

ORDINANCE NO. 05-07

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 1985-9-1 ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 70 ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE HILLSDALE COUNTY SANITARY SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM NO. 3 (VILLAGE OF CAMDEN) ON A PUBLIC UTILITY BASIS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ACT 9, PUBLIC ACTS OF MICHIGAN, 1933, AS AMENDED AND "TO PROVIDE ADDITIONALLY FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE HILLSDALE COUNTY WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM NO. 1 (VILLAGE OF CAMDEN) ON A PUBLIC UTILITY BASIS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ACT 94, PUBLIC ACTS OF MICHIGAN, 1933, AS AMENDED AND TO AMEND WATER AND SEWER RATES, CHARGES, AND SHUT-OFF PERIOD.

THE VILLAGE OF CAMDEN HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Section 2 of Ordinance No. 1985-9-1 is hereby amended to provide the following rates for sewer, water, and to provide late fees and for the shutoff of service as follows:

1. Water rates for residential users in the Village of Camden shall be set at \$45.00 per month per household.
2. Sewer rates for residential users in the Village of Camden shall be set at \$45.00 per month per household.
3. Water rates for properties owned by the Village of Camden shall be set at \$1.00 per month per municipal building.
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5. "Stand-by" water rates for residential users in the Village of Camden who have requested that their accounts be made dormant shall be set at \$35.00 per month per household.
6. "Stand-by" sewer rates for residential users in the Village of Camden who have requested that their accounts be made dormant shall be set at \$35.00 per month per household.
7. Each premises other than a single family residence shall pay monthly charge of \$45.00 multiplied by a factor representing the ratio of sewage use by such class of premises to normal single family residential equivalents or ratios; however, the monthly minimum charge to any premises shall be \$45.00; such ratios of sewage used by class or premises to normal single family residences shall be set by resolution of the Village Council.

- 8. Each premises other than a single family residence shall pay monthly charge of \$45.00 multiplied by a factor representing the ratio of water use by such class of premises to normal single family residential equivalents or ratios; however, the monthly minimum charge to any premises shall be \$45.00; such ratios of water used by class or premises to normal single family residences shall be set by resolution of the Village Council.
- 9. Bills shall be presented monthly for Village water and sewer service and payable without penalty until the date stated thereon. Payments received after such date shall bear a penalty of 10 percent (10%) of the total of the bill each month until paid.
- 10. Water service to any premises for which the charges for water service are more than two months' delinquent shall be terminated, and said service shall not be reestablished until all delinquent charges and penalties are paid, together with a disconnect fee of \$10.00 and a reconnect fee of \$10.00.
- 11. Sewer service to any premises for which the charges for sewer service are more than two months' delinquent shall be terminated, and said service shall not be reestablished until all delinquent charges and penalties are paid, together with a disconnect fee of \$10.00 and a reconnect fee of \$10.00.
- 12. Village Council may amend water and sewer rates by resolution henceforth.
- 13. This Ordinance shall become effective the later of 20 days following publication or October 1, 2007.

Village of Camden

Date: 8-28-2007

By: Merry Bailey
Merry Bailey
Its: President

Date: 8-28-2007

By: Marilyn Koebbe
Marilyn Koebbe
Its: Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 04-07

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1985-9-1 of the Village of Camden.

THE VILLAGE OF CAMDEN ORDAINS:

Section 1. The definition of "Sewage" under Section 5 of Ordinance No. 1985-9-1, Definitions shall be deleted and replaced with the following definition:

2. "Sewage" shall mean the liquid and water-carried waste from industrial, commercial processes and municipal operations, or domestic waste (including gray water) from dwellings, commercial buildings, industrial facilities and institutions, including excess waste, from cooling, condensing, or other sanitary systems. Sewage shall specifically not include surface or storm waters.

Section 2. The following Cross-connection section shall be added to Section 5 of the current sewer use ordinance as follows:

Cross-connections

1. The Village of Camden adopts by reference the water supply cross-connection rules of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, being RF325.11401 through 325.11407 of the Michigan Administrative Code, as amended.
2. It shall be the duty of the Village of Camden to cause inspections to be made of all properties served by the public water supply, where cross-connections with public water supply is deemed possible. The frequency of inspections and reinspection based on potential health hazards involved shall be as established by the Village of Camden and as approved by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.
3. The representative of the Village of Camden shall have the right to enter at any reasonable time any property served by a connection to the public water supply of the Village for the purpose of inspecting the piping system or systems thereof for cross-connections. The Village of Camden may use any form of testing, including smoke testing, or other testing as deemed appropriate, to test for cross-connections. On request, the owner, lessees, or occupants of any property so served shall furnish to the Village of Camden any pertinent information regarding the piping system or systems on such property. A refusal of such information or refusal of access, when requested, shall be deemed evidence of the presence of cross-connection.
4. The Village of Camden is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue water service after reasonable notice to any property where any connection violation of this ordinance exists and to take such other precautionary measures as deemed necessary to eliminate any danger of contamination of the public water supply system. Water service to such property shall not be restored until the cross connection(s) has been eliminated in compliance with the provisions of this Ordinance.
5. All testable back flow prevention devices shall be tested initially upon installation to be sure that the device is working properly. Subsequent testing of devices shall be conducted at a time interval specified by the Village of Camden and in accordance with the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality requirements. Only individuals approved by the Village of Camden shall be qualified to perform testing. The individual shall certify the results of his or her testing.
6. The potable water supply made available on the property served by the Camden Village Water System shall be protected from possible contamination as specified by this Ordinance by the State and by the State Plumbing Code. Any water outlet which could be used for potable or domestic purposes and which is not supplied by the potable water must be labeled in a conspicuous manner as: "WATER UNSAFE FOR DRINKING". Such signs shall be the size with at least 72 point printing.
7. This ordinance does not supersede the state plumbing code, but is supplementary to it.
8. Any person found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or any written order of the Village of Camden in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 for each violation. Each day upon which a violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall occur shall be deemed a separate and additional violation for the purposes of this ordinance.
9. This Ordinance shall be published in full in the Hillsdale Daily News, a newspaper of general circulation in the Village of Camden, qualified under State law to publish legal notices, promptly after its adoption, and the same shall be recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Village of Camden and such recording authenticated by the signatures of the Village President and the Village Clerk.
10. This Ordinance shall be effective on the twenty-first day following its passage and following its publication.

Village President Merry Bailey
Village Clerk Marilyn Koebbe

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being first duly sworn, says that she is the Assistant Manager of the Hillsdale Daily News, published in the English language for the dissemination of local or transmitted news and information of a general character and legal news, and that she is a copy of a certain order taken from the Hillsdale Daily Newspaper, in which the order was published on the following dates, to wit:

Kast
Assistant Manager

sworn to before me this

_____ day of July, 2007

Kelly J. Richardson
Notary Public for Hillsdale County, Michigan

My commission expires 9-6-13

KELLY J. RICHARDSON
"NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF HILLSDALE"
ACTING IN THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 6, 2013