

Ord. #994

ORDINANCE NO. SD-53

BEING AN ORDINANCE CONFIRMING AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE OF SEWER RATES BASED SOLELY UPON THE CHANGE IN THE COST OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT AT SCHERERVILLE, INDIANA

WHEREAS, the Utility Board of the Town of Schererville has previously approved an ordinance approving an increase in certain rates and charges for the treatment of sanitary sewage and wastewater at the Schererville sewage treatment plant; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Schererville treats sewage and wastewater of the Town of St. John, and the charges therefore were increased from \$1.14 per thousand gallons to ^{\$1.48} ~~\$1.51~~ per thousand gallons; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Town of St. John to track an increase in its costs of treated sewage and wastewater to those residents and users connected to the sanitary sewer system for the Town of St. John; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Sanitary Commissioners of the Town of St. John adopted a preliminary ordinance tracking an increase in the cost of treated sewage and wastewater on May 18, 1995; and

WHEREAS, ordinances that establish rates and charges for the treatment of sanitary sewers and wastewater require that the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of St. John give notice of the adoption of the within ordinance and that a public hearing would be had thereon on the 15th day of June, 1995 at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Hall, in St. John, Lake County, Indiana, as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, such notices were published as shown by the Proofs of Publication presented by said Clerk-Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on the 15th day of June, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. at which time persons interested in or affected by the said proceedings were given an opportunity to be heard and introduce evidence on the questions to be determined therein; and

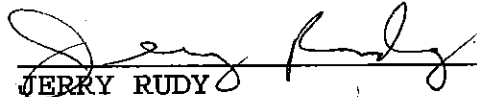
WHEREAS, the Board of Sanitary Commissioners of the Sanitary District of the Town of St. John and the Town Council of the Town of St. John have determined that it is necessary to track an increase in sewage rates as set forth in this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Sanitary Commissioners of the St. John Sanitary District and the Town Council of Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, as follows:

1. That the increase in the cost of treating sewage charged to the Town of St. John by the Town of Schererville be tracked and added to the rates and charges of the Town of St. John to its customers.


2. That, the increase to the Town of St. John's schedule of rates and charges for sewage treatment shall be ~~\$.37~~ ^{\$1.34} per thousand gallons after ~~June~~ ^{Oct.} 15, 1995 and the treatment component of the sewer rate shall be ~~\$1.51~~ ^{\$1.48} per thousand gallons.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Sanitary Commissioners of the Sanitary District and the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana on this ~~15th~~ ^{21st} day of ~~June~~ ^{Sept}, 1995 and ~~22nd~~ ^{28th} day of ~~June~~ ^{Sept}, 1995 respectively.




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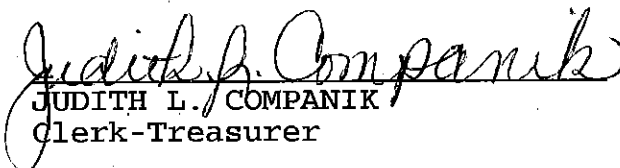


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ATTEST:



JUDITH L. COMPANIK
Clerk-Treasurer