

**CHARLESTOWN TOWNSHIP
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 2024 - 224

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CHARLESTOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 18, - SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL, TO AMEND TIER ONE AND TIER TWO LIMITS FOR SEWER DISCHARGES AND TIME LIMITS FOR WASTE PERMITS AND WASTE HAULER LICENSES TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE VALLEY FORGE SEWER AUTHORITY RULES AND REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, agreements between Valley Forge Sewer Authority and the municipalities to which Valley Forge Sewer Authority provides sewer services have stipulated that no industrial user shall be permitted to discharge into the public sanitary sewage system served by the treatment plant owned and operated by the Valley Forge Sewer Authority any waste other than normal sanitary sewage without the approval of the Valley Forge Sewer Authority; and

WHEREAS, the Valley Forge Sewer Authority has revised its rules and regulations in compliance with regulations promulgated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency in 40 CFR Part 403; and

WHEREAS, Charlestown Township intends to revise its Code of Ordinances to be consistent with the Valley Forge Sewer Authority rules and regulations.

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Charlestown Township, Chester County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 18 -- Sewers and Sewage Disposal of the Charlestown Township Code of Ordinances, Section 203.2.A(5) is amended to change the following Tier I Limits to read as follows:

Tier 1 Limits

Parameter	Limitation	Units
Arsenic (Total)	0.04	mg/L
Cadmium (Total)	0.09	mg/L
Chromium (Total)	4.00	mg/L
Copper (Total)	1.00	mg/L
Cyanide(Total)	0.26	mg/L
Lead (Total)	0.10	mg/L
Mercury (Total)	0.005	mg/L
Molybdenum	0.50	mg/L

Nickel (Total)	0.90	mg/L
Selenium	0.50	mg/L
Silver (Total)	0.08	mg/L
Zinc (Total)	1.00	mg/L

Section 2. Chapter 18 – Sewers and Sewage Disposal of the Charlestown Township Code of Ordinances, Section 203.2.A(6) is amended to change the following Tier II Limits to read as follows:

Tier II Limits

Parameter	Limitation	Units
Arsenic (Total)	2.50	mg/L
Cadmium (Total)	0.50	mg/L
Chromium (Total)	21.00	mg/L
Copper (Total)	22.00	mg/L
Cyanide(Total)	0.26	mg/L
Lead (Total)	18.00	mg/L
Mercury (Total)	0.04	mg/L
Molybdenum	5.00	mg/L
Nickel (Total)	5.00	mg/L
Selenium	4.00	mg/L
Silver (Total)	5.00	mg/L
Zinc (Total)	95.00	mg/L

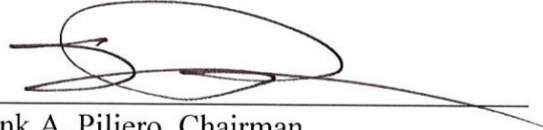
Section 3. Chapter 18 – Sewers and Sewage Disposal of the Charlestown Township Code of Ordinances, Section 205.2.F is amended to change the Waste Permit and Waste Hauler License Duration to read as follows:

Waste Permit and Waste Hauler License Duration. Waste permits and waste hauler licenses shall be issued for a specified time period, not to exceed five (5) years. Each significant waste generator or waste hauler shall apply for a waste permit or waste hauler license reissuance a minimum of thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the existing permit or license accompanied by a nonreturnable processing fee to be set from time to time by resolution of the Authority. The terms and conditions of the waste permit or waste hauler license shall be subject to modification by the Authority during the term of the permit or license to accommodate changing conditions and as local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations are modified or amended, or other just cause exists.

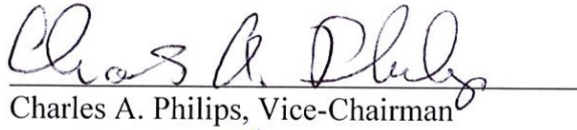
Section 4. This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) days from the date of enactment.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 6th day of May, 2024 by the Board of Supervisors of Charlestown Township.

CHARLESTOWN TOWNSHIP
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