

**ORDINANCE NO. 2015- 48**  
**INTRODUCED BY: MR. PATTON**

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**AN ORDINANCE**  
**AMENDING SCHEDULE IV OF THE REGULATIONS OF THE WATER**  
**DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the increased costs to the Village require an immediate amendment to the water rates being charged, in order that maintenance and service on the water system may be continued for the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents and water users in this community; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Codified Ordinance Section 931.03, the water connection charges are set forth in the Regulations of the Water Department and Council wishes to amend those charges.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE**  
**OF CHAGRIN FALLS, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO:**

SECTION 1. That Schedule IV of the Regulations of the Water Department of Chagrin Falls are amended to be effective for calendar years 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019, as shown on "Exhibit A," which is appended hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Rates in effect in 2019 shall remain in effect until modified by Council.

SECTION 2. That existing Schedule IV of the Regulations of the Water Department of the Village of Chagrin Falls, and all ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this ordinance be, and the same hereby are, repealed.

SECTION 3. That actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this legislation were adopted in lawful meetings of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in compliance with all legal requirements, including Chapter 114 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Chagrin Falls.

SECTION 4. That in accordance with Section 113.01 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Chagrin Falls, public notice of this Ordinance shall be given by posting a copy thereof for not less than fifteen (15) days in the Village Hall.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the Village and for the further reason that it is necessary to insure the fiscal integrity of the water utility, and providing it receives two-thirds of the vote of all members of Council elected thereto, shall be in full force and effect for the January, 2016, billing for the first quarter of 2016.

PASSED: November 23, 2015

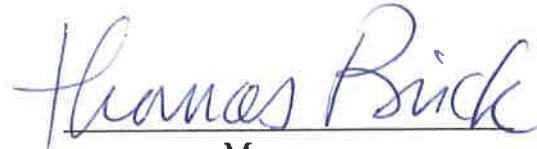
  
 Council President

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Submitted to the Mayor for  
his approval on this  
24 day of November, 2015

Approved by the Mayor  
November 24, 2015

  
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Mayor

I hereby certify that Ordinance No. 2015- 48 was duly enacted on the 23 day of  
November, 2015, by the Council of the Village of Chagrin Falls and posted in accordance  
with Section 113.01 of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Chagrin Falls.

  
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Clerk of Council

# EXHIBIT "A"

## Village of Chagrin Falls Water Department

### "SCHEDULE IV WATER RATES

(1) The following water rates are hereby established and shall be collected quarterly on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 of the year 2016 through 2019. The rates and minimum charges in effect in 2019 shall remain the rates and minimum charges in subsequent years unless otherwise amended by Council.

For the consumption of each 100 cubic feet of water or part thereof not exceeding 3,700 cubic feet, the sum of:

YEAR	RATE
2016	\$7.11 per 100 cf
2017	\$7.47 per 100 cf
2018	\$7.84 per 100 cf
2019	\$8.23 per 100 cf

For the consumption of each 100 cubic feet of water or part thereof exceeding 3,700 cubic feet, the sum of:

YEAR	RATE
2016	\$8.45 per 100 cf
2017	\$8.87 per 100 cf
2018	\$9.31 per 100 cf
2019	\$9.78 per 100 cf

The minimum charge each of quarterly billing, regardless of usage, shall be as follows:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>MINIMUM CHARGE</b>
2016	\$42.66
2017	\$44.82
2018	\$47.04
2019	\$49.34

(2) All water users outside the corporate limits of the Municipality shall be charged an additional twenty-five percent (25%) of the rates set forth in subsection (1) hereof as follows:

For the consumption of each 100 cubic feet of water or part thereof not exceeding 3,700 cubic feet, the sum of:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>RATE</b>
2016	\$8.89 per 100 cf
2017	\$9.34 per 100 cf
2018	\$9.80 per 100 cf
2019	\$10.29 per 100 cf

For the consumption of each 100 cubic feet of water or part thereof exceeding 3,700 cubic feet, the sum of:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>RATE</b>
2016	\$10.56 per 100 cf
2017	\$11.09 per 100 cf
2018	\$11.64 per 100 cf
2019	\$12.23 per 100 cf

The minimum charge each of quarterly billing, regardless of usage, shall be as follows:

YEAR	MINIMUM CHARGE
2016	\$53.34
2017	\$56.04
2018	\$58.80
2019	\$61.74

(3) There is a meter charge, for both Inside and Outside Users, based on the size of the meter as follows:

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Meter Charge</u>
½" and ¾"	\$3.00
1"	\$4.50
1 ½"	\$8.50
2"	\$12.00
4"	\$15.00
6"	\$20.00
8"	\$30.00

(4) Turn-off charge: During normal working hours \$ 0.00 During other than normal working hours \$25.00.

Turn-on charge: During normal working hours \$ 0.00 During other than normal working hours\$25.00"