

**TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA
DEPARTMENT OF WATERWORKS BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-__WD 12-08-23

A RESOLUTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WATERWORKS BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, RECOMMENDING AMENDMENT OF THE STANDARDS OF SERVICE FOR THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN MUNICIPAL WATER UTILITY, AND ALL MATTERS RELATED THERETO.

WHEREAS, the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, by and through its Department of Waterworks Board of Directors (hereinafter the "Waterworks Board"), operates a Municipal Water Utility under the authority of Indiana Code 8-1.5-4, as amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, the Waterworks Board administers the Municipal Water Utility standards of service, including its billing policies and procedures, to the citizens, ratepayers, customers, and residents; and

WHEREAS, the Waterworks Board has reviewed the standards of service as adopted by Town Ordinance No. 840, and determined that amendment is recommended as advisable; and

WHEREAS, the Waterworks Board, has determined that it is in the best interests of the Municipal Water Utility to add a provision regarding disconnection of service to rental properties to the standards of service provisions for the Municipal Water Utility.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF WATERWORKS BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE: That § 170 IAC 6-1-16, titled Disconnection of service; prohibited disconnection; reconnection, as attached to Town Ordinance No. 840, is hereby recommended to be amended to add hereafter subsection (3) to Sec. 16 (A), to read and provide hereafter, as follows:

- (3) "The owner, management company, landlord, or business owner may request termination of water service, provided the owner, management company, landlord, or business owner whose name is on the water billing account certifies to the Clerk-Treasurer that:
 - a. The property is unoccupied, OR

- b. The occupants of the property have been given at least thirty (30) days' written notice of service termination."

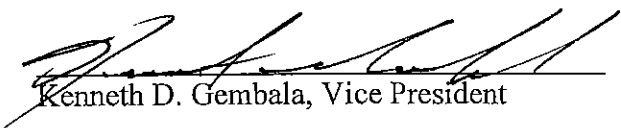
SECTION TWO: That all other provisions of Town Ordinance No. 840, and the attached standards of service as set forth in 170 IAC 6-1-1 through and including 28, are advised to remain in full force and effect at the present time.

SECTION THREE: That a certified copy of this Resolution shall be submitted to the Town Council the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, for consideration and adoption of an Amendatory Ordinance.

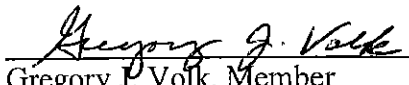
ALL OF WHICH IS PASSED AND RESOLVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF WATERWORKS BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, THIS 23rd DAY OF August, 2012.

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Michael S. Forbes, President

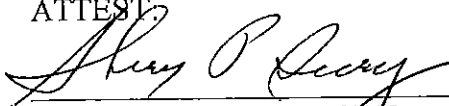


Kenneth D. Gembala, Vice President



Gregory J. Volk, Member

ATTEST:



Sherry P. Sury, IAMC, CMC
Clerk-Treasurer