AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 209 - WATER - OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF HAMBURG COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY INCREASING SERVICE CHARGES FOR DELINQUENT WATER BILLS.

## ORDINANCE # 01 – 2015

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hamburg, in the County of Sussex, State of New Jersey, that Chapter 209 – WATER – of the Code of the Borough of Hamburg, is amended as follows:

2. Section  $\underline{209-2 \text{ E}(2)}$  and subsections (a), (b), (c) & (d) thereof are amended to read in their entirety to provide as follows:

If bills are not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date for the respective quarter, the water supply shall be discontinued. The borough will furnish a minimum of ten (10) days written notice of a discontinuance of service. A service charge of \$100.00 shall be charged to the occupant if the outstanding bill, including interest, is not paid by the turnoff date specified in the notice of discontinuance. Water shall not be restored until and unless the outstanding bill, interest and service charges are paid. Water will not be turned on until the next business day following payment of the aforementioned charges, bill and interest.

2. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as provided by law.

## **CERTIFICATION**

NOTICE is hereby given that the above ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading of the meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hamburg held on Monday, January 5, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. and was scheduled for final passage at the regular meeting of the Mayor and Council to be held on Monday February 2, 2015 which meeting was cancelled due to inclement weather and was rescheduled for final passage at the meeting of the Mayor and Council on February 04, 2015 which rescheduled final passage hearing will be held and considered at a meeting of the Mayor and Council on March 02, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as same can be considered, in the Municipal Building, 16 Wallkill Avenue, Hamburg, New Jersey at which time and place all persons interested therein or affected thereby will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same. A copy of said Ordinance is on file in the Office of the Borough Clerk, Municipal Building, 16 Wallkill Avenue, Hamburg, New Jersey and is available for public inspection during regular business hours. During the week prior and up to the time of public hearing, copies of said Ordinance will be available to the member of the general public who requests the same.

Doreen Schott, RMC Municipal Clerk