ORDINANCE 78-41

To Amend Chapter 10 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, Entitled, "Sanitation Company", and Establish New Billing Basis

BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

SECTION I. Section 10.04.150 of the Bloomington Municipal Code shall be amended to read as follows:

10.04.150 Rates - Monthly Basis. Charges for service to residential customers shall be based upon actual water usage for all months except June, July, August and September. For these months (when increased water consumption results from irrigation uses not returned into sewer lines), charges shall be based upon the average of April and May or actual usage, whichever is less. All other customers shall be charged on the basis of 100 per cent of metered water consumption subject to customer proof of lower wastewater use.

SECTION II. These rates shall go into effect as of March 1, 1978. In the event the enactment of this ordinance entitled a user to a refund or other monetary relief, the Sewer Utility shall make such adjustment in its future billings.

SECTION III. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 15 day of June, 1978.

John F. Richardson

John F. Richardson, President
Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:

Nora M. Connors

Nora M. Connors, Deputy City Clerk

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 16 day of June, 1978.

Nora M. Connors

Nora M. Connors, Deputy City Clerk

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this 16 day of June, 1978.

Francis X. McCloskey

Francis X. McCloskey, Mayor
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This ordinance would reinstate the old billing system for wastewater usage of charging residential utility customers for actual usage of water in all but the summer months, when either actual usage or the average usage of April plus May, whichever is lower, would be used. The rationale behind the billing basis is to not charge for sewage use in months when water is used for watering of lawns and gardens, and is therefore not returned to the city sewage system.

I HEREBY MOVE THAT ORDINANCE # 78-41

BE INTRODUCED AND READ FOR FIRST READING BY TITLE

ONLY AT THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON June 1, 78

Lloyd W. West

(Signature)