

TOWNSHIP OF MONTGOMERY
Ordinance No. 17-1541

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XII
SEWER AND WATER OF THE CODE OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF MONTGOMERY (1984) TO
ESTABLISH 2017 SEWER CAPACITY
CHARGES AND 2017 SEWER SERVICE RATES.**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Montgomery, in Somerset County, New Jersey as follows:

Section 1. 2017 Sewer Capacity Charges. Subsection 12-7.4c. of the Code of the Township of Montgomery (1984) is amended to read as follows:

- c. The capacity charge shall be \$50.00 per gallon of anticipated daily volume of sewage effluent. This charge is subject to revision by the Township as may be appropriate.

Section 2. Sewer Service Charges. Subsection 12-10.2a. of the Code of the Township of Montgomery (1984) is amended in its entirety to read as follows:

12-10.2 Sewer Service Charge Rate.

a. There is hereby established an annual sewer service charge per unit to be computed as follows:

1. \$266.00 per unit for costs of billing, administration and debt service; *plus*
2. \$10.10 per CCF (\$13.50 per 1000 gallons), or part thereof, per unit of the lesser of:
 - (i) provided there has been positive metered water use in the calendar year preceding the service year, the unit's metered water use for the calendar year preceding the service year, *or*
 - (ii) provided there has been positive metered water use in at least three of the first four months and the last two months of the calendar year preceding the service year, the sum of the unit's first four months and the last two months of metered water use of the calendar year preceding the service year, multiplied by two,

for costs of operation, improvement, contingencies and maintenance of the sewer system.

Section 3. Repealer. All ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Severability. If any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged by the courts to be invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of this ordinance shall be valid and enforceable.

Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with law.