

ORDINANCE NO. 84-22

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 79-4 ENTITLED  
"AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE SCHEDULE OF MONTHLY SEWER CHARGES  
AND SURCHARGES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE CITY OF LEBANON  
FROM THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY SERVED BY THE SEWAGE WORKS  
OF SAID CITY, AND OTHER MATTERS CONNECTED THEREWITH"

WHEREAS, Section 1, Subsection 118 and Section 3, Subsection 305, provide that from time to time, Ordinance no. 79-4 shall be amended to incorporate new monthly sewer charges and surcharges necessary to provide revenues proportionate to the cost for each user of the sewage system in accordance with an accounting report which has been prepared by a consultant to the City; and

WHEREAS, said accounting report has been prepared and an analysis made of the sewer rate charges and surcharges in Ordinance No. 79-4 for the use of and service rendered by the municipal sewage works, and said report indicates that sewage works' operating funds are not presently at a level proportionate to the cost of rendering service; and

WHEREAS, after study and analysis, the Utility Service Board has recommended to the Common Council of the City of Lebanon that rates and surcharges contained herein be adopted to allow production of revenues from the sewage works which are proportionate to the actual cost for each user of the sewage works; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Lebanon finds it necessary that the sewer rates and surcharges set forth in Ordinance No. 79-4 should be amended to reflect the increased costs of operation and provide for charges proportionate to the use of the sewage system per the indication of the accounting report for the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA, THAT:

Section 1. That Section 3, Subsection 301.1 and Subsection 301.2, pertaining to sewer charges and minimum monthly charge are hereby amended to read as follows:

301.1

	<u>Customer User Charge</u>	<u>Volumetric User Charge</u>	<u>Debt Service and Depreciation Charge</u>	<u>Total Monthly Sewer Charge</u>
Consumption per month				
First 300 cubic ft.	\$0.76	\$0.83	\$0.40	\$1.99
Next 200 cubic ft.		.83	.28	1.11
Next 1,000 cubic ft.		.83	.25	1.08
Next 2,000 cubic ft.		.83	.23	1.06
Next 4,000 cubic ft.		.83	.21	1.04
Next 8,000 cubic ft.		.83	.18	1.01
Over 15,500 cubic ft.		.83	.15	.98

301.2 The minimum monthly charge for any metered user shall be:

<u>Customer User Charge</u>	<u>Volumetric User Charge</u>	<u>Debt Service Charge</u>	<u>Total Monthly Sewer Charge</u>
\$2.28	\$2.49	\$1.20	\$5.97

Section 2.

That Section 4, Subsection 403, pertaining to rates of surcharge, shall be amended to read as follows:

403. Rates of Surcharge. The rate of surcharge for each of the aforementioned constituents shall be as follows:

- a. For biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)-----17.0 cents per pound
- b. For chemical oxygen demand (COD) where  
BOD cannot be determined-----17.0 cents per pound
- c. For suspended solids-----17.3 cents per pound