STATE OF ILLINOIS : COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON : CITY OF FAIRBURY :

Ordinance No. 2020-

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

Whereas, the costs of the Sewerage System of the City of Fairbury have risen so that it is necessary to increase the rates charged for sewer service in order for said system to be self-sustaining,

NOW THEREFORE be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Fairbury, Livingston County, Illinois as follows:

## **SECTION I**

- 1. Chapter 5A of the Municipal Code of the City of Fairbury is hereby amending Sections .08(c) and (d) of said Chapter 5A to read as follows:
- (c) Within the Corporate Limits: For each user of the sewer service of the combined waterworks and sewerage system within the corporate limits of the City of Fairbury, the current minimum charge of \$31.24 shall be increased by 2% or CPI, whichever is greater, for each subsequent fiscal year starting with the first full billing period after May 1<sup>st</sup> 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 for all users who discharge normal strength wastes to the sewage system shall be increased by 2% or CPI whichever is greater for each subsequent fiscal year, per billing period. The charges shall be applied to operation and maintenance of the sewage system, repayment of loans and interest and future replacement of equipment.
- (d) <u>Outside the Corporate Limits:</u> Users of the sewer service of the combined waterworks and sewerage system whose premises are located outside the corporate limits of the City shall be charged the rate established in paragraph (c) 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or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are to the extent of such conflict hereby repealed.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: 1 Nays: 0 Absent: 1	
Approved by the Mayor of the City of Fairbury, Illinois on Aug. 6, 2020.	
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