TOWNSHIP OF VERONA COUNTY OF ESSEX, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE No. 2024-08

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER A565-1 "SCHEDULE OF FEES" OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF VERONA TO AMEND WATER AND SEWER RATES

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Verona, County of Essex, New Jersey, as follows:

Chapter A565-1 Water and Sewers is hereby amended to reflect the following rates effective January 1, 2024:

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	<u>FY 2028</u>
Effective Date:	4/1/24	1/1/25	1/1/26	1/1/27	1/1/28
WATER RATES:					
	\$26.64	\$27.71	\$28.81	\$29.97	\$31.17
PFAS Surcharge (per meter)					
5/8"	\$ -	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00
3/4"	\$ -	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00
1"	\$ -	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00
1 1/2"	\$ -	\$90.00	\$90.00	\$90.00	\$90.00
2"	\$ -	\$144.00	\$144.00	\$144.00	\$144.00
3"	\$ -	\$270.00	\$270.00	\$270.00	\$270.00
4"	\$ -	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$450.00
6"	\$ -	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00
Volumetric Rate per Kgal					
	\$8.88	\$9.24	\$9.60	\$9.99	\$10.39
SEWER RATES:					
Quarterly Sewer Fee					
	\$159	\$165	\$172	\$179	\$186

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that any fees currently listed in A565-1 "Schedule of Fees" "Water and Sewers" not amended above shall remain unchanged unless amended by future ordinance.

SECTION 1. In case any one or more of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, for any reason, be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provision had not been contained herein.

SECTION 2. If any section, sub-section, paragraph, sentence or any other part of this ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage and publication

as prescribed by law.

ATTEST:

JENNIFER KIERNAN MUNICIPAL CLERK

NOTICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE AFOREMENTIONED ORDINANCE WAS PUBLISHED IN THE STAR LEDGER, A NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX AND CIRCULATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VERONA, IN THE ISSUE OF MARCH 4, 2024 AND MARCH 15, 2024.

JENNIFER KIERNAN MUNICIPAL CLERK

INTRODUCTION: February 26, 2024 PUBLIC HEARING: March 11, 2024 EFFECTIVE DATE: March 31, 2024