

Water Sewer Board Meeting 8-21-2018

Attendance: Ron Mills, Dan Jere Rich Phillips Elgin Ellis

Next meeting is scheduled for September 18, 2018

- Discussion of late or nonpayment of water bill and that no payments are being made by several residents. If no payments are being made by resident, water bill is "written off" to the taxes and the county assesses the water bill fee to the taxes and the Township is paid by the county. After review the ordinance it was determined that the ordinance will be will be fully enforced as described in the Township Ordinance.
 - Pg 15 of the ordinance 10.3.2 If any bill for the services of the system shall remain unpaid after 30 days following the due date specified on the bill therefore, the water supply for the lot, parcel of land, or premise affected may be cut off and if cut off shall not be turned on again except on payment in full of the delinquent charges therefore plus the fee charged for resumption of services. The Township shall send a notice by first class mail to its customers of intent to terminate services.
 - 10.3.3 If payment is not received, or satisfactory agreements have not been made within seven days after the shut off notice is sent to the consumer, the water service shall be shut off. No water service that has been discontinued because of nonpayment shall be restored until all past due bills are paid or satisfactory arrangements for such payment are made.
 - See remainder of ordinance that outlines procedures to collect water bills and fees.
- Rich brought up some bills are being sent out incorrect and will need to be corrected and the usage factors in the systems will need to be verified.
- Continued recommendation to have 2 separate employees to televise the sewer system to determine damages and or repairs needed. No televising of the system has been completed. Cleaning and televising is needed.