

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE NINE: WATER  
CHAPTER NINETEEN: WATER SERVICE RATES  
AND  
ARTICLE TEN: SEWERS AND DRAINS  
CHAPTER TWENTY-SIX: WASTEWATER SERVICE CHARGES AND  
COLLECTION**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Pecatonica (“Village”), has heretofore established a Water Ordinance and a Sewers and Drains Ordinance which, as a part each thereof, sets rates to be charged for water usage within the Village;

**WHEREAS**, the Village by Ordinance and by statutory authority has the ability and authority from time to time when deemed necessary and otherwise in the best interests of the Village to amend the rates charged to provide for the operation, maintenance and debt service costs of the water and sewer systems;

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interests of the Village of Pecatonica that the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Pecatonica are amended as follows below;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE BOARD OF  
TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF PECATONICA, WINNEBAGO COUNTY,  
ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as findings of the Pecatonica Board of Trustees.

**Section 2.** Article Nine: Water, Chapter Nineteen: Water Service Rates of the Municipal Code of Pecatonica is hereby amended by deleting paragraph (A) and to insert in place thereof the following:

A. There shall be, and there are, established rates or charges for the use of, and for the service supplied by, the waterworks system of the Village based upon the amount of water consumed, as shown by the water meters.

*Metered water service:* General water services shall be available at the following monthly rates, to any user of water who is within the Village of Pecatonica, and furnished through a water meter:

1. All commercial and industrial water users shall pay the metered rate of two dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$2.59) for 0 gallons and after 0 gallons the rate of forty-nine cents (\$0.49) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.
2. All residential water users who use less than one-thousand-five-hundred (1500) gallons of volume shall pay the metered rate of two dollars and

fifty-nine cents (\$2.59) for 0 gallons and after 0 gallons the rate of forty-nine cents (\$0.49) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.

3. All residential water users who use one-thousand-five-hundred (1500) gallons of volume or more shall pay the rate of eighteen dollars and fifty-five cents (\$18.55) for the first 1500 gallons and after 1500 gallons the metered rate of forty-nine cents (\$0.49) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.
4. The minimum flat rate shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00) a month.

**Section 3.** Article Ten: Sewers and Drains, Chapter Twenty-Six: Wastewater Service Charges and Collection of the Municipal Code of Pecatonica is hereby amended by deleting paragraph (D)(1) and to insert in place thereof the following:

1. There shall be, and there are, established rates or charges for the use of, and for the service supplied by, the sewerage system of the Village based upon the amount of water consumed, as shown by the water meters.

*Wastewater service:* General wastewater services shall be available at the following monthly rates, to any user of sewer who is within the Village of Pecatonica:

- a. All commercial and industrial water users shall pay the metered rate of sixteen dollars and eight cents (\$16.08) for 0 gallons and after 0 gallons the rate of eighty-six cents (\$0.86) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.
- b. All residential water users who use less than one-thousand-five-hundred (1500) gallons of volume shall pay the metered rate of sixteen dollars and eight cents (\$16.08) for 1500 gallons and after 0 gallons the rate of eighty-six cents (\$0.86) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.
- c. All residential water users who use one-thousand-five-hundred (1500) gallons of volume or more shall pay the rate of sixteen dollars and eight cents (\$16.08) for the first 1500 gallons and after 1500 gallons the metered rate of eighty-six cents (\$0.86) per one hundred (100) gallons of volume used.
- d. The minimum flat rate shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00) a month.

**Section 4.** To the extent this Ordinance contradicts any previous orders, resolutions, ordinances or parts of orders, resolutions and ordinances of the Village, this Ordinance shall control and all other orders, resolutions, ordinances or parts of orders, resolutions, and ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed insofar as such conflicts exist.

**Section 5.** All other orders, resolutions ordinances or parts of orders, resolutions, and ordinances of the Village of Pecatonica, Illinois not in conflict with this Ordinance shall remain in full force

and effect.

**Section 6.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

PASSED by the Village Board this 20 day of December, 2011.

APPROVED by the President of the Village Board this 20 day of December, 2011.

Shawn Connors  
Shawn Connors, Village President

ATTEST:

Dana Ryall  
Dana Ryall, Village Clerk

Ayes: 6      Nays: 0      Absent: 0      Abstain: 0

Sager: Aye Metz: Aye Smull: Aye  
Heister: Aye Martin: Aye Eytalis: Aye