

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1995-5 CONCERNING  
UTILITY RECONNECTION FEES**

WHEREAS, the City of Rockport, pursuant to Section 5(c) of Ordinance No. 1995-5, An Ordinance Adopting Rules, Regulations And Conditions Applying To Utility Service, requires a monetary fee for reconnection to the City's wastewater utility and for reconnection to the City's water utility in the amount of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00); and

WHEREAS, the City presently collects a service security deposit fee of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) concerning water utility meters; and

WHEREAS, due to increased operating and maintenance expenses, the Common Council has determined that these fees are inadequate and should be increased.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKPORT, INDIANA, as follows:

**SECTION ONE  
Reconnect Fee**

The last sentence of Section 5(c) of Ordinance No. 1995-5, An Ordinance Adopting Rules, Regulations, And Conditions Applying To Utility Service, is hereby amended to provide as follows:

The reconnect fee payable to the City of Rockport, Indiana for reconnection to the wastewater utility and the water utility is hereby established in the sum of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00).

**SECTION TWO  
Service Security Deposit Fee**

A regular service security deposit fee is hereby established for both owner-occupied accounts and rental accounts in the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the water utility and Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the wastewater utility, except that, if there have been

delinquent accounts associated with the customer, the service security deposit fee is hereby established in the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for the water utility and One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for the wastewater utility.


In all other respects, the security service deposit fee shall be governed by the provisions of Ordinance No. 1995-5 and Chapter 50 (Utility Service) of the City of Rockport, Indiana Code of Ordinances.


DULY ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF ROCKPORT, INDIANA this 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2011.

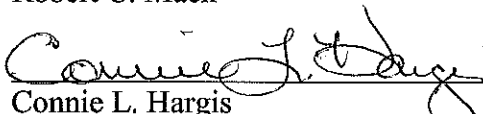
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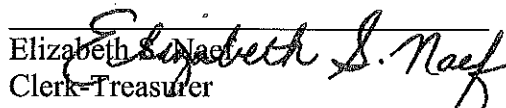
  
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Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Rockport, Indiana on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2011 at 6:25 o'clock p.m.

  
Elizabeth S. Naef  
Clerk-Treasurer

Approved and signed by me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2011 at 6:26 o'clock p.m.

  
Harold Goffinet, Mayor  
City of Rockport