

ORDINANCE 19-2025

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT
OF PUBLIC UTILITIES FOR THE VILLAGE OF DELTA

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Delta has reviewed the present Municipal Code and desires to reorganize certain aspects of the Water and Sewer Departments within the Village; and

WHEREAS, this reorganization will provide more efficient service to the residents of the Village and at a reduced costs; and

WHEREAS, this reorganization will also allow for retention and progression of employees and staff in both departments; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to add new Chapter 933, Department of Public Utilities, to the Delta Municipal Code.

THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL FOR THE VILLAGE OF DELTA, FULTON COUNTY OHIO THAT:

SECTION 1. The codified ordinances of the Village of Delta, Fulton County, Ohio is amended to include Chapter 933, Department of Public Utilities in Part Nine, Title Three, with the following sections:

DEPATMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

933.01, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

- (a) There is hereby created the Department of Public Utilities.

933.02, PUBLIC UTILITIES SUPERINDENDENT AND EMPLOYEES

- (a) The position of Superintendent of Public Utilities is hereby created. The Superintendent shall report to the Administrator. The salary for the Superintendent shall be fixed by Council. The Superintendent shall hold the position at the will of the Administrator and may also be employed by the Administrator for other services.
- (b) The Superintendent shall fill the role and have the responsibilities and powers of the Superintendent of Wastewater Facilities and Superintendent of the Water Treatment Facilities as set forth in other Sections of the Delta Municipal Code, including, but not limited to, Chapter 921 and Chapter 931. The Superintendent of Public Services shall be considered the Superintendent of Wastewater Facilities and the Superintendent of Water Treatment Facilities.
- (c) In addition, The Public Utilities Department shall be comprised of such employees and staff as the Council and Mayor directs from time to time.

SECTION 2. All existing Ordinances dealing with Utilities set forth in the Delta Municipal Code are hereby reaffirmed. The addition of this Chapter is not meant to eliminate or decrease any provision presently in existence but only to provide a more efficient provision of services to the public.

SECTION 3: It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted at open meetings of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with legal requirements as set forth by Village Charter.

Passed this _____ day of _____, 2025.

MAYOR

CLERK OF COUNCIL