

ORDINANCE NO: O-2023-2

VILLAGE OF HASKINS, WOOD COUNTY, OHIO

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 161 ESTABLISHING THE WATER SURCHARGE PROVIDING MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT

WHEREAS, the Village of Haskins has determined a charge for Water improvements is necessary to preserve the health, safety and welfare of its residents;

WHEREAS, on February 2, 1976, the Council of Haskins Village adopted Ordinance Number 161 which established a surcharge providing maintenance and improvement of the Village water distribution system, amended on December 15, 1997 repealing Section 1 of Ordinance 161, and adding a \$2.00 fixed charge per unit per month.

WHEREAS, the Committee of Streets and Utilities of the Council of Haskins Village approved changes to the Fixed Rate set for Water Improvements and following recommendations from the Rate Study completed in 2020 it is recommended to the Council of Haskins Village that such changes be adopted, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Haskins, Wood County, Ohio, that:

Section 1: The water distribution system improvement charge shall consist of a fixed rate outlined in the follow rate/timeframe;

Year	Effective Date	Rate Per Unit Per Month
2024	1 st Billing Cycle of 2024	\$14.00
2025	1 st Billing Cycle of 2025	\$16.00
2026	1 st Billing Cycle of 2026	\$18.00

and Ten (10) percent of the amount billed by the City of Bowling Green for each user for water used in each billing period. The water surcharge shall be collected by the City of Bowling Green or in such other manner as council shall determine and shall be paid into the Water Line Maintenance and Improvement Fund and shall be used for the maintenance, repair, improvement and general operation of water lines including the required Distribution Operator position. The water surcharge shall be effective after the effective date of this Ordinance at the first billing period that Village officials can arrange to have it billed and collected.

Section 2: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any other committees that results in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Vote on passage: 46 Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstentions

Roll Call:

Passed this 3 day of April 2023

Eric A. Piehn
President Pro Tempore

ATTEST:
Lisa D. Heft
Clerk-Treasurer Lisa D. Heft

APPROVED:
Bradley Heft
Honorable Mayor Bradley Heft