

Town of Clearfield
ORDINANCE NO. 24-2005
COST OF PROVIDING FIRE SERVICE

The Town of Clearfield, Juneau County, Wisconsin, does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION I — PURPOSE

The purpose of this ordinance is to amend Ordinance 13 of the Clearfield Code pertaining to the cost of providing fire service within the Township.

SECTION II — PROVISIONS AMENDED

Ordinance 13 is hereby amended in its entirety.

SECTION III — PROVISION AS AMENDED

All of Ordinance 13 is hereby replaced in its entirety as follows:

Section I: Purpose. The purpose of this Ordinance is to create a portion of the Town of Clearfield Code pertaining to a landowner's responsibility to pay for fire services incurred by the Township as a result of a fire occurring on the landowner's property.

Section II: Payment of Fire Charges. In the event that the Township directly or indirectly incurs costs associated with responding to a fire on land located within the Town of Clearfield, the owner of the property shall be responsible for the payment of those costs. The Clerk will provide a billing statement to the property owner, which shall be due within thirty (30) days. If the fees are not paid within thirty (30) days, they will bear interest at the rate of 1.5 percent per month until paid. Fees shall also be charged by the Town Clerk as a special tax at the time that real estate billings are submitted to the County Treasurer.

SECTION IV — VALIDITY

Should any section, clause or provision of the ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

SECTION V — CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED

All ordinances in conflict with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION VI — EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall be in force from and after its introduction and publication as provided by statute.

SECTION VII:

This ordinance becomes a part of Ordinance 24 of the Town of Clearfield Code.

The Town Clerk shall properly publish this Ordinance as required under s. 60.80 Wis Stats.

Clearfield Town Board

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