

**TOWNSHIP OF WEST BRADFORD  
ORDINANCE 11-02**

*AN ORDINANCE TO SET FORTH THE PENALTY FEE  
FOR DELINQUENT SEWER PAYMENTS*

**WHEREAS**, the Township has constructed and does operate a sanitary sewage collection and treatment system and other related facilities (collectively, the "Sewer System") within a part of the Township (the "Service Area"); and,

**WHEREAS**, the Township has established and does levy sewer rates, tapping fees and other charges for use and availability of the Sewer System and for such services as rendered by the Township; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Township, as may be required, does revise said sewer rates, tapping fees and other charges so to provide the revenue adequate to properly maintain the Sewer System and to protect the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Township.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED**, by the Board of Supervisors of West Bradford Township, does hereby amend Ordinance 05-03 as follows:

**Section 1 – Change Section VI – Sewer Rates and Other Charges, Subsection D. (3)** so to read as follows:

Sewer rates and charges shall be due and payable five (5) days after mailing or delivery by or on behalf of this Township to the Person responsible for payment thereof. If sewer rates and charges are not paid within thirty (30) calendar days after the same become due and payable, a ten percent (10%) penalty shall be charged. Payment made or mailed and postmarked on or before the last day of such 30-calendar day period shall constitute payment within such period. If the end of such 30 calendar day period shall fall on a legal holiday or on a Sunday, payment made on or mailed and postmarked on the next succeeding business day which is not a legal holiday shall constitute payment within such period.

Whenever service to any Improved Property shall begin, or be required to begin, after the first day or shall terminate before the last day of any quarterly billing period, sewer rates or charges for such period shall be prorated equitably, if appropriate for that portion of the quarterly billing period during which such improved Property was served by the Sewage System.

**Section 2 - Severability Clause and Effective Date**

If any sentence, clause, section or part of this Ordinance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections, or parts of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intent of the Board of Supervisors that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid sentence, clause, section or part thereof not been included herein.


All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and the invalidity of section, clause, sentence, or provision of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this Ordinance, which can be given effect without such invalid part or parts.

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Township that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such invalid section, clause, sentence, or provision not been included therein. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment.


ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011.

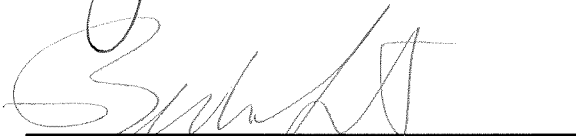
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