

**ORDINANCE 22-O-09** amending Chapter 33, Water and Sewers, Section 33-1 of the Murfreesboro City Code, dealing with minimum monthly water charges and minimum monthly sewer charges.

**WHEREAS**, the City of Murfreesboro should have water and sewer rates, fees and charges that generate sufficient funds to retire indebtedness for existing and planned capital improvements of the Water Resources Department and to meet its normal operating expenses; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of Murfreesboro Cost of Service Study and Pro Forma prepared by Jackson Thornton Utilities determined the water rates were insufficient in meeting the system's future revenue requirements; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Water and Sewer Board studied and decided to recommend these charges to the City Council on March 22, 2022.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION 1. Section 33-1, Water and Sewer Rates and Charges, of the Murfreesboro City Code is hereby amended at subsection (B) by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

**MINIMUM MONTHLY WATER CHARGES**

Meter Size	Charge*	Allowance, gallons
5/8 inch	\$ 9.72	—
1 inch	\$ 21.54	—
1 1/2 inch	\$ 45.08	—
2 inch	\$ 70.07	—
3 inch	\$ 164.40	—
4 inch	\$ 328.80	—
6 inch	\$ 685.00	—

\*Tax not included

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect for bills printed on and after July 1, 2022, following its passage upon second and final reading, the public welfare and the welfare of the City requiring it.

Passed:

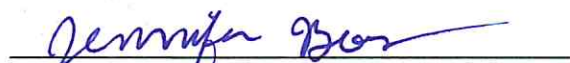
1<sup>st</sup> reading May 5, 2022

2<sup>nd</sup> reading May 19, 2022

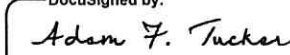


Shane McFarland, Mayor

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Jennifer Brown  
City Recorder

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