Ordinance No. 22-07

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A MUNICIPAL USER FEE ON WASTE WATER DISCHARGE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION WASTE WATER ORDINANCE ENACTED BY THE METROPOLITAN WATER RECALMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO

WHEREAS, on February 18, 2010 the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District ("DISTRICT") amended the Environmental Remediation Wastewater Ordinance to regulate and control the quality and quantity of environmental remediation wastewaters from the combined sewer areas in the sewerage systems and water reclamation plants under the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District; and

WHEREAS, every person whose business includes collecting and pretreating environmental remediation waste water and then discharging such environmental waste into the sewerage system under the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District ("USER") must comply with the DISTRICT Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the DISTRICT Ordinance, prior to such discharge each such USER must receive a "Special Discharge Authorization" or "SDA" from the DISTRICT; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the DISTRICT Ordinance, each such USER must complete and submit to the DISTRICT a "Special Discharge Authorization Request" ("SDAR") providing details of sampling and analysis as to what is being discharged and other informational requirements needed by the DISTRICT; and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of the DISTRICT Ordinance states that: "SDARs shall be reviewed by the municipality or other unit of local government having jurisdiction over the geographical location for which the SDA is requested, and must be certified acceptable to such municipality or other unit of local government prior to submittal to the DISTRICT; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees for the Village of Hodgkins that the following be enacted:

SECTION 1.

That the VILLAGE appoint a member of the Water Department ("VILLAGE OFFICIAL") to meet with each USER doing business in the VILLAGE and familiarize himself/herself with the elements of the applicable SDAR and what issues he/she must take into

consideration prior to the certification as set forth in Section 4 of the **DISTRICT** Ordinance.

SECTION 2.

That each **USER** within the **VILLAGE** shall reasonably assist the **VILLAGE OFFICIAL** in the implementation of Section 4 pursuant to the **DISTRICT ORDINANCE** with respect to such **USER's SDAR**.

SECTION 3.

That a user fee in the amount of ½ of a penny per gallon of all actual discharges pursuant to the **Special Discharge Authorization** shall be imposed on each **USER** doing business in the Village. Calculation of such user fee shall be based on the gallonage pursuant to the meters at every outfault located on the **USER'S** property that is subject to the **SDA** for such **USER**.

ADOPTED by me this 13th day of June, 2022

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Village President \

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Published by me this 13th day of June, 2022.

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