

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-10

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 86, SECTION 86-78 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE,
VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS REGARDING
WATER SERVICE TAPPING FEES**

WHEREAS, the Village of Stickney (the "Village") is a home rule municipal corporation in accordance with Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the Village has the authority to adopt ordinances and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs, and to review, interpret and amend its ordinances, rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President") and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board" and with the President, the "Corporate Authorities") are committed to ensuring the health, safety and welfare of Village residents; and

WHEREAS, currently, the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney, Illinois (the "Village Code") sets forth the fees to be charged in its existing regulations (the "Existing Regulations") for the water service tapping fees (collectively, the "Tapping Fees"); and

WHEREAS, the Village recognizes the need to update the Tapping Fees from time to time to keep pace with the rising costs related to such services, including the increased costs of Village personnel, materials, specialized equipment, and other services (collectively, the "Tapping Costs"); and

WHEREAS, the Tapping Costs related to the current Tapping Fees are not reflective of what other similar municipalities in the area charge; and

WHEREAS, based on the foregoing, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend the Tapping Fees, as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, based upon the foregoing, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is necessary, advisable, and in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend Chapter 86, Section 86-78 of the Village Code to update the Tapping Fees as set forth below;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

SECTION 1.0 INCORPORATION CLAUSE.

The Corporate Authorities hereby find that all of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true, and correct and do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

SECTION 2.0 PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Chapter 86, Section 86-78 to update the Existing Regulations, amend the Tapping Fees, and to authorize the President and other Village officials and employees to take all action necessary to carry out the intent of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE II.

AMENDMENT CHAPTER 86, SECTION 86-78 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS

SECTION 3.0 AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 86, SECTION 86-78.

Chapter 86, Section 86-78 of the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution or Village Code section to the contrary, as follows:

Sec. 86-78. – Water Service Tapping Fees.

Water service tapping fees are as follows:

- (1) One-inch~~\$60.00~~ \$1,250.00
- (2) One and one-half inch \$1,800.00
- (23) Two-inch~~85.00~~ \$2,200.00
- (34) Three-inch~~110.00~~ \$2,300.00
- (45) Four-inch~~150.00~~ \$2,400.00
- (56) Six-inch~~200.00~~ \$2,800.00
- (67) Over six-inch~~300.00~~ \$3,000.00
- (78) Inspection fees for taps over four-inch~~50.00~~ \$250.00
- (89) Plus, per linear foot~~0.20~~ \$2.00
- (910) Bond as applicable.

SECTION 3.1. OTHER ACTIONS AUTHORIZED.

The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village shall take all action necessary or reasonably required to carry out, give effect to, and consummate the amendments contemplated by this Ordinance and shall take all action necessary in conformity therewith. The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village are specifically authorized and directed to draft and disseminate any and all necessary forms or notices to be utilized in connection with the intent of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE III.

HEADINGS, SAVINGS CLAUSES, PUBLICATION, EFFECTIVE DATE

SECTION 4. HEADINGS.

The headings of the articles, sections, paragraphs and subparagraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable and as though not provided for herein and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. SUPERSEDER.

All code provisions, ordinances, resolutions, rules and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded.

SECTION 7. PUBLICATION.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately its passage, approval and publication in accordance with applicable law.

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PASSED this 21st day of July, 2026.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTION:

APPROVED by me this 21st day of July, 2026.

Mitch Milenkovic, President

**ATTESTED AND FILED in my
office this 21st day of July, 2026.**

Candace Cetrangolo, Village Clerk