

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 102-94 OF CHAPTER 102 UTILITIES; OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, TO MODIFY AND SUPPLEMENT FEES CHARGED FOR VARIOUS CITY SERVICES, TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES, AND PRESCRIBE A PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS.

THE CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. Section 102-94 in Article II. Municipal Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System in Chapter 102 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rochester Hills shall be amended as follows:

**Sec. 102-94. - Shut off and turn on charges.**

- (a) In addition to sections 102-91 through 102-93, the city shall have the right to shut off water and/or sewer service to any premises for which charges for water and/or sewer service are more than 30 days delinquent.
- (b) Water shutoff shall be preceded by a termination of service notice, which shall be sent by first class mail and shall inform the user that failure to pay the past due amount, including any penalties, within 14 days will result in termination of service. This notice will also inform the user that the user may request an administrative hearing seven days prior to any termination of service. At the hearing the user will be given an opportunity to show why service should not be terminated.
- (c) If the payment is not received or satisfactory arrangements have not been made or a hearing has been requested within 14 days after the termination of service notice is mailed to the user, the supply of water shall be discontinued.
- (d) Such service shall not be reestablished until all delinquent charges and penalties and a turn on charge ~~has of \$56.00 have~~ been paid ~~as provided in section 54-776~~.

Section 2. Severability. This ordinance and each article, section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, part, provision, sentence, word and portion thereof are hereby declared to be severable, and if they or any of them are declared to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is hereby provided that the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3. Repeal, Penalty, Effective Date, Adoption.

- (1) Repeal. All regulatory provisions contained in other City ordinances, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed.
- (2) Penalty. Except as otherwise provided therein, all violations of this ordinance shall be municipal civil infractions and upon a determination of responsibility therefore shall be punishable by a civil fine of \$500.

- (3) Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective on \_\_\_\_\_, following its publication in the Oakland Press on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.
- (4) Adoption. This ordinance was adopted by the City Council of the City of Rochester Hills at a meeting thereof held on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Bryan K. Barnett, Mayor  
City of Rochester Hills

CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS AT A MEETING THEREOF ON \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Leanne Scott, Clerk  
City of Rochester Hills