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**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 330, SECTION 20 H1 OF THE REVISED  
GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF WHARTON, COUNTY OF  
MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Borough of Wharton that Chapter 330, Section 20 H1 is hereby amended as follows:

**§ 330-20. Billing and collecting.**

H. Water rates, fees and charges. The following rates shall prevail and continue until changed, altered or amended by ordinance of the Borough Council.

1. Domestic, laundromat, industrial and lawn hydrants.

- (a) Effective **January 1, 2026**, the domestic rate per 100 cubic feet shall be **\$5.64**.
- (b) Where there are multiple units, the minimum rate for such multiple units shall be the minimum rate of a single service meter multiplied by the number of units.
- (c) Effective **January 1, 2026**, the laundromat rate per 100 cubic feet shall be **\$5.64** for the first 1,350 ccf; thereafter the rate is **\$5.96** per 100 cubic feet.
- (d) Effective **January 1, 2026**, the industrial rate per 100 cubic feet is **\$5.64** for the first 1,350 ccf; thereafter the rate is **\$5.96** per 100 cubic feet. Both industrial rates are based upon the rate charged to the Borough by the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority.
- (e) Lawn hydrant per quarter, in addition to metered water use: **\$27.93**.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed only to the extent of such inconsistency.

This ordinance shall take effect on the noted effective dates after final passage and publication as required by law.

First Reading: December 8, 2025

Second Reading: December 29, 2025

ATTEST:

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Cheryl Muzzillo,  
Deputy Borough Clerk

BOROUGH OF WHARTON

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WILLIAM J. CHEGWIDEN,  
MAYOR