

ORDINANCE 2009 - 03

THIS IS AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CHANGE IN UTILITY RATES IN THE VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Ashville, Ohio authorizes by ordinance the rates charged for the refuse utility of the Village; and

WHEREAS, it becomes necessary on occasion to adjust those rates.

WHEREAS, the cost of providing utility services will be linked to the Consumer Price Index and will increase by that percentage at the conclusion of a year to be added on the next full-month.

WHEREAS, this rate increase will allow revenue to keep pace with expenses.

NOW, AND HEREAFTER BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL, VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE, PICKAWAY COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO THAT:

SECTION ONE

The rate structure for water and sewer charges found in Chapter 929. Water, Sewer, and Stormwater Rates will be adjusted annually based upon the Consumer Price Index.

SECTION TWO

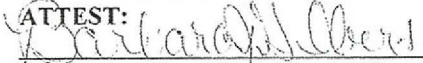
This Utility Rate change will become effective during the first full month after the December Consumer Price Index is announced and annualized. That rate will be communicated to the residence before it becomes effective.

SECTION THREE

That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Village and its inhabitants for the reason that there exists an imperative necessity for the earliest publication and distribution of rates authorized by this ordinance to the officials and residents of the Village, so as to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements, and shall go into full force and effect immediately upon its passage by Council.

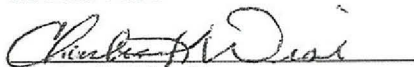
PASSED THIS 17th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2009

ATTEST:


Barbara J. Gilbert, Clerk/Fiscal Officer

Feb 17 2009
Date

APPROVED:


Charles K. Wise, Mayor

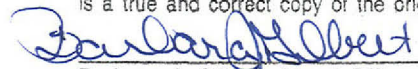
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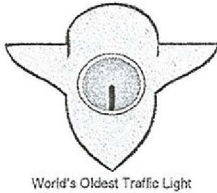
Date of Production: January 16, 2009

Revised Date:

Review Date:

I, Barbara J. Gilbert, Fiscal Officer of the Village of Ashville, Ohio hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original.

 Date 07/26/12
Barbara J. Gilbert, Fiscal Officer



ORDINANCE 2010 - 07

Ashville, Ohio

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 929.02 (2009-12) TO CHANGE THE CHARGE FOR WATER SERVICES IN THE VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE. THIS CHANGE WILL NOT CONFLICT WITH ANY OHIO REVISED CODE (ORC) LIMITATIONS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Ashville, Ohio authorizes by ordinance the rate of charge for utilities within and/or without the Village; and

WHEREAS, it becomes necessary on occasion to adjust those charges.

NOW, AND HEREAFTER BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL, VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE, PICKAWAY COUNTY, STATE OF OHIO THAT:

SECTION ONE

That the following rate structure will be used as a replacement for Chapter 929.02 Water:

The rate increase of \$0.26 per thousand gallons of water will be used to pay the cost of placing our two Village of Ashville water towers on a maintenance program.

Water Service			
Per 1000 Gallons	Current Rate	Inside Village New Rate	Outside Village New Rate
1-24	\$3.14	\$3.40	\$5.10
25-49	\$2.90	\$3.16	\$4.74
50-74	\$2.68	\$2.94	\$4.41
75-99	\$2.47	\$2.73	\$4.10
100-over	\$2.42	\$2.68	\$4.02

SECTION TWO

This Ordinance deals only with usage of water. All other sections of Chapter 929 Water and Sewer Rates remain in affect and therefore fully enforceable.

SECTION THREE

That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance and necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of the Village of Ashville; therefore this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED THIS 15 DAY OF November 2010

ATTEST:

Barbara J. Gilbert
BARBARA J. GILBERT, CLERK/FISCAL OFFICER

11-15-10
DATE

APPROVED:

Charles K. Wise
CHARLES K. WISE, MAYOR

15 Nov 2010
DATE
Barbara J. Gilbert, Fiscal Officer of the Village of Ashville, Ohio hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original.

