

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 14-18
VILLAGE OF ELIZABETH, LOUISIANA**

**AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR UTILITY RATES FOR UTILITIES
PROVIDED BY THE VILLAGE OF ELIZABETH**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana, that the following **Ordinance Number 14-18** is hereby enacted to read as follows:

Section 1

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana, in a regular session convened, that the Council hereby amends Ordinance 06-08 of the Village Code concerning water rates and sewer rates for the Village of Elizabeth's water and sewer customers.

Section 2

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the water and sewer rates of the Village of Elizabeth's water system are to be changed as shown on the rate charts which are attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 3

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the variable rates in the attached rate charts shall adjust every year beginning January 2019 and adjusting every January thereafter in an amount equivalent to the unadjusted 12-months percent change in the CPI for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): U.S. city average as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Section 4

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall become effective upon signature of the mayor.

Section 5

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

Section 6

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Said Ordinance having been introduced on the 2nd day of October 2018 by Notice of Public Hearing having been published on the 18th day of October, 2018, said Public Hearing having been held, title having been read and Ordinance considered, on motion by Shirley Smith, and seconded by Ken Kelly to adopt the Ordinance. A record vote was taken and the following result was had:

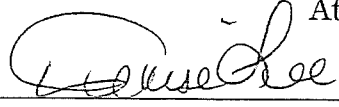
	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAINING
Shirley Smith	X			
Garold Steele			X	
Ken Kelly	X			

Whereupon the Mayor declare the above Ordinance duly adopted on the 6th day of November, 2018. Final publication was made on the 15th day of November, 2018.

Thereupon, the Mayor declared the ordinance adopted on the 7th day of November, 2018.



Mayor

Attest:


Clerk

WATER RATE CHART

Location	Fixed ¹	Variable²	State Fee	Chem. Fee
In Town Residential Water	\$14.50	\$3.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Out of Town Residential Water	\$16.00	\$3.25	\$1.00	\$1.00
Elizabeth High School	\$165.00	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00
Apartments (per unit)	\$17.00	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00
Churches	\$15.00	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00
Commercial (taxes)	\$17.00	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00
Commercial (no taxes)	\$17.00	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00

SEWER RATE CHART

Location	Fixed³	Variable ⁴
In Town Sewer	\$13.00	\$2.00
Commercial Sewer (taxes)	\$14.50	\$2.25
Commercial Sewer (no taxes)	\$14.50	\$2.25
Elizabeth High School	\$290.00	\$2.25
Apartments (per unit)	\$14.50	\$2.25