

ORDINANCE NO. 430-20

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 62, ARTICLE III, DIVISION 4 OF THE LUDINGTON CITY CODE TO ESTABLISH NEW RATES FOR CERTAIN SEWER CHARGES AND TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH

THE CITY OF LUDINGTON ORDAINS:

Section 2. Chapter 62, Article III, Division 4, Section 62-168 is hereby amended to read as follows.

Section 62-168 – Sewer rates.

- 1) The rates to be charged for sanitary sewer service in 2021 for all users of the system are fixed and determined to be a quarterly service rate plus a commodity rate as follows:

Quarterly readiness-to-serve rate (based upon water meter size) shall be as follows which represents a 14.9% increase over 2020 rates:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge per Quarter 2021
less than 1	16.60
1	23.00
1 to 1 1/2	42.50
2	122.00
3	160.00
4	285.00
6	625.00

- 2) a) Commencing with the January 1, 2021 bill, commodity rates (sewage use will be based upon the quarterly metered water flow) shall be \$3.55 per 100 cubic feet.
- b) Commencing with the January 1, 2021 bill, residential properties served with a private water source using the city sewer system shall be assessed a flat rate of \$95.32 per quarter for each dwelling unit.
- c) If a resident requests, the city will provide a second water meter for outdoor water usage for which no sewer charges shall be made, however, such meters shall be subject to normal rates for water and such additional meters shall be subject to applicable meter connection or disconnection charges as provided by this Code.

- 3) Commencing with the January 1, 2021 bill, the sewer rate charged to non-city residents whose sewage is treated by the city's wastewater treatment plant pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement shall be \$2.26 per 100 cubic feet.
- 4) Commencing with the January 1, 2021 bill, the rates for services furnished by the sewage disposal plant and system to users outside the corporate limits of the city and not covered by an intergovernmental agreement or by subsection (3) above, shall be \$5.6.83 per 100 cubic feet used in each quarter.
- 5) The rates to be charged for sanitary sewer service in 2022 for all users of the system are fixed and determined to be a quarterly service rate plus a commodity rate as follows:

Quarterly readiness-to-serve rate (based upon water meter size) shall be as follows which represents a 14.9% increase over 2021 rates:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge per Quarter 2022
less than 1	19.75
1	27.50
1 to 1 1/2	51.00
2	146.00
3	193.00
4	340.00
6	750.00

- 6) a) Commencing with the January 1, 2022 bill, commodity rates (sewage use will be based upon the quarterly metered water flow) shall be \$4.05 per 100 cubic feet.
- d) Commencing with the January 1, 2022 bill, residential properties served with a private water source using the city sewer system shall be assessed a flat rate of \$112.55 per quarter for each dwelling unit.
- e) If a resident requests, the city will provide a second water meter for outdoor water usage for which no sewer charges shall be made, however, such meters shall be subject to normal rates for water and such additional meters shall be subject to applicable meter connection or disconnection charges as provided by this Code.
- 7) Commencing with the January 1, 2022 bill, the sewer rate charged to non-city residents whose sewage is treated by the city's wastewater treatment plant pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement shall be \$2.60 per 100 cubic feet.

- 8) Commencing with the January 1, 2022 bill, the rates for services furnished by the sewage disposal plant and system to users outside the corporate limits of the city and not covered by an intergovernmental agreement or by subsection (3) above, shall be \$7.85 per 100 cubic feet used in each quarter.

The City Clerk shall post and maintain on the city website and at the city hall, the current rates for sewer services as determined in accordance with this section.

Section 3. Repeal all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective 20 days after its adoption and publication as required by the city charter.

Dated: 7-13-2020

Deborah J. Zushi

City Clerk

Ayes: 7

Nays: 0

Absent: 0

Motion: CARRIED

I, Deborah L. Luskin, hereby certify that I am the City Clerk, of the City of Ludington; and that the above is a true and correct copy of the Ordinance adopted by the vote of a majority of the members of said City of Ludington, present at meeting of said body on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of JULY, 2019 at which a quorum was present.

  
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Deborah L. Luskin CMMC  
City Clerk