

BILL NO. 101-2014

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF READING, BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, CHAPTER 467 SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL, PART 1 SEWER SERVICE RENTAL, SECTIONS 467-101, 467-102, 467-103, 467-104, AND 467-106 TO ALLOCATE THE SEWER SERVICE RENTAL BETWEEN THE SANITARY SEWER AND STORMWATER SEWER.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 467-101 Imposition of rental; effective date shall be deleted and replaced with the following:

**SECTION 467-101. Imposition of sewer service rental; effective date.**

A sewer service rental shall be imposed upon the owners of all properties within the City which are drained directly by the sanitary sewage system or from which sewage is transported to and treated at the sewage treatment works of the City. The sewer service rental shall be comprised two components, a sanitary sewer rental and stormwater sewer rental. The total amount of the sewer service rental is calculated in accordance with Section 467-103 A through D and then allocated as a sanitary sewer rental and stormwater sewer rental as set forth in Section 467-103 E and F.

SECTION 2. Section 467-102 Disposition of funds collected shall be deleted and replaced with the following:

**SECTION 467-102. Disposition of funds collected.**

The funds received from the collection of sewer service rental shall be deposited in the Fund 55. The sanitary sewer rental shall be transferred to the Sewer Enterprise Fund, as necessary, and used solely for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City in the administration, operation, maintenance, repair, alteration, inspection, improvement, depreciation, amortization of indebtedness and interest thereon, arising out of or connected with the sanitary sewage and sanitary sewage disposal system of the City, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of 1935, P.L. 1286, its amendments and supplements, 53 P.S. § 2231 et seq. The stormwater sewer rental shall be used for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City in the administration, operation, maintenance, repair, alteration, inspection, improvement, depreciation, amortization of indebtedness and interest thereon, arising out of or connected with the stormwater sewer system of the City.

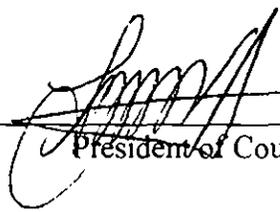
SECTION 3. Section 467-103 Sewer service rental shall be amended to add a new Subparts E and F as follows:

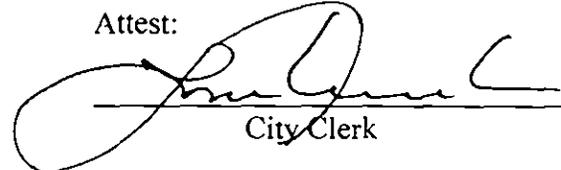
**SECTION 467-103. Sewer service rental.**

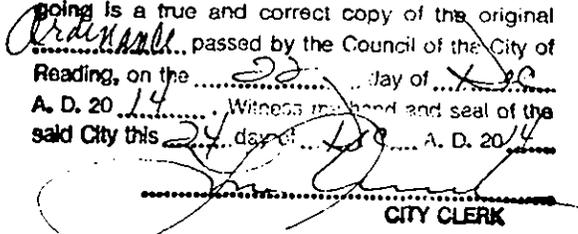
- E. Allocation of Sanitary Sewer Rental. The sanitary sewer rental shall equal ninety-three percent of the total sewer service rental.
- F. Allocation of Stormwater Sewer Rental. The stormwater sewer rental shall equal seven percent of the total sewer service rental.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be effective on January 1, 2015.

Enacted Dec 22, 2014

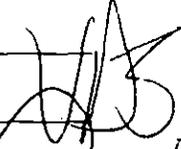
  
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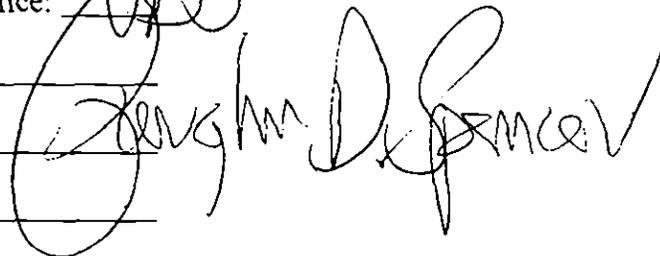
Attest:  
  
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City Clerk

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Ordinance passed by the Council of the City of Reading, on the 22 day of Dec, A. D. 2014. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this 24 day of Dec, A. D. 2014.  
  
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CITY CLERK

(LAW DEPT)

Submitted to Mayor:   
Date: 12/23/14

Received by Mayor's Office:   
Date: 12/23/14

Approved by Mayor:   
Date: 12/23/14

Vetoed by Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_