

**ORDINANCE NO. 2023 - 12**

AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE AND AMEND SECTION 927.04(d) OF THE VILLAGE OF WINDHAM UTILITY CODE TO ADJUST THE DATE OF WATER SHUT OFF FOR LATE OR NON-PAYMENT OF WATER RENT.

**WHEREAS**, the Windham Village Administrator has identified the need to revise and amend a section of the utility code to provide for additional time for water customers to pay the invoice for water purchased from the municipal water system prior to having service turned off; and

**WHEREAS**, upon consideration of the recommended change the Council of the Village of Windham has determined that the utility code of the Village should be amended.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Council of the Village of Windham, Portage County and State of Ohio, two thirds or more of the members thereto concurring that:

SECTION: 1. Effective December 1, 2023, section 927.04(d) of the Windham Codified Ordinances is repealed.

SECTION: 2. Effective December 1, 2023, the following section 927.04(d) is hereby enacted:

(d) A customer's water supply may be shut off from any premise for which the water rent remains unpaid on the third day of the month after payment is due.

SECTION: 3. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were accepted in an open meeting of this Council, and that deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meeting open to the public, in compliance with Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED IN COUNCIL on first reading October 23, 2023

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

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Katrina Washington, Fiscal Officer  
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Scott Garrett, Mayor

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Thomas Reitz, Solicitor