

Borough of Matawan

Public Notice of Pending Ordinance 23-09

The ordinance published herewith was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Matawan, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, on May 2, 2023. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of the Governing Body to be held at the Borough of Matawan, Matawan Municipal Community Center, 201 Broad Street, Matawan, New Jersey 07747 on May 16, 2023 at 7:00 o'clock PM. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours at the Clerk's Office for the members of the general public who shall request the same or on the Borough of Matawan website at www.matawanborough.com.

Karen Wynne, RMC
Municipal Clerk

ORDINANCE 23-09
AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING THE REVISED GENERAL
ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF MATAWAN
CHAPTER 23 – SEWERS
SECTION 23-10 – EXPENSE OF INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, Chapter 23, Section 23-10 be amended and supplemented as follows:

~~**23-10** ——— **STOPPAGES; RESPONSIBILITY FOR:**~~

~~Stoppages occurring in the house lateral shall be the responsibility of the Borough. Stoppages occurring between the building and the curb or the cleanout shall be the responsibility of the owner.~~

23-10 **EXPENSE OF INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE**

The Borough shall not be liable for any stoppage of the sewer lines between the main sewer line and the building served thereby nor for any damage resulting from said stoppage, and in no event will the Borough provide any labor or material to free, clear or remove obstructions from the said lines connected to the system or appurtenances added or attached thereto; all such work consisting of maintenance of sewer laterals (that is, sewer lines running from the trunk line to the curb or property line and the sewer line running from the curb or property line to the building served) shall be the obligation of the abutting owner.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, any Ordinances or portions thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies only.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, if any provisions of this Ordinance, or the application of such provision to any person or circumstance is declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or applications of this Ordinance, which can be given effect, and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon following the passage, adoption and publication pursuant to New Jersey State law.