

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-11

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CREDITING OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHARGES TO TREEHOUSE FOODS

WHEREAS, the Village of Pecatonica, Illinois, (“Village”) provides water and sewer services for its residents; and

WHEREAS, as a commercial water user TreeHouse Foods consumes a portion of its water which does not get returned as wastewater to the Village’s treatment plant; and

WHEREAS, the deduct meters installed at TreeHouse Foods have indicated that it has been overcharged for water treatment in the amount of \$84,000; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to credit back to TreeHouse Foods \$9,333.33 per month on its water treatment bill over nine (9) months in repayment of the overcharged amount.

NOW BE IT ORDAINED, by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Pecatonica, Illinois.

Section 1. The above recitals are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

Section 2. The wastewater invoices for TreeHouse Foods shall be credited in the amount of \$9,333.33 for nine (9) months beginning with the invoice for July, 2023 and continuing through the invoice for March, 2024.

Section 3. The Village President or his designee shall be authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate the purpose of this ordinance.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

PASSED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Pecatonica this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023

APPROVED by the President of the Village of Pecatonica, Illinois, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
THOMAS HEISTER, Village President  
Village of Pecatonica, Illinois

ATTEST:

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
GWENN SHIRLEY, Village Clerk  
Village of Pecatonica, Illinois

AYES: 4 \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: 0 \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT/  
ABSTAIN: 2 \_\_\_\_\_