

**VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE NO. 21-03

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
CHAPTER 8 “PUBLIC WAYS AND PROPERTY”
SECTION 8-2-1: WATER RATES
OF THE VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW VILLAGE CODE
TO AMEND WATER RATES**

WHEREAS, the Village of Forest View will incur a 1.10 % increase for water purchased from the City of Chicago effective June 1, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that it is unable to absorb the increase and in order to provide for upcoming maintenance projects, forecasted infrastructure improvements and general operational costs of the water system; monies must be set aside; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that the current rate structure does not provide sufficient revenues to finance such projects and operations; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that it is necessary and prudent to alter the rate structure so as to provide the appropriate monies as needed for such projects and operations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 8-2-1 of the Forest View Village Code is hereby amended to provide as follows:

8-2-1: **WATER RATES:** ~~Effective June 1, 2017,~~ **Effective June 1, 2021,** the following charges and rates for the use and for the service supplied by the waterworks system of the village, based upon the amount of water consumed, as shown by the water meters, as set forth hereinafter:

(A) For each residential user, the quarterly charge for water service shall be as follows:

For the first 1,200 cubic feet	\$87.25	<u>\$90.35</u>
For excess over 1,200 cubic feet, per 100 cubic feet	8.15	<u>\$ 8.45</u>

The minimum quarterly charge for residential water service shall be:	87.25	<u>\$90.35</u>
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(B) For each commercial user, the monthly charge for water service shall be as follows:

For the first 400 cubic feet	\$67.65	<u>\$70.00</u>
For excess over 400 cubic feet, per 100 cubic feet	8.15	<u>\$ 8.45</u>

The minimum monthly charge for commercial water service shall be:	\$67.65	<u>\$70.00</u>
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(C) For each industrial (manufacturing) user, the monthly charge for water shall be as follows:

For the first 1,200 cubic feet	\$191.05	<u>\$197.75</u>
For excess over 1,200 cubic feet, per 100 cubic feet	8.15	<u>\$ 8.45</u>

The minimum monthly charge for industrial water service shall be:	191.05	<u>\$197.75</u>
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(D) The rates and charges applicable to municipal and government users, including the village, its offices, police and fires departments, shall be a flat rate of ~~one thousand one hundred four dollars and sixty five cents (\$1,104.65)~~ **one thousand one hundred seventy one dollars and thirty cents (\$1,171.30)** per month, irrespective of the quantity of water used. The Forest View park district shall pay the monthly commercial rates as established and amended from time to time for each metered water service. (Ord. 17-09, 5-23-2017)

- (E) The village hereby authorizes the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago to make connection to the potable water supply of the village through the facilities of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for domestic purposes only. (Ord 17-09, 5-23-2017, eff. 6-1-2017)

SECTION 2: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law. The water rates specified hereinabove in Section 1 of the Ordinance shall be effective for commercial/industrial/park district/municipal complex users for water consumed beginning the July 2021 billing cycle. The water rates specified hereinabove in Section 1 of the Ordinance shall be effective for residential users for water consumed beginning the October 2021 billing cycle.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL this 8th day of June, 2021.

AYES: Trustees Grossi, Hubacek, Liska, Ramirez, Sudkamp

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Trustee Augspurger

APPROVED this 8th day of June 2021.

Nancy L. Miller
Village President

ATTEST:

Joy M. Conklin
Village Clerk