ORDINANCE No. 2003-162007-02

AN ORDINANCE <u>AMENDING #2003-16, ESTABLISHING WHICH ESTABLISHED</u> SANITARY WATER RATES FOR THE CITY OF ST. AUGUSTA, MINNESOTA

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. AUGUSTA, MINNESOTA, HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Water Rate. The following rates are hereby established for charges made to the users of the sanitary sewer system of the City of St. Augusta, Minnesota:

- A. <u>Minimum Monthly Fee</u>. Each user of the sanitary sewer system shall pay a minimum monthly charge of \$17.02 per month. This Minimum Monthly Fee includes water consumption of up to three thousand (3,000) gallons per month, as measured by the premises water meter.
- B. —Volume Fee. Each customer of the municipal water system shall pay⁴ \$4.10 per one thousand gallons of municipal water consumed for all amounts greater than 3,000 gallons per month, as measured by the premises water meter.
- C. Amending Fees. These fees can be changed from time to time by resolution of the City Council.

Section 2. Payment of Water Fees. Bills for water consumption shall be rendered on a monthly basis succeeding the period for which the service was rendered and shall be due 20 days from the date of rendering. Any bill not paid in full 30 days after the due date will be considered delinquent. At that time the city shall notify the delinquent owner/occupant in writing regarding the delinquent bill and subsequent penalty. The penalty shall be computed at 10% of the original bill and shall be increased the same 10% for every quarter the bill is outstanding.

- A. <u>Delinquent Accounts, Disconnection and Other Provisions</u>. The provisions of the Sewer Use Ordinance, Ordinance No. 2003-09, shall apply to all delinquent payments or accounts, disconnection from service and any and all other provisions.
- Section 3. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, provision, sentence or lesser part of this Ordinance be found invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, then such invalid section, paragraph, provision, sentence or phrase shall be severed from this Ordinance and all remaining portions or this Ordinance shall continue in full force and effect.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage and publication in the official newspaper as provided by law.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of St. Augusta this 16^{th} – 17^{th} day of September January, 20032007.

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	Adopted September 16, 2003
	CITY OF ST. AUGUSTA, MINNESOTA
	Ollie MondlochB. J. Kroll, Mayor
Attest:	
Aaron And William R. M	IcCabeerson, City Clerk – Administrator