Barbara J. Gilbert 07/24/12
Barbara J. Gilbert, Fiscal Officer

Date of Production: October 13, 2010
Revised Date:
Review Date:





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Emergency Contact Numbers
Police Department 911
Street Depart. 614/402-9876
Utility Depart. 614/332-8775

Special points of interest:

- Election Day Information
- CPI & 3% Increase



Daylight Saving Time begins at 2:00 a.m. local time on Sunday, March 11th. Turn your clocks ahead one hour. Daylight Saving Time gives us the opportunity to enjoy sunny summer evenings by moving our clocks an hour forward in the spring.

Great Ohio Bicycle Adventure GOBA 24 is coming to Ashville on June 19th. Up to 2,000 bicyclists will be coming to Teays Valley. Learn more by going to www.ashvilleohio.gov. More info. in future newsletters

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- Viking Festival

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The Mayor's Column - Election Day



March 6th is election day for Ohio. While it is listed as a Primary Election, there are two general election issues that can be voted on as a party member or as a nonpartisan. You can on election day request one of the following ballots:

- ◆ Democratic Primary Ballot
- ◆ Green Party Ballot
- ◆ Libertarian Party Ballot
- ◆ Nonpartisan Ballot
- ◆ Republican Primary Ballot

The village is not taking a position on these issues or those running for office. We wish to provide you the information so that you can evaluate them for yourself and make an informed choice.

If you go on the internet you can find information. We encourage you to research and validate what is published.

You will also find information about the two local issues on

page three of our October 28, 2011 Newsletter. This newsletter can be found on our website: www.ashvilleohio.gov. Look under "Community & Links" and click the link labeled "Newsletter".

One issue involves Paint Valley Alcohol Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services. The second issue involves Teays Valley. The first issue has information at their website: <http://www.pvadamh.org>. There is a website supporting the Teays Valley Issue <http://www.wix.com/teaysvalley/levy>. The other opposite opinion for these issues can be read in the comments sections of web based newspapers like the Circleville Herald.

We have included an insert that reflects the ballot used. Complete this sample ballot before you go to your voting location. It may make it easier and expedite the process.

Remember the order of the candidates will vary depending on the precinct you are registered. Also, the Green and Libertarian Ballot is

different from the nonpartisan by having a "Write-in" area for U.S. Senator.

Let the process work by voting.

*Charles K. Wise,
Mayor*



Consumer Price Index (CPI) Results in 3.0% Utility Increase

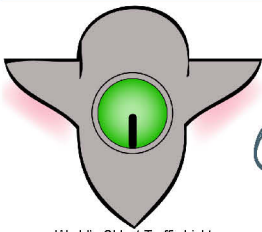
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adjustment was 2.7% and for 2010 the adjustment was 1.5%. The 2011 average CPI was 3.0% and that will be reflected in the next billing cycle. The impact of the rate change can be seen on the table to the right based upon a per 1000 gallons of usage. The Water Tower fee is not impacted by the CPI. Therefore, no adjustment is needed. A description of the CPI can be found at www.ashvilleohio.gov and in our February 2010 Newsletter.

Wastewater Service			
Per 1000 Gallons	Current Rate	Inside Village New Rate	Outside Village New Rate
1-24	\$6.79	\$6.99	\$10.49
25-49	\$6.76	\$6.96	\$10.44
50-74	\$6.72	\$6.92	\$10.38
75-99	\$6.58	\$6.88	\$10.32
100-over	\$6.20	\$6.39	\$9.58

Water Service			
Per 1000 Gallons	Current Rate	Inside Village New Rate	Outside Village New Rate
1-24	\$3.19	\$3.28	\$4.92
25-49	\$2.94	\$3.03	\$4.55
50-74	\$2.72	\$2.80	\$4.20
75-99	\$2.51	\$2.58	\$3.87
100-over	\$2.46	\$2.53	\$3.79

Water Tower Fee 26¢ Inside Rate 39¢ Outside Rate per 1,000



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- Snow Removal
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TAX SEASON INFORMATION

Taxes are due by April 18th this year. If you need assistance from our Tax Administrator Patricia Cavinee, she can be reached at 740 / 983—7242

Next Month....

