

**VILLAGE OF PLEASANT HILL, OHIO****ORDINANCE 1052****AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR COLLECTION OF REFUSE CHARGES**

WHEREAS, it is important for the fiscal health of the Village to collect those refuse charges contracted by the Village for its residents; and:

WHEREAS, there is currently no procedure for the collection of refuse collection charges;

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Pleasant Hill, Miami County, Ohio, at least Three Fourths of its Members Approving:

**SECTION ONE:** That the charges established by Contract with the Refuse Collector for the Village shall be billed to the property owner of record and shall be payable bi-monthly, by the due date specified on the statement forwarded to the property owner or property resident. There shall be a penalty of twenty percent (20%) of the bi-monthly charge for refuse, if any amount thereof is not paid by the due date indicated. This penalty is in addition to any other applicable rights the Village may assert in collecting amounts owed for the refuse collection service, including, but not limited to assessment, or liens. A charge of thirty dollars (\$30.00) will be assessed for returned checks. Upon receipt of two (2) dishonored checks the Village of Pleasant Hill Board of Public Affairs may refuse to accept personal checks as payment. Payment must then be made in cash, money order, or any other certified funding.

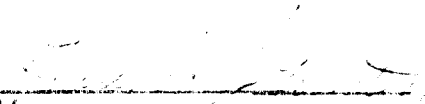
**SECTION TWO:** That this Ordinance shall be construed to be consistent with all other procedures, rights, regulations, standards, and guidelines set out in the Water and Sewer Rules and Regulations as adopted and amended by the Board of Public Affairs.


**SECTION THREE:** That this Ordinance be and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the immediate preservation of the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of the Village of Pleasant Hill, Ohio for the reason that the Village Council will need these procedures immediately, therefore, this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED this 17 day of September, 2009.

Approved as to form:

  
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Solicitor

  
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Mayor

  
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Fiscal Officer