LAPORTE COUNTY, INDIANA

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LA PORTE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 2022-

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE SITE DEVELOPMENT PERMIT FEE AND AUTHORIZE THIRD-PARTY SERVICE PROVIDER

WHEREAS, under Ordinance No. 2013-14, the La Porte County Board of Commissioners established a Site Development Permit Fee in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per acre of disturbance to be collected for all Site Development Permits; and,

WHEREAS, said fee is currently insufficient to cover the expenses of the La Porte County Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System ("MS4"); and,

WHEREAS, the La Porte County MS4 and Board of Commissioners desire to amend the Site Development Permit Fee in a manner that is equitable to site owners of various sizes of projects; and,

WHEREAS, there are easy-to-use, on-line data organizing and service-fee collecting portals administered by third-party service providers that assist in tracking NPDES stormwater permits (MS4), managing Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans (SWPPP), tracking erosion control inspections (ESC) or hazardous air emissions (ENV).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of La Porte County, Indiana, that:

1. The Site Development Permit Fee is amended to read as Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per acre of disturbance.

2. The MS4 Director is authorized to enter into agreements with third-party Internet web service providers that offer monitoring, management, reporting, permitting and/or compliance services.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of belember, 2022.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LA PORTE COUNTY

Sheila Matias, President

Richard Mrozinski, Vice-President

Joe Haney, Member

ATTEST:

1st reading 12-7-2022 2nd reading 12-21-2022

Amended at Commissioners' meeting 12-7-2022 - Area 2 should read:

The MS4 Director is authorized to negotiate various agreements subject to approval by the Board of Commissioners.

EXAMINED AND APPROVED BY THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE
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