

**ORDINANCE #4 – 2018**  
**AN ORDINANCE MODIFYING THE SEWER RATES OF THE VILLAGE**  
**OF WOODVILLE, SANDUSKY COUNTY, OHIO**

WHEREAS, the rates and charges for services must produce an income sufficient to maintain and operate the Sewer System in a sound physical and financial condition in order to render adequate and efficient services to its customers; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the current rates are not sufficient to incur the increasing financial requirements of the Sewer System; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Woodville, Sandusky County, Ohio finds it necessary to increase the rates for the services provided to Village customers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Woodville, Sandusky County, Ohio that:

SECTION 1: Section 925.10 of the Village of Woodville codified ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

**925.10 SEWER RATES AND CHARGES**

(a) The Village's sewerage rates shall be as follows:

	Effective With Bills Rendered On Or After <u>May 1, 2018</u>	Effective With Bills Rendered On Or After <u>May 1, 2019</u>
1. First 2,000 gallons of water consumption per month	\$29.66*	\$31.44*
2. Next 8 000 gallons of water consumption per month	\$9.05 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof	\$9.59 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof
3. Next 10,000 gallons of water consumption per month	\$6.79 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof	\$7.20 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof
4. Next 180,000 gallons of water consumption per month	\$3.39 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof	\$3.59 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof
5. Next 200,000 gallons of water consumption per month	\$2.95 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof	\$3.13 per 1,000 gallons or part thereof

\*Minimum rate per month shall be equal to the applicable charge for the first 2,000 gallons of water consumption per month, except in the case of multi-family dwellings, including duplex houses and apartments, having one meter for measuring total water consumption where the minimum rate per month shall be equal to the applicable charge for the first 2,000 gallons of water consumption per month multiplied by the number of dwelling units therein, and the usage included in the minimum rate shall be equal to 2,000 gallons multiplied by the number of dwelling units and the allowable usage in each rate block shall be multiplied by the number of dwelling units.

The sewerage rates set forth above are based on the amount of water consumption registered on the customer's water meter. Any residential customer whose water consumption is not metered will be billed for sewer service on the basis of 5,000 gallons per month consumption. The consumption for any non-residential customer whose water service is not metered will be determined by the Village Administrator based on the Ohio EPA guidelines for estimating sewage flow. Upon request, a water meter will be installed at the customer's expense.

(b) In addition to the rates set forth in (a) above, effective with the bills rendered on or after September 1, 2008, there shall be an additional charge of \$10.00 per customer per month, except in the case of multi-family dwellings, including duplex houses and apartments, having one meter for measuring total water consumption where the additional charge per month shall be equal to \$10.00 multiplied by the number of dwelling units therein. Revenue derived from said additional charge shall be deposited in the Sewer Replacement and Improvement Fund to be used for costs associated with future improvements to the Village's Sewer System required by the Ohio EPA.

SECTION 2: Any part of any ordinance conflicting with the rates set forth above is hereby expressly repealed.

SECTION 3: All formal actions of the Council of the Village of Woodville, Sandusky County, Ohio concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and all deliberations of the Council that resulted in such formal actions, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.



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Mayor Richard A. Harman

ATTEST:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 3/26/2018  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 4/9/2018  
3<sup>rd</sup> Reading: 4/23/2018

Passage: 4/23/2018  
Yeas: 5  
Nays: 0



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Barbara J. Runion, Fiscal Officer