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COUNTY OF DU PAGE)

I, Lynn Curiale, City Clerk of Wood Dale, Illinois DO HEREBY CERTIFY that as such City Clerk and keeper of the records, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance **#O-20-008 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF WOOD DALE TO PROVIDE SENIORS A DISCOUNTED SEWER ONLY RATE** Passed by The City Of Wood Dale, Du Page County, Illinois, IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the City of Wood Dale, this 16TH day of April, 2020



Lynn Curiale, City Clerk



Ordinance #O-20-008

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF WOOD DALE TO PROVIDE SENIORS A DISCOUNTED SEWER ONLY RATE

Passed: April 16, 2020
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I, Lynn Curiale, as the City Clerk for the City of Wood Dale, hereby certify that the attached Ordinance is a true and correct copy of **#O-20-008**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF WOOD DALE TO PROVIDE SENIORS A DISCOUNTED SEWER ONLY RATE

Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Wood Dale on April 16, 2020 and hereby published in pamphlet on April 17, 2020



Lynn Curiale, City Clerk



ORDINANCE NO. O-20-008

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE
OF THE CITY OF WOOD DALE TO PROVIDE SENIORS
A DISCOUNTED SEWER ONLY RATE**

WHEREAS, the City of Wood Dale is a body politic and corporate, organized and existing pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wood Dale is authorized and empowered, under the Illinois Municipal Code to regulate the monthly rate at which sewer usage will be charged to its residents; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of this authorization, the City of Wood Dale has previously adopted an Ordinance which has been codified in the City of Wood Dale Code in Chapter 7, at Article 7.82 "Sewer Use Charges;" and

WHEREAS, the City of Wood Dale recognizes the financial constraints facing many of its senior and lower income residents; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to lessen the financial burden facing its senior and lower income residents during these difficult economic times, the City of Wood Dale seeks to provide a discount to seniors and lower income residents who have sewer-only accounts with the City; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Wood Dale has reviewed the matter herein and has determined that the amendment to Section 7.82 as set forth herein is in the best interests of the City of Wood Dale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOOD DALE, DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

SECTION ONE: The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

SECTION TWO: That Section 7.82 of Chapter 7, Article VIII, "Sewer Use Charges;" is hereby amended to state as follows:

A. Basic User Rate: All users of sewer provided by the City having a direct connection with City sewer mains shall pay a monthly bill per account consisting of a fixed fee and a variable usage fee as specified in the master fee schedule.

All bills for service shall be rendered as of the first day of each month succeeding the period for which service is billed and shall be payable upon receipt and not later than the close of business of the twenty first day of the month. Bills paid after the due date shall be subject to a penalty as specified

in the master fee schedule monthly. In the event an estimated bill is rendered, the bill for user charge shall be based on the usage history of the account during the previous twelve (12) billing periods.

B. Application And Provisions For Rate Reduction: Upon written application from any residents whose household income is not more than the very low income figures established by the income eligibility rates, published by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), effective July 1, 1979, and as currently revised, as verified by the resident's previous year's U.S. Federal Income Tax return, the City Collector shall authorize a rate reduction as specified in the master fee schedule; provided, however, that such persons are also:

- 1. Heads of households entitled to and receiving benefits under the Social Security Act or benefits under other pension plans and are at least sixty two (62) years of age; or**
- 2. Widowers or widows having dependent children; or**
- 3. Totally disabled; or**
- 4. United States military veterans.**

Proof of eligibility shall be submitted annually thereafter to said City Collector. Said rate reduction shall not result in a credit to any user's account.

C. User Charge, Nonmetered Accounts:

1. Connections Located Within The Corporate Limits Of The City: There shall be and there is hereby established a user charge to be applied to all nonmetered single- and multiple-family dwelling units, each commercial and industrial unit, and institutional/governmental units located within the corporate limits of the City of Wood Dale receiving sanitary sewer service with rates as specified in the master fee schedule.

SECTION THREE: That all ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are to the extent of such conflict, expressly repealed.

SECTION FOUR: That the City Clerk of the City of Wood Dale be and is directed hereby to publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form, pursuant to the statutes of the State of Illinois.

SECTION FIVE: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

PASSED this 16th day of April, 2020

AYES: Alderman Sakab, Messina, Woods, Catalano, Somentino,
Susmariski, E. Wesley

NAYS: None

ABSENT: R. Wesley

APPROVED this 16th day of April, 2020

SIGNED: Annunziato Pulice
Annunziato Pulice, Mayor

ATTEST: Lynn Curiale
Lynn Curiale, City Clerk

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