

VILLAGE OF NEW HAVEN  
RESOLUTION 20-004

A RESOLUTION TO DELAY IMPLEMENTATION OF A  
SEWER COMMODITY RATE INCREASE

**WHEREAS**, a sewer commodity rate increase from \$4.26 to \$6.00 was approved by the Village of New Haven Board of Trustees at a regular meeting of said Board on Feb 11, 2020, and said increase was set to be effective on June 1, 2020;

**WHEREAS**, the Michigan Emergency Management Act; 1976 PA 390; MCL 30.401 to MCL 30.421; provides that “[a]...municipality...may make, amend, and rescind ordinances or rules necessary for emergency management purposes...” MCL 30.412(2);

**WHEREAS**, § 495-14 of the Village of New Haven Code, which governs the Village sewer system rates and fees, provides that “sewer use rates and other rates and charges” may be “established by resolution of the Village Council...”;

**WHEREAS**, consistent with the State of Emergency declared by the Village of New Haven on March 17, 2020, and as extended for 90 days by unanimous vote of the Village of New Haven Board of Trustees on March 25, 2020, the Village hereby deems it necessary and proper to delay the aforementioned sewer commodity rate increase until further notice given the financial hardship incurred by many Village ratepayers due to the unprecedented nature of the COVID-19 public-health crisis and the stay-at-home orders issued by the Governor of the State of Michigan;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the sewer commodity rate increase from \$4.26 to \$6.00 which was approved by the Village of New Haven Board of Trustees at a regular meeting of said Board on Feb 11, 2020, and which was set to be effective on June 1, 2020, is hereby delayed until a subsequent Resolution by the Board of Trustees rescinds this Resolution.

YEAS: Trustees: Pridemore, Meissen, Puccoli, Belanger, Borkowski, Hasiak, Preside + Dilbert

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

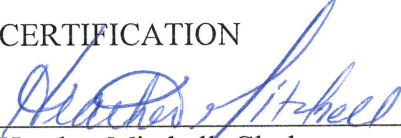
RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED by the Village Board this 12 day of May, 2020.

APPROVED by the President of the Village Board this 15 day of MAY, 2020.

Chris Dilbert  
Chris Dilbert, Village President

The foregoing resolution was certified at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of New Haven held on this 12 day of May, 2020.

CERTIFICATION

  
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Heather Mitchell, Clerk