

ORDINANCE NO. 689

WHEREAS, the Borough of Churchill was required to enter into a Consent Agreement with the Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of Environmental Resources and the Allegheny County Health Department in January of 2004 with regard to the Borough's sanitary sewer system; and

WHEREAS, it is apparent that compliance with the requirements for assessment of the Borough's system and the required repairs of critical sewers are extraordinary expenses over and above the current operating budget of the Borough; and

WHEREAS, additional revenue sources are needed to provide for these extraordinary expenses over the years covered by the agreement, i.e. 2012 and perhaps beyond; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Churchill believes it is in the best interest of the Borough to establish a fee to be paid by users in relation to the amount of sewage service they consume; and

WHEREAS, such sewage user charge can added to the water bill of each user within the Borough of Churchill as a surcharge to the current ALCOSAN rate; and

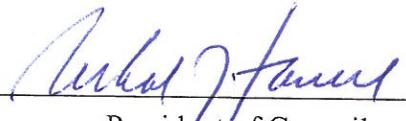
WHEREAS, the Borough is desirous of setting the surcharge in an amount so as to pay the costs and expenditures of the Consent Agreement when considered in the aggregate; and

WHEREAS, the appropriate surcharge per thousand gallons of sewage usage when applied to the Borough as a whole is \$4.00 per thousand; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Churchill is desirous of entering into an Agreement with the Wilkesburg Penn Joint Water Authority for the billing and collection of said surcharge.

NOW, THEREFORE, in Council assembled it is ordered and ordained that the Borough of Churchill establish a sewer usage surcharge of \$4.00 per thousand gallons of sewer/water use, effective with any billing occurring after November 1, 2004 and further, that the proper officers of the Borough are authorized to enter into an agreement with the Wilkesburg Penn Joint Water Authority for the billing and collection of said surcharge. Further, the proper officers and officials of the Borough are further authorized to adopt any rules and regulations necessary for the enforcement and efficient collection of said surcharge.

THE BOROUGH OF CHURCHILL

By 
President of Council

ATTEST:


Secretary

EXAMINED AND APPROVED this 14th day of September, 2004.


Mayor