

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH CHICAGO HEIGHTS  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

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ARTICLE IV ("SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL") OF CHAPTER 82 ("UTILITIES")  
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**ADOPTED BY THE  
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE  
VILLAGE OF SOUTH CHICAGO HEIGHTS  
THIS 21<sup>st</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2025**

Published in pamphlet form  
by the authority of the President  
and Board of Trustees of the  
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**WHEREAS**, the Village of South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois (the "*Village*") is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the "*Home Rule Powers*"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois (the "*Corporate Authorities*") may from time to time amend the text of the Code of Ordinances of South Chicago Heights when it is determined to be in the best interests of the residents of the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 17, 2025 the Corporate Authorities adopted Ordinance No. 2025-5, entitled "An Ordinance of the Village of South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois, Amending Section 82-27 ("Rates") of Division 1 ("Generally") of Article II ("Water Service") of Chapter 82 ("Utilities") and Section 82-203 ("Sewer rates") of Division 2 ("Use of Public Sewers") of Article IV ("Sewers and Sewage Disposal") of Chapter 82 ("Utilities") of the Code of Ordinances of South Chicago Heights Related to Water Utility Rates"; and

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2020-25 contained a scrivener's error regarding sewer rates; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities have deemed it necessary to amend the Village Code in order to remove a certain scrivener's error.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

**Section 1.** That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

**Section 2.** Section 82-203 (“*Sewer rates*”) of Division 2 (“*Use of Public Sewers*”) of Article IV (“*Sewers and Sewage Disposal*”) of Chapter 82 (“*Utilities*”) of the South Chicago Heights Municipal Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the underlined language to read, as follows:

## **DIVISION 2 – USE OF PUBLIC SEWERS**

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### **Sec. 82-203 – Sewer rates.**

All users of sewer services provided by the village shall pay the following rates for sewer service:

- (a) A service and handling charge of \$1.00 per bi-monthly bill.
- (b) Effective ~~March 1, 2025~~ December 2, 2024, a sewer rate of ~~\$1.58~~ \$1.50 per unit of water usage (1,000 gallons).

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**Section 3.** All sections of the Village of South Chicago Heights Code not addressed in this Ordinance or another amending ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

**Section 4.** If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

**Section 5.** All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**Section 6.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect following its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

**ADOPTED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 2025, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

**VOTE:**

**AYES:**

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**NAYS:**

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**ABSENT:**

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**APPROVED** by the President of the Village of South Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 2025.

  
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VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

  
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VILLAGE CLERK