

**ORDINANCE NO. 2018-3**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BILLABLE RATES FOR SEWER SERVICES  
WITHIN THE CITY OF HARDY, ARKANSAS**

WHEREAS, the City of Hardy, Arkansas (the "City") desires to amend the rates billed for sewer services as set forth by Ordinance No. 80-1 and Section 10.12 of the City of Hardy Municipal Code; and,

WHEREAS, the City desires to increase the monthly sewer rates billed to customers receiving said services for the purpose of maintaining the waste water system of the City of Hardy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF HARDY,  
ARKANSAS:

Section 1. The monthly sewer charge for each customer shall be determined each month by water usage, and the amount to be paid by each customer shall be computed on the basis of the following schedule of rates:

<u>Residential Sewer Rates:</u>	(Minimum) <u>Basic Rate</u>
First 1,000 gallons per month or portion thereof (minimum):	<b>\$13.70</b>
All over 1,000 gallons per month or portion thereof:	\$3.25 for each additional 1000 gallons (Or portion thereof)
<u>Business Sewer Rates:</u>	(Minimum) <u>Basic Rate</u>
First 1,000 gallons per month or portion thereof (minimum):	<b>\$14.70</b>
All over 1,000 gallons per month or portion thereof:	\$3.40 for each additional 1000 gallons (Or portion thereof)

Section 2. Should any section of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional, illegal or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is expressly provided that any and all remaining portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. All ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. All sections of City Ordinances not in direct conflict herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. Emergency Clause. It is ascertained and declared that the City wishes to

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maintain adequate water and sewer systems for the health, safety, and welfare of the City of Hardy, the inhabitants of the City, and those in the community who receive utility services from the City of Hardy, and said adjustments to the billable rates for sewer services are desired to take place immediately. **IT IS THEREFORE**, declared that an emergency exists, and that this Ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from **May 1, 2018** forward.

PASSED and APPROVED this 3rd day of April, 2018.

  
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**Jason Jackson, Mayor**

ATTEST:

  
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**Greg Bess, City Clerk/Treasurer**

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