

**AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 43 - 22**

**Introduced By: Monique Lampke**

**An Ordinance to Establish the Water and Sewer Rates  
charged by the City of Bexley, and to declare an emergency.**

**WHEREAS,** the City of Columbus is increasing water rates charged to the City of Bexley by 4% and is increasing the sewer rates charged to the City of Bexley by 5%; and

**WHEREAS,** Water and sewer rates also assist with the cost of maintaining and repairing the City's water and sewer infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS,** the City must pass along these increases to the residents in order to maintain the operation of the City's systems;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:**

**Section 1.**

That the water rate charged by the City of Bexley for water used on or after January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 shall be at a rate of ~~\$63.86~~ \$67.00 per 1,000 cubic feet.

**Section 2.**

That the sewer rate charged by the City of Bexley for sewer service on or after January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 shall be at the rate of ~~\$81.33~~ \$86.00 per 1,000 cubic feet.

**Section 3.**

That all existing Ordinances of the City of Bexley are hereby repealed insofar as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance

**Section 4.**

That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, peace, safety and shall go into full force and effect upon the approval of the Mayor.

Passed: Dec 6, 2022

Attest: Matt McPeek  
Matt McPeek, Clerk of Council

Troy Markham  
Troy Markham, President of Council

Approved: December 6, 2022  
Benjamin J. Kessler  
Benjamin J. Kessler, Mayor

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Third Reading: 12-6-22