

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED INCREASE IN WATER RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE TOWN OF CICERO, INDIANA

Property owners and other interested parties in the Town of Cicero, Indiana, are hereby notified that the Rate Ordinance 05-08-2024-02, increasing the rates and charges for services to be rendered by the water works, was introduced at a meeting of the Council held on May 8, 2024.

A public hearing of the Council will be held at 7:00 PM, local time, on June 4, 2024 at Red Bridge Community Building, 697 W Jackson St., Cicero, Indiana on the matter of the rates and charges. The Council will convene and may consider the adoption of said ordinance at the meeting to be held on June 4, 2024.

The Rate Ordinance provides for an increase in rates as set forth in the text of the Rate Ordinance which is included in this Notice. At such public hearing and prior to final adoption of the Rate Ordinance, all interested parties may appear and be heard. The complete text of proposed Rate Ordinance and the Rate Report prepared by the financial advisor are on file and available for examination and copying at the office of the Clerk Treasurer, 331 East Jackson Street, Cicero, IN 46034, Indiana during regular business hours, and will be available at the public hearing.

Public comments and input will also be accepted in writing via mail or email. Copies of all written comments received in advance of the hearing will be distributed to the members of the town council for their review and consideration. Letters concerning Rate Ordinance 05-08-2024-02 may be submitted by mail to the Clerk-Treasurer's Office, 331 East Jackson Street, Cicero, Indiana 46034 or via email to publiccomment@townofcicero.in.gov. Please note, this email address is for the acceptance of comments only. If you have questions regarding the proposed ordinance, public hearing procedures, or anything else relating to this matter, please contact the Clerk-Treasurer's Office by phone at 317-984-4900 or by email at rgary@townofcicero.in.gov.

Following the adoption of the Rate Ordinance, users located outside the municipality's corporate boundaries may be entitled to petition the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission under Indiana Code §8-1.5-3-8.3 to review and adjust the rates and charges imposed on the users if a petition under Indiana Code §8-1.5-3-8.2 with respect to the same rate ordinance has not been filed.

Dated May 9, 2024.
Town of Cicero, Indiana
Rhonda Gary
Clerk Treasurer