Ord. #7-2016

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING TOWNSHIP CODE CHAPTER 318. "SEWERS AND WATER", ARTICLE VII. "WATER RATES AND SERVICE FEES" TO REFLECT THE INCREASED COST OF CERTAIN SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Township provides water service to a large portion of the residents within Mount Olive Township; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the provision of water service, the Township charges fees to offset the costs borne by the Township in providing these services; and

WHEREAS, the fees contained within Chapter 318 of the Township Code were last amended in 1998; and

WHEREAS, since 1998, the costs of materials and services associated with the provision of water service have increased; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council believes it is in the best interest to amend the fees to reflect the increased costs.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey that Chapter 318. "Sewers and Water", Article VII. "Water Rates and Service Fees" is amended as follows:

SECTION 1.

D. Services in new subdivisions; meter installations.

(1) Services in new subdivisions as provided for in § **318-16** herein and for meter installation as provided for in § **318-17** herein:

(a) Three-fourths-inch service: $272 per service.

(b) One-inch service: $337 per service.

(c) Larger services: $152 plus $202.50 per each inch of required service above one inch, excluding material and labor.

J. Meter test as provided for in § **318-30** herein: $55.

The remaining sections of this Chapter remain unchanged.

SECTION 2. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance may be renumbered for purposes of codification.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days following final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Introduced:
Adopted:
Effective Date:

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

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Joe Nicastro, Mount Olive Council President

ATTEST:

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Michelle Masser, Township Clerk