Ordinance No. 2020-

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARTS OF CHAPTER 5 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF FAIRBURY OF 1982 IN RELATION TO WATER RATES AND CHARGES

Whereas, the costs of operation of the water system of the City of Fairbury has increased since user rates and charges were last set by the City Council of the City of Fairbury, and

Whereas, it is necessary to increase the user rates and charges so that the water system of the City of Fairbury may be self-supporting,

NOW THEREFORE be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Fairbury, Livingston County, Illinois that Chapter 5, Section .01(A) and (B) of the Fairbury Municipal Code of 1982 shall be amended to read as follows:

SECTION I

- (A) Within the Corporate Limits: For each user of water service within the corporate limits of the City of Fairbury, the current minimum charge of \$22.41 shall be increased by 2% or CPI, whichever is greater, for each subsequent fiscal year starting with the first full billing period after May 1st each year, per monthly billing period to all users whose water consumption does not exceed 1,250 gallons per billing period. The CPI rate to be used is the "Consumer Price index for All Urban Consumers for all items" as published by the United States Department of Labor, which is also used by Livingston County for the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law (PTELL). In addition, the current charge of \$9.84 per 1,000 gallons of water consumption metered in excess of 1,250 gallons shall be increased by 2% or CPI whichever is greater, for each succeeding fiscal year, per billing cycle. The charges shall be applied to operation and maintenance of the waterworks system, repayment of loans and interest and future replacement of equipment.
- (B) <u>Outside the Corporate Limits</u>: Users of the waterworks system of the City of Fairbury whose premises are located outside of the corporate limits of the City shall be charged the rate established in paragraph (A) above plus 50% added to their bill based upon the service rendered.

SECTION II

The rates and charges established in this ordinance shall be effective as of August 5, 2020.

SECTION III

All ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are to the extent of such conflict hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall be effective after passage by the City Council of the City of Fairbury, Illinois, and its approval by the Mayor of the City of Fairbury, Illinois, and its publication in pamphlet form as required by law.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Fairbury, Illinois on Aug. 5 , 2020.
Ayes: Nays: O Absent: 1
Approved by the Mayor of the City of Fairbury, Illinois on Aug. 5
(CITY SEAL) Attest:
City Clerk / Widlachi