

**ORDINANCE 2022-48**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOGANSPORT, INDIANA, APPROVING A CHANGE IN RATES AND CHARGES OF THE LOGANSPORT MUNICIPAL WATER DEPARTMENT.**

**WHEREAS**, the Utility Service Board of the City of Logansport (the "Board") is charged with maintaining the electric utility, waterworks and sewage works (collectively hereafter "Logansport Municipal Utilities") owned by the City of Logansport in sound physical and financial condition necessary to render adequate and efficient service; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has been advised on that the revenues generated by the water department are insufficient to adequately cover expenses incident to the operation of the waterworks, debt service, debt service reserve funding, and extensions and replacements; and

**WHEREAS**, In order to generate sufficient revenues, it will be necessary to increase the water rates, across the board, in three phases comprised, as shown below and as per Attachment A.

	<b>Phase I</b>	<b>Phase II</b>	<b>Phase III</b>
<b>INCREASE</b>	29.2%	5.0%	9.6%
<b>EFFECTIVE</b>	1-1-2023	1-1-2024	1-1-2025

**WHEREAS**, the Board approved the increase by their Resolution 2022-03 on September 27, 2022 and is now asking for the Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana, to approve the same; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council has scheduled a public hearing on December 5, 2022, at which all persons shall have the right to appear and be heard on the matter of the water rates and charges.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana:

**SECTION 1:** The Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana, does hereby approve a water rate increase in 3 phases comprised as follows: A 29.2% increase across the board in Phase I, effective January 1, 2023; a 5.0% increase across the board in Phase II, effective January 1, 2024; and a 9.6% increase across the board in Phase III, effective January 1, 2025

Rate information is shown in Attachment A and authorizes and directs the Utility Service Board to implement such a rate increase.

**SECTION 2:** That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage by the Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana, and approval by the Mayor of the City of Logansport, Indiana

**SECTION 3:** The *Outside the City Limits* water rates will remain approximately 25% higher than the similar charges applied to *Inside the City Limits* Users.

**SECTION 4:** This ordinance shall be in effect after its passage by the Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana.

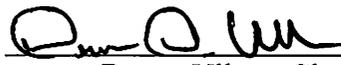
**INTRODUCED, FILED AND APPROVED** by a vote of 4 in favor, 1 opposed, and 0 abstained on this 7th day of November 2022.

**DULY PASSED, ORDAINED AND ADOPTED** this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December 2022 by the Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana by a vote of 6 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained.

Common Council of the City of Logansport, Indiana

By:   
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Jake LeDonne, President

ATTEST:

  
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Duane Ullom, Clerk-Treasurer

Submitted to, approved by, and signed by me, the Mayor of the City of Logansport, Indiana this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022

  
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Chris Martin, Mayor

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**Attachment A**  
**Inside City Limits**

			Phase I In-City Rates and Charges	Phase II In-City Rates and Charges	Phase III In-City Rates and Charges
<u>Consumption Per Month</u>					
<u>Rate Per 1,000 Gallons</u>					
First	10,000	Gallons	\$ 6.81	\$ 7.15	\$ 7.84
Next	90,000	Gallons	5.12	5.38	5.90
Over	100,000	Gallons	2.57	2.70	2.96

Minimum Monthly Charges

Each user shall pay a minimum monthly charge in accordance with the size of meter installed for which the user will be entitled to the quantity of water set out in the above schedule of rates.

Meter Size

3/4	inch meter or less	\$ 20.43	\$ 21.45	\$ 23.51
1	inch meter	47.60	49.98	54.78
1 1/2	inch meter	68.18	71.59	78.46
2	inch meter	122.56	128.69	141.04
3	inch meter	271.95	285.55	312.96
4	inch meter	504.32	529.54	580.38
6	inch meter	952.40	1,000.02	1,096.02
8	inch meter	1,269.98	1,333.48	1,461.49

Public Fire Protection

Fixed Charge Per Month Per Customer Connection

Meter Size

3/4	inch meter or less	\$ 3.82	\$ 4.01	\$ 4.39
1	inch meter	9.86	10.35	11.34
1 1/2	inch meter	22.21	23.32	25.56
2	inch meter	39.46	41.43	45.41
3	inch meter	88.81	93.25	102.20
4	inch meter	157.90	165.80	181.72
6	inch meter	355.29	373.05	408.86
8	inch meter	631.61	663.19	726.86
10	inch meter	986.92	1,036.27	1,135.75

Private Fire Protection

Hydrant Rental - Per Hydrant - Per Year \$ 756.71 \$ 794.55 \$ 870.83

Standpipes and Sprinklers - Per Line Per Month

1	inch line for standpipe	\$ 11.62	\$ 12.20	\$ 13.37
2	inch line for standpipe	19.12	20.08	22.01
3	inch line for standpipe	45.43	47.70	52.28
4	inch line- automatic sprinkler connection (maximum 700 heads allowed)	60.59	63.62	69.73
6	inch line	75.72	79.51	87.14
8	inch line	90.78	95.32	104.47
10	inch line	105.97	111.27	121.95
12	inch line	121.13	127.19	139.40

**Attachment A (Continued)**

**Outside City Limits**

			Phase I Outside-City Rates and Charges	Phase II Outside-City Rates and Charges	Phase III Outside-City Rates and Charges
<u>Consumption Per Month</u>					
<u>Rate Per 1,000 Gallons</u>					
First	10,000	Gallons	\$ 8.49	\$ 8.91	\$ 9.77
Next	90,000	Gallons	6.43	6.75	7.40
Over	100,000	Gallons	3.26	3.42	3.75

Minimum Monthly Charges

Each user shall pay a minimum monthly charge in accordance with the size of meter installed for which the user will be entitled to the quantity of water set out in the above schedule of rates.

Meter Size

3/4	inch meter or less	\$ 25.47	\$ 26.74	\$ 29.31
1	inch meter	59.51	62.49	68.49
1 1/2	inch meter	85.22	89.48	98.07
2	inch meter	153.22	160.88	176.32
3	inch meter	339.94	356.94	391.21
4	inch meter	630.41	661.93	725.48
6	inch meter	1,190.49	1,250.01	1,370.01
8	inch meter	1,587.51	1,666.89	1,826.91

Public Fire Protection

Fixed Charge Per Month Per Customer Connection

Meter Size

3/4	inch meter or less	\$ 3.82	\$ 4.01	\$ 4.39
1	inch meter	9.86	10.35	11.34
1 1/2	inch meter	22.21	23.32	25.56
2	inch meter	39.46	41.43	45.41
3	inch meter	88.81	93.25	102.20
4	inch meter	157.90	165.80	181.72
6	inch meter	355.29	373.05	408.86
8	inch meter	631.61	663.19	726.86
10	inch meter	986.92	1,036.27	1,135.75

Private Fire Protection

Hydrant Rental - Per Hydrant - Per Year \$ 945.86 \$ 993.15 \$ 1,088.49

Standpipes and Sprinklers - Per Line Per Month

1	inch line for standpipe	\$ 14.56	\$ 15.29	\$ 16.76
2	inch line for standpipe	23.90	25.10	27.51
3	inch line for standpipe	56.74	59.58	65.30
4	inch line- automatic sprinkler connection (maximum 700 heads allowed)	75.74	79.53	87.16
6	inch line	94.61	99.34	108.88
8	inch line	113.44	119.11	130.54
10	inch line	132.47	139.09	152.44
12	inch line	151.38	158.95	174.21