

ORDINANCE NO. 1429-2012

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING SEWER CONNECTION CHARGES

WHEREAS, the City of Angola ("City") has heretofore constructed and has in operation a sewage treatment facility for the purpose of collecting and disposing in a sanitary manner the sewage works of the City; and

WHEREAS, IC 36-9-23 provides that a municipal legislative body shall, by ordinance, establish just and equitable fees for the services rendered by the sewage works; and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Angola, Steuben County, Indiana:

Section 1. Connection charge.

That there be established for the connection of all new customers seeking service of the sewage works system in the City, the following connection charge and that the City of Angola, Indiana Code of Ordinances, Title V, Chapter 51, is hereby amended by the addition of the following:

CONNECTION CHARGE

(A) *New connections.* The connection charge shall be collected from each new customer prior to connection to the sewage works system. Each new connection shall pay a connection charge in an amount determined by the following schedule:

| <u>Water Meter Size</u> | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| 5/8" | \$ 2,220 |
| 3/4" | 3,330 |
| 1" | 5,550 |
| 1½" | 11,100 |
| 2" | 17,760 |
| 3" | 33,300 |
| 4" | 55,500 |
| 6" | 111,000 |

(B) *Authorization to waive charge.* The Board of Public Works is authorized and empowered, in specific instances for such areas as cemeteries, golf courses, and parks, to waive, modify or defer in whole or in part the connection charge.

(C) *Receipt of connection charge.* \$100 of the connection charge shall be receipted to the Wastewater Operation and Maintenance Fund and used to properly operate and maintain the sewage treatment works facility. Any connection charge balance shall be receipted to the Wastewater Improvement Fund and used for additions, improvements, and extensions.

(D) *Remonstrance restriction.* Any and all owners of real estate, persons or corporation, their or its survivors, heirs or assigns, who shall connect to the sewage works system, pursuant to the subchapter, shall agree in writing prior to the connection to waive their rights to remonstrate against annexation by the City.

Section 2. Conflicting provisions.

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All provisions of the City of Angola, Indiana Code of Ordinances, Table of Special Ordinances, Table VII: Water and Sewer Main Construction shall remain in full force and effect and shall co-exist with this ordinance. New customers seeking service shall be charged the greater of said charges or fees. In addition, this ordinance is exclusive of any private water and sewer line construction agreements.

Section 3. Effective date.

That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect January 1, 2013 from and after its passage and execution by the Mayor. Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Angola, Indiana, and by me approved this 17th day of December 2012.



Attest:

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Debra A. Twitchell, IAMC, CMC, CPFA, CMO
Clerk-Treasurer

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Richard M. Hickman
Mayor

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Angola, Indiana this 17th day of December 2012.

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