ORDINANCE NO. <u>1603</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 92 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PLEASANTVILLE, IOWA, BY AMENDING THE RATES FOR SERVICE.

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Pleasantville, Iowa

SECTION1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the water rate charges of Chapter 92.02 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Pleasantville, Iowa. Water rates are being raised to meet current water system treatment needs and to fund reserves necessary for future water system improvements.

SECTION 2. <u>Amendment</u>. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Pleasantville, Iowa, Chapter 92.02 shall be repealed and the following adopted in lieu of:

92.02 RATE FOR SERVICE. Water service shall be furnished at the following monthly rates:

1. Rates.

Effective July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017				
Monthly Usage	City Rate	Rural Rate		
First 2,000 gallons or less	\$12.51 (minimum bill)	\$16.58 (minimum bill)		
All over 2,000 gallons	\$6.26 per 1,000 gallons	\$8.28 per 1,000 gallons		

Effective July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018				
Monthly Usage	City Rate	Rural Rate		
First 2,000 gallons or less	\$13.26 (minimum bill)	\$17.57 (minimum bill)		
All over 2,000 gallons	\$6.64 per 1,000 gallons	\$8.78 per 1,000 gallons		

Effective July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019				
Monthly Usage	City Rate	Rural Rate		
First 2,000 gallons or less	\$14.06 (minimum bill)	\$18.62 (minimum bill)		
All over 2,000 gallons	\$7.04 per 1,000 gallons	\$9.31 per 1,000 gallons		

Effective July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020				
Monthly Usage	City Rate	Rural Rate		
First 2,000 gallons or less	\$14.90 (minimum bill)	\$19.74 (minimum bill)		
All over 2,000 gallons	\$7.46 per 1,000 gallons	\$9.87 per 1,000 gallons		

Effective July 1, 2020 water service rates shall be increased by 2% per year until such time when the City of Pleasantville deems it necessary to modify such yearly rate increases to meet system needs. This increase shall apply to all rate categories and shall be effective July 1st of each year.

2. Inside Meter Surcharge. Each customer with an inside water meter shall pay a surcharge of one dollar (\$1.00) per month in addition to the water usage charge. The surcharge shall be charged to each household, including each apartment unit in a multidwelling structure. Said surcharge shall be billed and collected with the regular billing for utility service.

SECTION 3. Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. Severability Clause. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudicated invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 5. When Effective. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed by the Council this 14th day of March, 2016, and approved this day of March, 2016.

Mayor

ATTEST: