

**ORDINANCE NO. 2007-2
CATERPILLAR TRAIL PUBLIC WATER DISTRICT
OF WOODFORD COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**AN ORDINANCE REGARDING CHARGES TO
THE VILLAGE OF GERMANTOWN HILLS, ILLINOIS
FOR ENFORCEMENT OF DELINQUENT SEWER ACCOUNTS**

WHEREAS, the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District operates and maintains a public water distribution system for the benefit of customers residing within its district pursuant to the Public Water District Act, 70 ILCS 3705/0.01 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Germantown Hills, Illinois operates a public sewer system within the boundaries of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Germantown Hills, Illinois has requested that the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District assist the Village in the enforcement of payment of delinquent sewer accounts, by disconnecting and reconnecting water service to premises with delinquent sewer accounts, as mandated by the 2004 amendment to Section 11-141-7 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/11-141-7; and

WHEREAS, said Section of the Illinois Municipal Code requires a municipality to reimburse a water utility for the reasonable cost of discontinuing and resuming water service and for lost water service revenues; and

WHEREAS, at a duly convened, regular meeting of the board of trustees of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District held on April 9, 2007, the board voted to establish fees and charges associated with the disconnection and reconnection of water service to customers for whom water service disconnections or reconnections may be requested by the Village of Germantown Hills,

Illinois to enforce payment of delinquent sewer accounts under Section 11-141-7 of the Illinois Municipal Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the board of trustees of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District that as of May 1, 2007, the following charges shall be assessed to the Village of Germantown Hills, Illinois for assistance with enforcement of payment of delinquent sewer accounts:

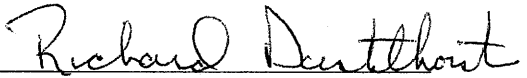
Water disconnection fee where shut-off valve	\$75.00 and administrative fee
Water disconnection fee where no shut-off valve or buried shut off valve	\$75.00 plus parts, labor, and administrative fee
Lost water revenue	Minimum lost water billing during shut-off period
Water reconnection fee	\$75.00 and administrative fee

The labor and administrative fee amounts shall be based on the governing rate ordinance of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District in effect at the time of disconnection or reconnection.

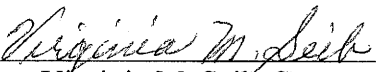
The above amounts shall be payable to the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District by the Village of Germantown Hills, Illinois upon disconnection and reconnection, with the lost water revenue charge to be added to the reconnection fee at the time of reconnection. The Village of Germantown Hills, Illinois shall be responsible for paying the above charges and obtaining any reimbursement from its customers of the amounts incurred to enforce payment of delinquent sewer accounts.

The unauthorized use fee set forth in the governing use and rate ordinances of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District shall apply to any person who attempts to reconnect service during any period of disconnection without the authorization of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District.




Richard Diestelhorst
Chairman of the Board of Trustees


ATTEST:


Virginia M. Seib, Secretary

CERTIFICATION OF ORDINANCE

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District of Woodford County, Illinois, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the board of trustees of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District, with a quorum present, on April 9, 2007.

In witness whereof, I hereby affix my signature and the seal of the Caterpillar Trail Public Water District this 18th day of April, 2007.


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