

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION
For Inclusion on Board Agenda

 X Resolution or Ordinance (Blue) X *Waiver of First Requested*
 Recommendations of Boards, Commissions & Committees (Green)
 Other Business (Pink)

TO: President and Village Board of Trustees

FROM: Scott Niehaus, Village Manager

DATE: May 28, 2021 (COW)(B of T): June 17, 2021

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE V, CHAPTER 51, SECTION 51.15 OF
THE LOMBARD VILLAGE CODE IN REGARD TO INACCURATE WATER
METERS

SUBMITTED BY: Timothy Sexton, Director of Finance

BACKGROUND/POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Attached is an ordinance prepared by the Village’s attorney to amend the Village Code in regards to billing for inaccurate water meter readings. The Village Code currently states, if a water meter at any time fails to register the quantity of water consumed, the usage shall be determined on the basis of the quantity registered during the corresponding period of the preceding year, or if there is no usage in the corresponding period of the preceding year, then it shall be upon an average charge in relation to the water meter size.

This ordinance amends the language to estimate on the basis of the average of the quantity of water used at the location during the corresponding period for each of the three preceding years. If there was no water usage at the location during the three preceding years, then the estimate shall be based on the average water usage of a similar type and size (residential, commercial, industrial or institutional).

FISCAL IMPACT:

N/A

REVIEW (as needed):

Village Attorney XX _____ Date _____
Finance Director XX Timothy Sexton _____ Date 5/28/21
Village Manager XX Scott Niehaus _____ Date 6/1/21