliance with the terms of the Special and General Conditions of any State Grant.

Section 5: The Village shall annually review user charges; shall annually review the costs of operation and maintenance of the treatment works facilities and shall annually review said user charges in accordance with the actual costs so as to generate sufficient revenue to offset the cost of all treatment works operation and maintenance.

Section 6: That the provisions and sections of this ordinance shall be deemed separable and the invalidity of any portion of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of the remainder.

Section 7: This ordinance shall be interpreted consistent with the provisions of Ordinance No. 731, except those provisions in direct conflict, in which case the provisions of this ordinance shall prevail. Any other ordinance or ordinances in conflict with the provisions of Ordinance No. 731, and this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Section 8: That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication, as may be required by law.

Presented, passed and approved this 20 day of August, 2008.

AYES: 6

NAYS: 0

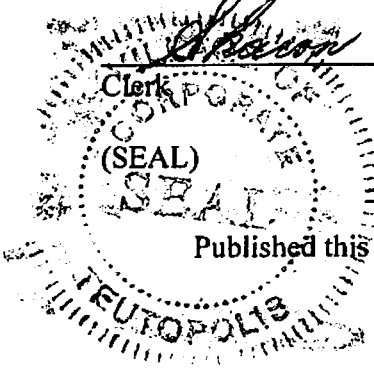
ABSENT: 0

[Signature]  
President

ATTEST:

[Signature]

Clerk



Published this 20 day of August, 2008.

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF EFFINGHAM )

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Sharon Will, Clerk of the Village of Teutopolis, Effingham County, Illinois, do hereby certify that I am the keeper of the records, files and seal of said Village.

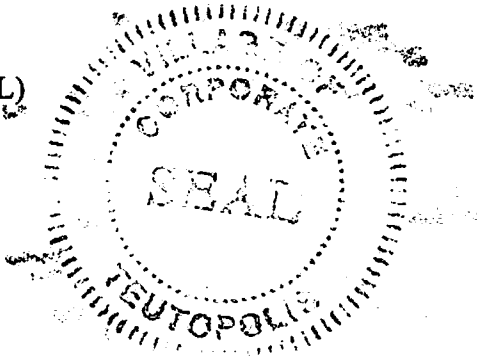
I further certify that on August 20, 2008, the President and Board of Trustees of such municipality passed and approved Ordinance No. 784, entitled "AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO RATES AND CHARGES FOR SANITARY SEWER SERVICE AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 703", which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. 784 was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the Village Hall, commencing on August 21, 2008, and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the Village Clerk.

Dated at Teutopolis, Illinois, this 20 day of August, 2008.

Sharon Will  
Village Clerk

(SEAL)



STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF EFFINGHAM )

I, Sharon Will, Clerk of the Village of Teutopolis, Effingham County, Illinois, do hereby certify that I am the keeper of the records, files and seals of said Village. I do also certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of:

Ordinance No. 784, "AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO RATES AND CHARGES FOR SANITARY SEWER SERVICE AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 703."

The aforesaid Ordinance was passed by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village by aye and nay vote at a meeting of the Board of Trustees held on August 20, 2008, as the same appears from the records and files in this office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Village of Teutopolis, Illinois, this 20 day of August, 2008.

Sharon Will  
Village Clerk

(SEAL)

