ORDINANCE NO. 042-25

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR RATES AND CHARGES OF THE FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Fosterburg Water District, Madison County, Illinois "DISTRICT" now owns and operates waterworks properties providing water service to the inhabitants of the District encompassing portions of Madison County and Macoupin County, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 038/041-23 of the DISTRICT adopted on December 20, 2023, certain usage rates and other charges were established for use and service of the waterworks system of the DISTRICT; and

WHEREAS, said usage rates and other charges were last amended and have been in effect from the date of January 20, 2024 through the current date; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees is charged with responsibility for establishing rates and charges for the use and service of the waterworks properties which shall be sufficient at all times to pay the cost of operations and maintenance of the District, to pay the principal of and interest upon all revenue bonds issued, and/or other loans entered into, and to provide a reasonable depreciation fund as established pursuant to the provisions of any ordinances authorizing the issuance of any revenue bonds or other debt instruments; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees deems it desirable and in the best interest of the inhabitants of the DISTRICT that additional revenues be obtained for the purpose of meeting its responsibility of providing sufficient funds at all times to pay such responsible costs; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees is authorized under the provisions of 70 ILCS 3705/22 and 70 ILCS 3705/23 to establish from time to time by ordinance, rates, charges, rules and regulations for the use and service of the waterworks properties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT, MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1:</u> <u>USAGE RATES</u>. That there shall be and is hereby established monthly rates or charges for use and service of the waterworks system of the DISTRICT, based upon the amount of water consumed, as follows:

First	1,000 gallons	\$44.85 MINIMUM CHARGE
Next	2,000 gallons	\$18.47 per 1,000 gallons
Next	6,000 gallons	\$12.72 per 1,000 gallons
Next	11,000 gallons	\$ 8.77 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	20,000 gallons	\$ 7.56 per 1,000 gallons

<u>Section 2:</u> <u>HYDRANT ASSESSMENT</u>. In addition to the minimum charge per meter, there shall also be assessed thirty-five (\$0.35) cents per month as and for a water hydrant assessment to be included as part of each month's water bill.

Section 3: MINIMUM BILL. The minimum monthly water bill per user shall be Forty four Dollars and 50/100 (\$44.50).

Section 4: That the rates, charges, rules and regulations for use and service of the waterworks properties as outlined above shall supersede those previously enacted by proper Ordinances of the District. Any rates, charges, rules and regulations for use and service of the waterworks properties as established by prior ordinances and not amended by the provisions above shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5: That this Ordinance shall be published within thirty (30) days after its adoption in a newspaper published in the District, and if there is no such newspaper, in a newspaper published in the County and having general circulation in the District.

Section 6: That the aforesaid rates and charges shall become effective as of July 1, 2025 provided that ten (10) days shall have passed after publication of this Ordinance as provided by the Statutes of the State of Illinois.

Section 7: That the Secretary of the District be and is hereby instructed to, within thirty (30) days after adoption hereof, publish this Ordinance one time in a newspaper published in Madison County and having general circulation in the District and one time in a newspaper published in Macoupin County and having general circulation in the District.

On Motion of Trustee Robert Kercher, seconded by Trustee Tricia Sisk

Trustee Strohbeck voted	<u>yes</u>	Trustee Ruppert voted <u>yes</u>
Trustee Kercher voted	<u>yes</u>	Trustee Bertels voted <u>yes</u>
Trustee Huette voted	<u>yes</u>	Trustee Sisk voted <u>yes</u>

for the adoption of said Ordinance.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT, MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THIS 21st DAY OF May, 2025.

Steven Strohbeck, President BOARD OF TRUSTEES

ATTEST:

Kimberlee J. Owens, Secretary BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT

CERTIFICATE

I, Kimberlee J. Owens, Secretary of the FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT, a public water district under the laws of the State of Illinois, with offices at 3216 Main Street - Fosterburg, Alton, Illinois, as the custodian of the official records and minute book of the meetings of the Board of Trustees of said FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT, do hereby certify that the attached Ordinance No. 042-25 passed by FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT on the 21st day of May, A.D. 2025, is and constitutes a true, accurate and complete copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Board of Trustees of said water district, on motion duly made, seconded and carried at a meeting of said Board of Trustees at which a quorum was present, duly called, convened and held in Alton, Illinois, all in accordance with the bylaws of said water district, on the 21st day of May, A.D. 2025.

	IN	WITNESS	WHEREOF,	I have he	reunto set	my name	as Secretary	on this 21st	day of May
A.D.	2025	•				.) •	(2	1
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STATE OF ILLINOIS) SS COUNTY OF MADISON)

I, Kimberlee J. Owens, being first duly sworn, state that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of the information contained therein.

Kimberlee J. Owens, Secretary

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, A.D. 2025.

MARK D VOUMARD
OFFICIAL SEAL
Notary Public - State of Illinois
My Commission Expires
April 21, 2026