

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-5

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE 2010-5 AS RELATED TO THE USER SURCHARGE UPON MONTHLY WATER BILLINGS IN ORDER TO ACCUMULATE SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO COVER THE COST OF PAINTING, REPAIRS, MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE VILLAGE WATER TOWER AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Arcadia, Ohio, two-thirds of all members elected thereto concurring, that:

WHEREAS, the Village previously passed Ordinance 2010-5 in order to seek to cover the anticipated cost of painting the Village Water Tower in order to maintain its structural integrity, and,

WHEREAS, it has been determined that there need to be structural repairs, maintenance, and improvements made to the Village Water Tower in order to maintain its structural integrity, and

WHEREAS, the Village Administrator has advised that insufficient income is being derived from the current water rates to cover the costs of repairs, maintenance, and improvements to the Village Tower and there does not exist alternative sources from which to pay for this expense, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Arcadia and its water customers are in need of a reliable source of safe water both for personal use and potential fire protection, and as well a reliable source of water pressure,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ARCADIA, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1: Ordinance 2010-5 shall be amended to provide that the Village Administrator is hereby authorized to make use of the funds collected through the monthly water department surcharge towards the cost of the painting of the Village Water Tower as contemplated by Ordinance 2010-5 and that any excess funds collected shall be applied towards any necessary structural repairs, maintenance, and improvements of the Village Water Tower.

SECTION 2: Ordinance 2010-5 shall be amended to provide for the continued collection of the monthly water department surcharge of \$3.00 per month, per customer, to be applied towards the necessary painting, structural repairs, maintenance, and improvements to the Village Water Tower.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance is hereby found to be necessary to serve the public peace, health, and safety of the inhabitants of the Village, in that the services of the Village Water Tower is necessary for the proper function of the Village of Arcadia, and as such, shall be passed as an emergency measure.

Passed in Regular Session of Council this 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2022.

Approved: 5-0

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Mayor

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Clerk-Treasurer

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Clerk-Treasurer of the Council of the Village of Arcadia, Ohio, hereby certifies that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, she did post a copy of the foregoing Ordinance at the following designated public places, and that the said copies did remain as posted for a period of 15 days.

1. Town Hall Bulletin Board
2. Electric Department Office
3. Arcadia Superette
4. Kathy's Korner
5. [www.villageofarcadia.com](http://www.villageofarcadia.com)

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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Clerk-Treasurer