PENINSULA TOWNSHIP

Ordinance No. <u>47</u> of 2012

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PENINSULA TOWNSHIP UNIFORM SEWER USE ORDINANCE OF 1994 AND TO AMEND THE PENINSULA TOWNSHIP WATER SERVICE AND USE ORDINANCE NO. 25.

THE TOWNSHIP OF PENINSULA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of the Peninsula Township Uniform Sewer Use Ordinance of 1994.

Article 7 of the Peninsula Township Uniform Sewer Use Ordinance of 1994 is hereby amended to add a new Section 7.3, which shall read in its entirety as follows:

7.3 Adoption of Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits

The Township Board shall adopt a Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits in order to establish the basis for sewer hookup charges and sewer use rates. The Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits shall apply to all new uses or changes in use of a structure(s) or parcel(s) of property within the Township. The Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits shall be adopted and/or amended by resolution of the Township Board. The Township shall publish the Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits or any amendment to the Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits in a newspaper of general circulation for the Township, and shall make available a copy of the current Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits at the Township offices for review by the public. A copy of the Schedule of Residential Equivalents Benefits shall also be provided to the Grand Traverse County Board of Public Works, or any other body or entity that the Township has assigned responsibility to for administration and collection of sewer hookup charges and sewer use rates.

Section 2. Amendment of the Peninsula Township Water Service and Use Ordinance No. 25.

Article X of the Peninsula Township Water Service and Use Ordinance No. 25 is hereby amended to add a new Section 2, which shall read in its entirety as follows:

Section 2.

The Township Board shall adopt a Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee. The Water turn-on/off Fee adopted by the Board shall apply to all users of a structure(s) or parcel(s) of property within the Township when water service is turned-on or turned-off for any reason. The Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee shall be adopted and/or amended by

resolution of the Township Board. The Township shall publish the Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee or any amendment to the Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee in a newspaper of general circulation for the Township, and shall make available a copy of the current Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee at the Township offices for review by the public. A copy of the Schedule for Water turn-on/off Fee shall also be provided to the Grand Traverse County Board of Public Works, or any other body or entity that the Township has assigned responsibility to for administration and collection of fees for when water service is turned-on or turned-off.

Section 3. Severability.

Should any provision or part of this Ordinance be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, the same shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the balance of this ordinance which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective the day following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the township.

PENINSULA TOWNSHIP

By:

Robert K. Manigold

Its: Supervisor

By:

Monica A. Hoffman

Its: Clerk