“State of the Village”



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How to help our Snow Team & Your Community



Thanks to our “Snow Team”, David Ballard, David McMillion, and Greg Sturgill, the Village of Ashville streets have been successfully kept clear of snow and ice. Job well-done!!

When plowing streets and applying salt, the staff is monitoring vehicle location, pedestrian traffic, and the truck with its equipment. Therefore, they are encountering very hazardous conditions and need no additional distractions to the job they are performing.

Since we are likely to have more snow, the following items would help the process of snow removal:

- ◆ Remove cars from the street. The biggest hindrance to snow plowing and spreading of salt is the presence of vehicles parked on the street.
- ◆ Do not pass a snowplow in the village and stay back a safe distance. Let the snowplow drivers concentrate on clearing the road-

way. A driver has to watch the roadway and confirm the salt spreader is working, raise and lower plow blades, and drive the manual transmission truck besides driving through a snowstorm.

- ◆ Improve visibility - Like other big trucks, snowplows have poor visibility on the sides and behind the vehicle. Remember that if you can't see the driver's side mirrors, he or she can't see you.
- ◆ Avoid driving into a snow spray cloud that is created by the plow, which could result in a total “white out” with zero visibility.
- ◆ Pile or blow the snow into your yard. It is best to remove the snow as early as possible to prevent the buildup of ice or packing of the snow. Residents are also asked not to shovel or blow snow from driveways or sidewalks into the street. This can create hazardous conditions and is prohibited by ordinance.

Another area involves sidewalks.

- ◆ Clear off your sidewalk(s), it can be an inconvenience to pedestrians or potentially create a hazard if an ice patch results. Children need to be able to safely walk to school and to protect pedestrians from possible injury. Residents are required by ordinance to clear sidewalks (including crosswalks) within 24 hours after the end of a snowfall. Watch out for snowplows. If your sidewalk is icy, please apply salt to melt the ice or sand for traction.

If you have questions or wish to report information please contact:

ashville@ashvilleohio.gov
or call 983-6367.

Salt for our roads costs \$135/ton, and every time we plow we use from 8 to 15 tons of salt. That equates to \$1,350 to \$2,025 per application. This winter we have spent \$21,600 on salt.

Consumer Price Index (CPI) Results in 1.5% Utility Increase

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Friendly Community Newsletter

Newsletter



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10 MINUTES THAT COULD BETTER YOUR HEALTH- -Monday, April 5, Starting at 9:00 am

TO: Interested Community Members **WHAT:** "Life Line Screening" **WHERE:** Ashville Community Park

Life Line Screening screens the carotid arteries in the neck for **Stroke** (75% of all strokes are linked to Carotid Artery Blockage) and the arteries in the legs for **Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD)**, which is linked to heart disease. They offer a third test for **Aneurysms** in the aortic vessel of the abdomen. **Screening for Atrial Fibrillation (Afib)**, irregular heartbeat. They also offer an **Osteoporosis** bone density screening

This is a preventive program, and is really worth participating. These tests can reveal problems early so that the issues can be addressed and taken care of before they become life threatening. Results are mailed back to you and you are referred to your own Doctor. These non-invasive, completely painless screenings take about 10 minutes each and there is a fee for these services. **Pre-register by calling: 1-800-324-1851 or on line at: <https://secure.lifelinescreening.com/signups/>**

UTILITY RATE CHANGE

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termine rates. That adjustment is based upon a December to December average. Last year, the adjustment was .1% or 1¢ for 1000 gallons of water and 1¢ for 1000 gallons of sewer. This year the percentage is 2.7%, see table. A description of the CPI is on page 2.

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50-74	\$2.61	\$2.68	\$4.02
75-99	\$2.40	\$2.47	\$3.71
100-over	\$2.35	\$2.42	\$3.63