

POINT PLEASANT BOROUGH

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-13

ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL, BOROUGH OF POINT PLEASANT, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 10-1 OF THE BOROUGH CODE ENTITLED “WATER AND SEWER UTILITY”

BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Point Pleasant, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, (hereinafter referred to as the “Borough”) that Section 10-1 of the Borough Code entitled “Water and Sewer Utility” is hereby amended to reflect the following modifications:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 10-2.2(b) shall be amended and modified as follows;

(b) Ready to serve water charges shall be increased from Twenty-Four (\$24.00) Dollars per quarter to Forty (\$40.00) Dollars per quarter.

Chapter 10-2.2 (d) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(d) Water usage charge shall be increased from Two dollars and sixty (\$2.60) cents per thousand gallons to Two Dollars and sixty-five (\$2.65) cents per thousand gallons.

Chapter 10-3(d) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(d) Water turn-on/off shall be increased from Forty (\$40.00) Dollars to Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars.

Chapter 10-4.1(b) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(b) Water connection fees shall be increased from Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars per unit to Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars per unit.

Chapter 10-4.4 (d) shall be amended to delete the last sentence

“The charge to relocate an ARB box for new siding/fences/shrubs, etc., or installation of a box for the second meter will be twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars.

Chapter 10-4.5(a) "Tap Fees" shall be amended and modified to read as follows:

Tap Size	Meter Size	Current Fee	Proposed Fee
3/4"	5/8"	\$1,250.00	\$2,500/0
1"	5/8"	\$1,300.00	\$2,600.00
1"	1"	\$1,525.00	\$3,050.00
1-1/2"	1-1/2"	\$3,200.00	\$6,400.00
2"	2"	\$4,150.00	\$8,300.00

Chapter 10-4.5(b) Meter purchase only shall be amended and modified as follows:

Meter Size	Current Fee	Proposed Fee
5/8"	\$400.00	\$500.00
1"	\$525.00	\$650.00
1-1/2"	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
2"	\$2,300.00	\$2,800.00

Chapter 10-4.5(c) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(c) road opening fee shall be increased from One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars to Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

Chapter 10-4.6(a) shall be amended to be deleted.

Chapter 10-4.6(c) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(a) Check for leaks Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars shall be increased to Seventy-Five (\$75.00) Dollars

Chapter 10-4.6(f) Emergency Turn Offs shall be amended and modified as follows:

(f) Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars minimum shall be increased to Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars minimum plus Twenty-Five (\$25.00) Dollars per hour over four (4) hours.

Chapter 10-4.6(d) shall be amended and modified as follows:

(d) Disconnect water service for demolition (curb or street) from Three Hundred Fifty (\$350.00) Dollars to Six Hundred Fifty (\$650.00) Dollars

Chapter 10-4.6(g) shall be added to read:

(g) "Replacement of Meter Bottom" cost shall be Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars

SECTION 2. The aforementioned increases in the water rates shall begin with the fourth (4th) quarter of Cycle 1 (October due date) which covers June, July and August of 2024.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon publication in an official newspaper of the Borough, as required by and in conformance with law.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced and passed by the Borough Council of the Borough of Point Pleasant Borough on first reading at a meeting held on the 8th day of April 2024, at 7:00 p.m. The Ordinance will be considered for second and final reading at a meeting of the Borough Council which is scheduled for the 13th day of May, 2024, at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached, at the Municipal Building located at 2233 Bridge Avenue, Point Pleasant, New Jersey, at which time the public is invited to ask questions, raise objections, or provide public comment with regard to the proposed adoption of this Ordinance.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ordinance published herewith has been finally adopted by the Borough of Point Pleasant, in the County of Ocean, New Jersey on May 13, 2024, and this ordinance shall take effect upon publication in an official newspaper of the Borough, as required by and in conformance with law.

ATTESTED TO BY:



**ANTOINETTE JONES, RMC, CMR,
CLERK**

APPROVED:



**ROBERT A. SABOSIK
MAYOR**