

Sponsor: J Peters / Biggs

ORDINANCE NO. 26-20

**AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND AMENDING ORD. 43-87, AS CODIFIED AS SECTION 927.09 OF THE CITY OF JACKSON CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR CHARGES FOR DISCHARGE OF SEPTIC TANK WASTE.**

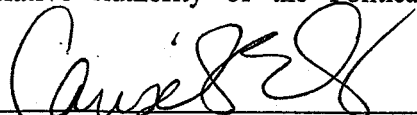
WHEREAS, Section 927.09 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Jackson establishes the method and rates for the discharge of septic tank waste; and

WHEREAS, the legislative authority of the City of Jackson has determined it appropriate to amend the method and rates charged by the City to accept the discharge of septic tank waste; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO THAT THE FOLLOWING BE AN ORDINANCE GOVERNING DISCHARGE OF SEPTIC TANK WASTE AND THAT IT BE NUMBERED AS SECTION 927.09 WITHIN THE JACKSON CODIFIED ORDINANCES AS REVISED WITH THE AMENDED TEXT STRUCK THROUGH AND REPLACED BY THE UNDERLINED TEXT.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and the deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 22 day of June, 2020.

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 22 day of June, 2020.

  
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Mayor

927.09 DISCHARGE OF SEPTIC TANK WASTES.

(a) The charge for accepting tankage shall be ~~twenty dollars (\$20.00 per 1,000 gallons. Any volume more or less shall be prorated on that basis a charge~~ \$0.05 per gallon. Each Hauler must provide to the City of Jackson Wastewater Treatment Plant a copy of their annual Jackson County Department of Health Septic Hauling Registration.

(b) Only wastes from septic tanks or aeration systems shall be accepted for discharge into the sewers. Any wastes originating from any other source shall not be accepted without approval of the ~~Director of Public Service and Safety or the Director of Wastewater~~ Head of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Department

(c) Gallonage of wastewater shall be known and specified. The address of the actual source of the septic or aeration system waste shall be provided to the City and is to be determined by the volume and the number of loads if more than one load is being discharged.

(d) Discharging shall occur between the hours of ~~8:00~~ 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 ~~noon~~ p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

(e) Discharging shall be ~~in a manhole designated~~ occur at a designated area as specified by the City, ~~which will be described as manhole #3 and will be clearly marked and locked at all times other than during discharging.~~ This specified location shall be the only point permitted for disposal for reasons of control and convenience.

(f) Prior to discharging the load, the hauler shall report to the Administration Building of the Wastewater Treatment Plant (the first building) and sign a form in triplicate, stating the nature of the wastes and gallonage. The fee for accepting the wastes shall be calculated and appear on the aforementioned form. This form shall also be signed by a representative of the City. One copy of the form is to be given to the hauler, one retained at the plant and the third is to be submitted to the Utility Office for billing purposes.

(g) A representative of the City shall may accompany the hauler to the specified disposal location ~~manhole #3 and unlock the cover and also verify the contents of the load. After discharge is complete, the City employee shall lock the cover.~~

(h) During periods of abnormally high wastewater flows, severe weather conditions or operational concerns, no tankage shall be allowed per discretion of the ~~Director of Public Service and Safety~~ the Head of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Department.

(i) Samples of the tankage will be taken under the direction of the Head of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Department. Hauler will be responsible for all associated costs.

(j) Cleanup of any spill at the dump station will be the responsibility of the septic hauler. Any leaking hoses must be repaired prior to discharging. A fee will be assessed for any cleanup completed by City personnel.

(k) Failure to comply with these guidelines and associated City of Jackson Sewer Use Ordinance regulations shall render the hauler liable to enforcement and penalties as set forth in this chapter.

(l) Annual review of charges. The charge for accepting tankage and associated fees shall be reviewed annually by the City in order to determine whether or not they are sufficient.

(m) This ordinance will take effect 30 days from the date the ordinance is passed.

