

ORDINANCE NO. 17-15

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 7 OF THE JEFFERSON
TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL CODE ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION
OF GOVERNMENT” AND MORE PARTICULARLY SUBSECTION
7-119 ENTITLED “Sewer bills”**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Jefferson, Morris County, New Jersey, that Chapter 7 of the Jefferson Township Municipal Code entitled “Administration of Government” and more particularly section 7-119 entitled “Sewer bills” is hereby amended by amending Subsection B entitled “Sewer usage fees” as follows:

- (1) (a) Residential. Commencing January 1, 2016 the annual sewer residential property rate for sewer usage shall be \$900 per annum, payable \$225.00 per quarter. The residential rate beginning January 1, 2018 shall be \$945 per annum, payable \$236.25 per quarter and the rate beginning January 1, 2020 and forward shall be \$990 per annum, payable \$247.50 per quarter.
- (2) (a) Commercial. Commencing January 1, 2016 the commercial property rate shall be \$9.70 per every 1000 gallons of usage, payable quarterly, with a minimum of not less than \$1,072 per annum. Beginning January 1, 2018, the rate shall be \$10.15 per every 1000 gallons of usage, payable quarterly, with a minimum of not less than \$1,125 per annum. Beginning January 1, 2020 and forward the rate shall be \$10.60 per every 1000 gallons of usage, payable quarterly, with a minimum of not less than \$1,175 per annum.

SECTION A

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION B

If any article, section, subsection, paragraph, phrase or sentence is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, said article, section, subsection, paragraph, phrase or sentence shall be deemed severable.

SECTION C

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final publication as provided by law.

**COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF JEFFERSON**

ATTEST:

LORI HARVIN
Clerk

RICHARD W. YOCUM
President

INTRODUCED: July 15, 2015

ADOPTED: August 12, 2015

RUSSELL W. FELTER, MAYOR

DATE AND TIME PRESENTED TO MAYOR FOR SIGNATURE:

CERTIFICATION

I, LORI HARVIN, Clerk of the Township of Jefferson, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township of Jefferson Council on the ____ day of _____, 2015.

LORI HARVIN, Clerk