

## CHAPTER 30

### FIRE SUPPRESSION

#### SECTION 1 - SERVICE CHARGES FOR FIRE SUPPRESSION AND SPILL/LEAK CLEANUP COSTS

- A. Person responsible for personal property and the owners of real property with respect to which Fire Calls and Spill/Leak cleanup are made by the Fire Department within the township limits of the Town of Auburn shall be responsible for assessments for the following services rendered and equipment used by the Fire Department:
1. Engines per hour
  2. Brush truck per hour
  3. Tanker per hour
  4. A flat fee for the equipment vans
  5. Each man-hour of deployment of fire department members
  6. Each one thousand (1,000) gallons of water used
  7. Responses to motor vehicle accidents and/or fuel spill/leak cleanup
  8. Right of way fires caused by motorists
- B. Charges assessed under 1., above, shall not exceed \$500.00 per Fire Call.
- C. For purpose of this ordinance, "Fire Call" shall mean each time that the Fire Department is required to make a service call pertaining to a given parcel of real estate or item of personal property on fire on a public right of way caused by an identified person.
- D. Charges under subsection (a), above, shall be billed to the responsible person, with respect to Fire Calls made pertaining to personal property and to the owner of the real property to which a Fire Call is made. With respect to charges for services rendered with respect to real property, if said charges remain unpaid on the first day of November next following the billing of the same, the amount shall be added to the property tax bill attributable to said real property, all in accord with 66.0627, Wis. Stats.

- E. the specific amount of each fire or cleanup to be assessed for services rendered and equipment used under (a), above, shall be established and may thereafter be amended, from time to time, by resolution of the Town Board.

## **SECTION 2 - FALSE ALARM COSTS TO BE ASSESSED**

In the event that the Fire Department responds to what is determined to be a false alarm, the first such response to a parcel of real estate within a twelve (12) month period of time shall not be charged to the real estate. However, the costs of the second such call and each subsequent call within twelve (12) months of the first such call shall be charged to the parcel of real estate in question. Charges shall be assessed in accord with the schedule under Section 1(a), subject to the limitation under Section 1(b).

# Service Charges for Fire Suppression Township of Auburn

Date/Time of Incident

Date of Bill

Responsible Person:

Address:

Billing Details:

## **Fire Calls**

Engines at \$200.00/hour:

Brush Truck at \$100.00/hour:

Tankers at \$50.00/hour:

Equipment Van at \$100.00/hour:

Water per 1,000 gallons:

## **Labor for Firefighters**

Officers - \$16.00/hour

General firefighters - \$13.00/hour

## **Motor vehicle accidents**

Engine/Tanker \$100.00/hour

Jaws of Life tools \$200.00

Labor – Officers - \$16.00/hour

## **TOTAL CHARGES =**

Please make payment to "Township of Auburn" and submit payment to:

Brian Bleskacek  
Bloomer Fire Department  
315 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Bloomer, WI 54724