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INDIANA UTILITY
REGULATORY COMMISSION

Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission
Water/Wastewater Division
101 West Washington Street, Suite 1500 East
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-3419

Re: City of Montpelier Petition for Approval
Of Rate and Charge Difference

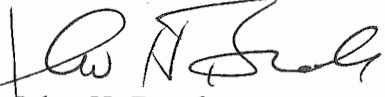
To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find Petition for Approval of Rate and Charge Difference Between Property Within and Property Outside the Corporate Boundaries of the City of Montpelier as to its wastewater utility. Please process said Petition.

Please contact me in the event that you need further information or documentation to process this Petition.

Sincerely,

LAW OFFICES OF JOHN H. BROOKE, PC


John H. Brooke
Attorney at Law

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Enclosure

STATE OF INDIANA


INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF RATE AND CHARGE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PROPERTY WITHIN AND PROPERTY OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF MONTPELIER

Pursuant to Indiana Code § 8-1.5-3-8.3(c), City of Montpelier, by counsel, requests the Director of the Water and Wastewater division of the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission to approve the rate and charge difference between property within and property outside the corporate boundaries of City of Montpelier. In support of its request, City of Montpelier states:

1. The ordinance setting rates and charges for property within and property outside the municipality's corporate boundaries took effect on June 9, 2008.
2. Attached as "Exhibit A" is a copy of the Ordinance.
3. The works that is the subject of the Ordinance is a:
 - a. water utility works _____
 - b. waste water utility works x
 - c. both water and wastewater utility works _____
4. The percentage difference between the rates and charges imposed on users of the works for service to property located outside the corporate boundaries of the municipality and to property located within the corporate boundaries is twenty percent (20%).
5. If the percentage difference is in #4 above carries based upon the amount of consumption, please provide a chart illustrating the various consumption levels in 1,000 gallon increments with the corresponding percent surcharge and attach to this Petition.
6. John Brooke is counsel of record for Petitioners in this matter and is duly authorized to accept service of papers in this cause on behalf of Petitioners.

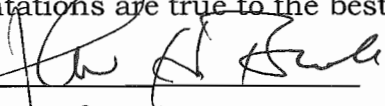
Respectfully Submitted,



John H. Brooke
Attorney for Petitioners

Verification

I, John H. Brooke affirm under penalties for perjury that the foregoing representations are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Signed 

Date 9-24-12

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1st Reading 2/20/08 5-0
 2nd Reading 6/9/08 5-0
 3rd Reading 6/9/05 5-0

ORDINANCE NO. 2008- 02

An Ordinance Amending Sewer Rates for the Sewer Services
 of the City of Montpelier, Indiana

WHEREAS, the Sewer Utility of the Civil City of Montpelier, Indiana, was removed
 from the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, and

WHEREAS, the charges presently established for sewer are inadequate to cover the costs
 of such services,

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Montpelier, Indiana finds that rates and
 charges contained in this ordinance are reasonably supported by the cost of providing service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND AGREED by the Common Council of
 the City of Montpelier, Indiana, that from and after the adoption of this ordinance, for each user
 of the City Sewer System, there shall be and there is hereby established for the use of such sewer
 service rendered by the Sewer System of the City of Montpelier, Indiana, the following rates and
 charges:

Sewer Rates

<u>Water</u>		<u>Sewer Rates/1,000 gal.</u>
<u>Consumption Per Month</u>		<u>of Water Used</u>
First	2,000 Gallons	\$10.71
Next	8,000 Gallons	5.80
Next	140,000 Gallons	3.64
Next	200,000 Gallons	3.23
Over	350,000 Gallons	2.25

<u>Minimum Charge per Month</u>	<u>Gallons Water Allowed</u>	
5/8 or 3/4 inch meter	2,000	21.42
1 inch meter	3,270	28.79
1 1/4 inch meter	5,900	44.04
1 1/2 inch meter	8,270	57.79
2 inch meter	16,600	91.84
3 inch meter	45,175	195.86
4 inch meter	83,270	334.52
Outside the City Minimum	2,000	25.71

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Said sewer rates shall be billed and are to be paid monthly.

Further, said rates represent a 4% increase in the first 2000 gallons, a 5% increase for the next 148,000 gallons, and a 6% increase for remaining gallons for the Sewer Rates. The Common Council of the City of Montpelier hereby establishes that said Sewer Rates shall increase by the same percentages for the same categories on each of the next four dates, July 1, 2009; July 1, 2010; July 1, 2011; and July 1, 2012.

That this Ordinance amends the sewer rates as previously established.

Passed and adopted this 9 day of June, 2008.

Yea

Nay

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COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
MONTPELIER, INDIANA

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk-Treasurer

All of which is approved by me this 9 day of June, 2008.