

# RECORD OF ORDINANCES

GOVERNMENT FORMS & SUPPLIES 844-224-3338 FORM NO. 30043

Ordinance No. 2020-12

Passed December 1<sup>st</sup>, 20 20

## VILLAGE COUNCIL OF GREENWICH, OHIO ORDINANCE NO.: 2020-12

AN ORDINANCE DEEMING IT ADVISABLE TO CHANGE SEWERAGE RATES AND CHARGES; AND AMENDING SECTION 1044.02 OF THE GREENWICH CODIFIED MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the Village of Greenwich has installed a system of sewerage, sewerage pumping works, or sewerage treatment or disposal works for public use; and

WHEREAS, Section 729.49 of the Ohio Revised Code provides that the legislative authority may, by ordinance, establish just and equitable rates or charges of rents to be paid to the municipal corporation for the use of such services; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Greenwich has previously established just and equitable rates or charges for sewerage services in Section 1044.02 of the Greenwich Codified Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, Section 729.49 of the Ohio Revised Code further provides that the legislative authority may change such rates or charges from time to time as is deemed advisable; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF GREENWICH, STATE OF OHIO: (RC 731.18)

SECTION 1. That pursuant to RC 729.49, Village Council hereby deems it advisable to change the sewerage rates and charges contained in Section 1044.02 of the Codified Municipal Code.

SECTION 2. That Section 1044.02 of the Codified Municipal Code shall hereby be amended as follows:

### *1044.02 CHARGES; BILLING; SURCHARGE, PENALTY CHARGE AND DELINQUENT CHARGES.*

(a) *The following sewer service charges are hereby established:*

(1) *The minimum sewer charge is ~~eight dollars (\$8.00)~~ **ten and 40/100 dollars (\$10.40)** for the first 2,000 gallons of water used.*

(2) *Sewer service charges for water use in excess of 2,000 gallons shall be billed at 40% (forty percent) of the amount billed for water use as set forth herein.*

*(Res. 8-82. Passed 8-17-82; Ord. 2010-05. Passed 7-20-10; Ord. 2-12-08. Passed 11-6-12; Ord. 2013-05. Passed 4-16-13; Ord. 2019-12. Passed 12-17-19.)*

(b) *The sewer service charge is due and payable on the first business day of each month indicated on the bill. The last day for payment of all sewer charges is the twentieth of the month. A delinquent charge of 10% will be added to any bill not paid on or before the twentieth day of the month billed. If the twenty-second day of the month falls on a Saturday, Sunday or any holiday observed by the Village or the day before any such holiday, the first business day thereafter shall be considered as the last day to pay before discontinuance of water service.*

*(Ord. 900. Passed 8-18-98; Ord. 919. Passed 1-4-00; Ord. 2016-06. Passed 9-6-16.)*

(c) *(EDITOR'S NOTE: This division was repealed by Ordinance 900, passed August 18, 1998.)*

(d) *The minimum sewer charge for multiple units receiving water through one meter will be ~~eight dollars (\$8.00)~~ **ten and 40/100 dollars (\$10.40)** for the first 2,000 gallons of water per unit.*

*(Res. 90-8. Passed 11-10-90; Ord. 2013-05. Passed 4-16-13; Ord. 2019-12.*

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(e) Home owners within the Village corporation limits that operate a standalone sewage system (septic tank leach bed or mound system approved by the Huron County Health Board) that is not connected to the Village sewer lines will not pay the sewer charge and surcharge. A home owner that is connected or uses the Village surface water drainage system will be assessed the sewer charge and surcharge.

(f) All outside users of the sewer lagoon system will pay a rate twice that of inside users.

(Res. 95-8. Passed 8-21-95; Ord. 1024. Passed 11-20-07; Ord. 2012-08. Passed 11-6-12.)

**SECTION 3.** That the amendments contained herein shall be effective **January 1, 2021.**

**SECTION 4. PUBLIC MEETING.** It is found and determined that all formal action of this public body concerning or relating to the passage of this Resolution/Ordinance were adopted in a public meeting open to the public at all times, and that all deliberations of the public body and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in public meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including all lawful ordinances and any applicable provisions of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

WHEREFORE, this legislation shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2020.

## AUTHENTICATION and ATTESTATION (RC 731.20)

We hereby attest and affirm that the foregoing Ordinance/Resolution received the necessary affirmative roll call votes required for passage by R.C. 731.17.

Wesley Salter  
MAYOR

[Signature]  
FISCAL OFFICER

Vote on the passage was taken by yeas and nays and entered upon the journal as follows  
R.C. 731.17(A)(3):

YEAS: 5 NAYS: - ABSTAIN: -

First Reading:

Second Reading:

Third Reading:

November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020

November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020

December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

may be dispensed by a vote of at least three-fourths of members. R.C. 731.17(A)(2)]

APPROVED AS TO FORM [See also 731.21(B)]:

[Signature]  
VILLAGE SOLICITOR, Steve Palmer

## CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION RC 731.24

I hereby certify that a succinct summary of the above legislation was/will be published *once a week for two consecutive weeks* as required by RC 731.21 and 731.22(A) in the following newspaper(s) of general circulation: **Shopper's Helper North, 211 Myrtle Ave., P.O. Box 368, Willard, OH 44890, 419.935.0184.**

[Signature]  
CLERK OF COUNCIL