

ORDINANCE NO. 2011-3

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES COLLECTED BY THE TOWN OF WESTPORT, INDIANA, FROM THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY SERVED BY THE SEWAGE WORKS OF SAID TOWN AND OTHER MATTERS CONNECTED THEREWITH

WHEREAS, the Town of Westport, Indiana ("Town") has heretofore constructed and has in operation its municipal sewage works for the collection, treatment and disposal of sewage under the provisions of IC 36-9-23; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town previously adopted Ordinance No. 2004-2, Ordinance No. 2000-2 and Ordinance No. 1986-9 (collectively, "Rate Ordinance") establishing the sewer rates and charges for the use and services rendered by the sewage works of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town has caused a rate study to be completed by the firm of Sherman, Barber & Mullikin, Certified Public Accountants, Madison, Indiana, in connection with the proposed construction of additions and improvements to its sewage works system; and

WHEREAS, based upon such rate study, the Town Council finds that the rates and charges established by the Rate Ordinance are insufficient to enable the Town to properly operate its sewage works plant, service its bonds and finance additions and improvements to its sewage works system and should be increased;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WESTPORT, INDIANA:

Section 1. The following rates established in the Rate Ordinance are hereby amended and restated as follows:

A. METERED USERS

Metered Rates per Month:

	<u>User Charge</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>	<u>Total</u>
Flow Charge, per 1,000 Gallons	\$5.67	\$3.73	\$9.40

Monthly Base Charge

	<u>User Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Base Rate Debt Service</u>	<u>Total</u>
5/8 - 3/4 inch meter	\$16.87	\$7.78	\$24.65
1 inch meter	21.94	19.45	41.39
1 1/4 inch meter	25.31	31.12	56.43
1 1/2 inch meter	32.06	45.13	77.19
2 inch meter	45.55	77.80	123.35
3 inch meter	89.42	178.94	268.36
4 inch meter	146.77	311.20	457.97
6 inch meter	315.47	707.98	1,023.45

B. UNMETERED USERS

	<u>User Charge</u>	<u>Proposed Per Month Debt Service</u>	<u>Total</u>
Single Family Residence/Unit	\$42.39	\$24.57	\$66.96

Section 2. The rates herein established shall become effective beginning with the December 2011 sewer billing cycle.

Section 3. All other provisions of and all other rates and charges established by the Rate Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

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Passed and adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Westport, Indiana on the 21st
day of November, 2011.

TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF
WESTPORT, INDIANA

Bryan S. Gatewood
Boyd Holcomb
Darlene Tolios

ATTEST:

Sylvia England
Clerk/Treasurer

	<u>old</u>	<u>new</u>
2,500 gal	\$20.75	\$21.90
1,500 gal	11.57	12.46
4,000 gal	\$32.32	\$40.41
increase	= \$2.19	+ 42 (day) = \$8.68

	<u>old</u>	<u>new</u>
2,500 gal	\$20.75	\$22.75
2,500 gal	17.28	21.10
5,000 gal	\$40.03	\$50.05
increase	= \$10.02	+ 60 (day) = \$10.82