

**ORDINANCE NO. 13-18  
STORM SEWER RATE INCREASE ORDINANCE**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE STORM SEWER PORTION (C10075S-SEWER MAINTENANCE) OF THE STORM AND SANITARY FEES MAINTENANCE FEE FOR DEPOSIT IN CUYAHOGA COUNTY'S DISTRICT 24 FUND BY INCREASING THE CITY'S STORM SEWER RATES FROM TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS (\$2.50) TO THREE DOLLARS (\$3.00) PER LINEAR FRONT FOOT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

**Requested By: MAYOR BRANDON L. KING**

**Sponsored By: Joie N. Graham, Council President & Timothy R. Austin, Councilor at-Large.**

**WHEREAS**, the Sewer and Stormwater infrastructure of the City is in some areas over sixty years old; and,

**WHEREAS**, due to its age and extended usage, the Sewer and Stormwater pipelines have fallen into disrepair directly and indirectly causing the breakage, malfunction and inadequacy of equipment necessary to service the sewage and water needs of the residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor has therefore recommended an increase in the storm sewer rates and Council desires to accept such recommendation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** The Council hereby authorizes an increase in the storm sewer portion (C10075S-SEWER MAINTENANCE) of the storm and sanitary fees maintenance fee for deposit in Cuyahoga County's District 24 Fund by increasing the city's storm sewer rates from two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) to three dollars (\$3.00) per linear front foot with said increase effective upon Cuyahoga County Council's approval for the year 2019 and thereafter.

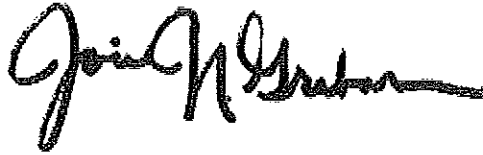
**SECTION 2.** The Finance Director is hereby authorized and directed to provide notice to the Business Services Manager of the Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works of said increase in storm sewer rates for the City of East Cleveland.

**SECTION 3.** All other ordinances or resolutions inconsistent herewith be, and the same hereby are, repealed.

**SECTION 4.** This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

**SECTION 5.** The Council declares this Ordinance to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare, the reason for the emergency is the necessary maintenance and repair of the storm sewers in the city, therefore, said Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption by this Council and approval by the Mayor of the City

Passed: July 17, 2018



**JOIE N. GRAHAM**  
**PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL**

7/18/18  
Date of Signature

ATTEST:

  
**DR. KHADIJAH F. GUY**  
**CLERK OF COUNCIL**

7/18/18  
Date of Signature

APPROVED:

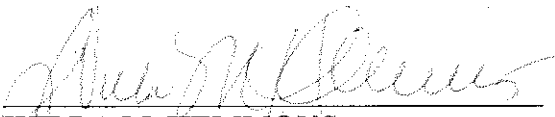
  
**BRANDON L. KING, MAYOR**

7/23/18  
Date of Signature

VETO:

YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
**WILLA M. HEMMONS**  
**DIRECTOR OF LAW**

7/23/18  
Date of Signature

Emergency  First Read n/a Second Read n/a

	Yea	Nay
Councilor Joie N. Graham	x	
Councilor Ernest L. Smith	x	
Councilor Barbara J. Thomas	x	
Councilor Nathaniel Martin	x	
Councilor Timothy R. Austin	x	

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