## **ORDINANCE NO. 905**

## AN ORDINANCE OF THE OGDEN DUNES TOWN COUNCIL AMENDING CHAPTER 52 OF THE TOWN CODE CONCERNING WATER RATES AND CHARGES OF THE TOWN'S WATER UTILITY

WHEREAS, the Town of Ogden Dunes operates a water utility which supplies water to customers within the Town of Ogden Dunes; and

WHEREAS, the Ogden Dunes Department of Waterworks is run by a Water Works Board, which after studying the matter and paying attention to the factors set forth in I.C. 8-1.5-3-8(c) recommends amending the rates and charges imposed on customers of the waterworks as set forth in this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Ogden Dunes Town Council has conducted a public hearing as required by law and concurs with the recommendation to change its present water rates and charges as concerns the fire protection service charge paid by customers of the waterworks.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Ogden Dunes Town Council as follows:

SECTION 1: That Section 52.16 (F) of the Ogden Dunes Town Code shall be amended and hereafter read as follows:

## §52.16 FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE CHARGE.

(F) Fire protection service shall be added to the basic rate of all customers of the waterworks and shall be a flat rate charge of \$19.33 per quarter, regardless of meter size.

SECTION 2: The Town shall waive payment and collection of any charges incurred by customers of the waterworks contrary to the terms of this Ordinance which were imposed prior to January 1, 2024

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption

and passage and retroactive to January 1, 2024.

ALL OF WHICH IS PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Ogden Dunes Town Council, Porter County, Indiana, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2024.

**OGDEN DUNES TOWN COUNCIL** 

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ATTEST: amy E. Parry

Clerk-Treasurer