

## **WEST LAFAYETTE'S STORMWATER SERVICE CHARGE BEGINS JANUARY 1**

*New charge to be used to meet regulatory requirements, complete system improvements*

**West Lafayette, IN – November 20, 2013** – City officials remind property owners that a new stormwater service charge will be issued on their monthly wastewater/solid waste bills beginning January 1, 2014.

All properties within the City are subject to the monthly service charge that will be \$8 for residential properties with non-residential properties charged \$8 per 3,200 square feet of impervious (incapable of being penetrated) area located on the property. These charges will be billed on monthly statements to individual property owners or billed on existing statements for wastewater or solid waste services.

On February 4, 2013, the West Lafayette City Council approved Ordinance 34-12 authorizing the stormwater service charge and the Stormwater Fund, a dedicated fund to be used to meet regulatory requirements and complete specific stormwater system improvements throughout the City.

Anyone with questions about the stormwater service charge or planned improvement projects, should contact the Engineering Department at 775-5130 or go to the [City's Web site](#), click on the Engineering Department page and select the *Stormwater* tab.

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