

VILLAGE OF GEORGETOWN, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 1000

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING NEW RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE IN THE VILLAGE OF GEORGETOWN, BROWN COUNTY, OHIO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, by the adoption of Ordinance No. 1086 (as amended by Ordinance No. 1107 and 1122) there were established certain rates and charges for the collection and disposal of garbage and refuse within the Village of Georgetown, Brown County, Ohio and

WHEREAS, the contractor which supplies such service to the Village of Georgetown has raised such rates and charges to the Village with the result that it is now necessary to pass such increased charges if the Village is to remain on a sound financial basis,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village Council of the Village of Georgetown, Brown County, Ohio, two-thirds (2/3) or more of all members thereof concurring as follows, that:

SECTION 1. Effective with the utility billing due and payable in May 2018 for utilities services to customers of the Village of Georgetown Utilities Department, the rates and charges for garbage collection and disposal, basic service, shall be as follows:

Regular Residential	\$11.96 per month
Golden Buckeye / Senior Citizen	\$10.93 per month

SECTION 2. Commercial collection and disposal over and above regular residential services shall be separately billed by the contractor for such additional services provided.

SECTION 3. Any residential customer or Golden Buckeye Cardholder who resides outside the corporation boundaries of the Village of Georgetown but who receives garbage collection and disposal services through the Village of Georgetown Utilities Department shall pay a surcharge of fifty percent (50%) over and above the rates and charges set forth in Section 1 of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. In the event the owner or owners of a parcel of land which is outside the corporate limits of the Village of Georgetown but which said parcel of land receives garbage collection through the Village of Georgetown Utilities Department refuses or fails to annex or refuses to join in an annexation petition to have such a parcel of land annexed to the Village of Georgetown, the monthly garbage collection and disposal service provided through the Village of Georgetown Utilities Department shall be increased by an additional fifty percent (50%) surcharge added to the applicable rate provided by Section 1 of this ordinance over and above the fifty percent (50%) surcharge imposed by Section 3 of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. In the event that the owner or owners of a parcel of land described in Section 4 of this Ordinance is able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Village Administrator of the

Village of Georgetown that such a parcel of land cannot lawfully be annexed to the Village of Georgetown through no fault of such owner(s), the Village Administrator shall be authorized to relieve the surcharge imposed by Section 4 of this ordinance but shall not relieve the surcharge imposed by Section 3 of this ordinance.

SECTION 6. In the event the legal impediment to annexation contemplated by the provisions of Section 5 of this Ordinance is removed such that said parcel of land could lawfully be annexed to the Village of Georgetown but such owner(s) of a parcel of land which is outside the corporate limits of the Village of Georgetown but which parcel of said land receives garbage collection through the Village of Georgetown Utilities Department still refuses or fails to annex or refuses or fails to join in an annexation petition to have such parcel of land annexed to the Village of Georgetown, the Village Administrator of the Village of Georgetown shall re-impose the fifty percent (50%) surcharge provided for in section 4 of this Ordinance.

SECTION 7. Any future state-mandated solid waste disposal fees which are imposed for collection through the contractor providing solid waste disposal services to the Village of Georgetown may hereafter be passed through to Georgetown Utility Customers by the Georgetown Utilities Department without the necessity of passage of a rate increase ordinance.

SECTION 8. Ordinance numbers 626 and 735 are hereby amended to reflect the changes made herein but in all other respects, said Ordinance numbers 626 and 735 shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 9. Ordinance No. 1122 shall be and hereby is repealed effective with the effective date of this ordinance.

SECTION 10. This Ordinance shall be effective on May 1, 2018.

SECTION 11. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency Ordinance necessary for the welfare of the inhabitants of the Village of Georgetown and more particularly to insure the orderly affairs of government of the municipality and to provide for the usual daily operation of this municipality and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

Passed and adopted at a legally convened meeting of Council held on the 26th day of April 2018.



Dale E. Cahall, Mayor

ATTEST:


Natalie K.R. Newberry, Fiscal Officer