

ORDINANCE 94-40

TO AMEND TITLE 9 OF THE BLOOMINGTON
MUNICIPAL CODE, ENTITLED "WATER"

WHEREAS, City of Bloomington Utilities has had no adjustment in water rates since December 1, 1993; and

WHEREAS, City of Bloomington Utilities has made application to the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission to adjust water rates in order to permit rates to reflect inflation, and increased costs of supplying water and services to customers and issue revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing certain capital improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bloomington Utilities has also determined that its rates and charges should provide sufficient revenues to provide for a reasonable rate of return on its waterworks plant and to provide for payments to the City of funds in lieu of taxes which would be paid if the waterworks were privately owned;

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

SECTION I. Section 9.08.010 Monthly rates generally of Chapter 9.08 of title 9 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, shall be amended to read as follows:

9.08.010 Monthly rates generally. The following rates and charges are established for the use of and service rendered by the water utility of the city. Each customer will pay a monthly charge according to the following schedules:

Monthly usage charge applicable to Residential, Commercial, Industrial, Interdepartmental, and Indiana University Revenue Meter Classes.

<u>Monthly Usage</u>	<u>Rate per 1,000 Gallons</u>
First 20,000 Gallons	\$1.53
Next 280,000 Gallons	1.23
Over 300,000 Gallons	1.08

Monthly usage charge applicable to Indiana University Master Meters in Addition to Monthly Service Charge.

<u>Monthly Usage</u>	<u>1,000 Gallons</u>
All usage	\$ 1.017

Monthly Service Charge in Addition to Monthly Usage Charge Including Contract Sales for Resale Customers and Indiana University Master Meters.

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>
5/8"	\$ 2.97	3"	\$ 36.15
3/4"	4.16	4"	59.85
1"	5.82	6"	119.10
1-1/2"	10.55	8"	178.34
2"	15.29	10"	237.59

Monthly Service Charge for Fire Protection Service applicable to Residential, Commercial, Industrial, and Interdepartmental Customer Classes.

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>
5/8"	\$1.11	3"	\$ 19.47
3/4"	1.66	4"	33.37
1"	2.79	6"	69.53
1-1/2"	5.56	8"	100.12
2"	8.90	10"	161.30

Indiana University - Monthly Fire Protection Charge -
\$1,252.24

SECTION II. Section 9.08.020 Contract Sales for resale of Chapter 9.08 of title 9 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, shall be amended to read as follows:

9.08.020 Contract Sales for Resale. The rates for contract sales for resale shall be \$ 0.966 per one thousand gallons.

Monthly Service Charge in Addition to Monthly Usage Charge

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Charge</u>
5/8"	\$ 2.97	3"	\$ 36.15
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SECTION III. Section 9.08.030 Municipal hydrant rates of Chapter 9.08 of title 9 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, shall be amended to read as follows:

9.08.030 Municipal Hydrant Rates. The City of Bloomington adopts the provisions of Indiana Code §8-1-2-103(d). The charges for production, storage, transmission, sale and delivery, or furnishing of water for public fire protection purposes shall be added to the basic rates of all customers of the utility. The effective date for addition of these charges in the basic rate shall be December 1, 1993.

After December 1, 1993 the construction cost of any fire hydrant installed at the request of the municipality shall be paid for by or on behalf of the municipality.

SECTION IV. Section 9.08.040 Private fire connection of Chapter 9.08 of Title 9 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, shall be amended to read as follows:

<u>Size</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Annually</u>
4" and under	\$ 5.36	\$ 64.32
6"	14.24	176.88
8"	30.28	363.36
10"	52.89	634.68
12"	83.43	1,001.16

SECTION V. Customer billing shall be computed with these rates for the first full billing cycle following final approval by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission.

SECTION VI. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council, approval by the Mayor, and promulgation according to law and approval by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission. These rates are subject to a cost of service study and may be adjusted by final order of the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission.

SECTION VII. Severability. If any section, sentence, or

provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other parts of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid part, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Indiana, this 7th day of September, 1994.

Jim Sherman
JIM SHERMAN, President
Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:

Patricia Williams
PATRICIA WILLIAMS, Clerk
City of Bloomington

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington upon the 8th day of September, 1994.

Patricia Williams
PATRICIA WILLIAMS, Clerk
City of Bloomington

SIGNED and APPROVED by me on this 9th day of September, 1994.

Tomilea Allison
TOMILEA ALLISON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This ordinance amends Title 9 of the BMC, entitled "Water", to reflect cost inflation and new capital projects.

Signed copies to
Utilities
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