

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 61—VILLAGE OF STETSONVILLE
AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING MUNICIPAL SEWAGE SYSTEM**

The Village Board of the Village of Stetsonville ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. The underground sewage system hereinafter installed, operated and maintained by the Stetsonville Sewer Association, a voluntary association, has heretofore been transferred and conveyed to the Village of Stetsonville, and the same together with replacement or additions thereto, as well as any new sewage disposal facilities installed within the corporate limits of said Village shall be owned by and under the exclusive control of the Village of Stetsonville.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to place, deposit, or permit to be deposited in an unsanitary manner upon public or private party within the Village of Stetsonville or in any area under the jurisdiction of the Village, any human or animal excrement, garbage or other objectionable waste.

SECTION 3. Except as hereinafter provided, it shall be unlawful to construct or maintain any privy, privy vault, septic tank, cesspool, or other facility intended or used for the disposal of sewage.

SECTION 4. The owners of all houses, buildings or properties used for human occupancy, employment, recreation, or other purposes, situated within the Village and abutting on any street, alley or right-of-way in which there is now located or may in the future be located a public sanitary or combined sewer of the Village, is hereby required at his expense to install suitable toilet facilities therein, and to connect with facilities with the proper public sewer in according with the provisions of this ordinance, within the two (2) year period from and after November 15, 1966, and within one hundred twenty (120) days after receipt of official notice from the Village of Stetsonville to do so; provided that said public sewer line is within two hundred (200) feet of the property line.

SECTION 5. No unauthorized person shall uncover, make any connections with or opening into, use, alter or disturb any public sewer or appurtenance thereof without first obtaining a written permit from the Superintendent of Public Works.

SECTION 6. All costs and expense incident to the installation and connection of the building sewer shall be borne by the owner. The owner shall indemnify the Village from any loss or damage that may be directly or indirectly be occasioned by the installation of a building sewer.

SECTION 7. The applicant for the building sewer permit shall notify the Superintendent of Public Works when the building sewer is ready for the inspection and connection to the public sewer. The connection shall be made under the supervision of said Superintendent.

SECTION 8. All excavations for building sewer installation shall be adequately guarded with barricades and lights so as to protect the public from hazard. Streets, sidewalks, parkways and other public property disturbed in the course of the work shall be restored in a manner satisfactory to the Village.

SECTION 9. No provision of this Ordinance shall be construed as prevent any special agreement or arrangement between the Village and any industrial or commercial concern or establishment whereby an industrial waste of unusual strength or character may be accepted by the Village for treatment, subject to payment thereafter by the industrial or commercial establishment or concern, and under such special conditions or requirements as may be specified by the Village.

SECTION 10. The Superintendent of Public Works and other duly authorized officers or employees of the Village shall be permitted to enter on all properties for the purpose of inspection, observation, measurement, sampling and testing, in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 11. The Village Board shall establish an initial connection charge to be paid for the connection of each building sewer to the public sewer line, and such initial connection charge shall be subject to change as future circumstances may require, by action of the Village Board. Appropriate monthly charge for regular sewage service shall be established from time to time by the Village Board and the same shall be paid for each property served by the sewage system or for which such service is available and required under the provisions of this Ordinance to be connected to the Village Sewer System (whether or not the same is actually connected) and all such charges shall be paid directly in the Village Treasury. An appropriate system of billing property owners and/or occupants for sewer connection charges accumulated and delinquent for more than three (3) months shall constitute a special charge lien against the property to which such service has been furnished, or is available, and shall be entered upon the tax roll as such by the proper Village Officers, and collected in the same manner as real estate taxes are collected.

The initial charges required to be fixed hereunder are as follows:

Connection Charge	\$200.00
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Monthly Sewage Service Charges:

Single Family Residence Property, per connection	\$2.00
Multiple Family Residence Property, per connection	\$2.00
Commercial Property	\$2.00
School Buildings (per Classroom)	\$2.00
Combination Commercial and Dwelling Property, per connection	\$3.00

SECTION 12. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 13. The invalidity of section, clause, sentence, or provision of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this ordinance which can be given without such invalid part or parts.

SECTION 14. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Passed and adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Stetsonville on the 20th day of October 1966, by the following vote. Aye- 3; Nay-none

Approved:

/s/ Frank Heimerl, Village President

Attest:

/s/ Frederick Amacher, Village Clerk