

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR
CONSERVATION IN THE USE OF
WATER IN PERIODS OF DROUGHT.

WHEREAS, there are now and may hereafter be drought conditions of such severity as to substantially and materially reduce the reserve water supply of the City of Jacksonville and Village of South Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, the existence of such conditions require for the protection of the citizens and water users of the Village of South Jacksonville, the enforcement of water conservation measures; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the community that progressive restrictions on the use of water related to the level of water in Lake Jacksonville be adopted;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of South Jacksonville, Illinois:

SECTION 1. That a water supply emergency shall be deemed to exist at such times and for such periods during the period of May 1, to October 1, as the level of water in the Lake Jacksonville reservoir falls five (5) feet or more below the level of the spillway of said lake and during all other months in the year as the level of water in said reservoir falls six and one-half (6½) feet below the level of the spillway of said lake.

SECTION 2. Whenever a water supply emergency shall exist the President shall issue a proclamation stating that such emergency exists, the number of feet and inches which the level of Lake Jacksonville has fallen below the level of the spillway, and which of the restrictions provided in Section 3 are in effect. Said proclamation shall be published one time in the Jacksonville Daily Journal and the Jacksonville Daily Courier. Upon publication of said proclamation in both of said newspapers, the restrictive provisions and penalties for violation of this ordinance shall be in effect.

SECTION 3. A. When the level of Lake Jacksonville

reservoir during the period May 1 to October 1, is at least five (5) feet but not more than six (6) feet six (6) inches or during the rest of the year is more than six (6) feet six (6) inches but not more than eight (8) feet below the level of the spillway of said lake, it shall be unlawful to make use of city water for the following purposes:

1. Lawn sprinkling, washing streets, driveways or walks, watering vegetable and flower gardens except commercial greenhouses and vegetable gardens.

2. Watering shrubs and trees, except shrubs and trees planted or transplanted within twelve months immediately preceding.

B. When the level of Lake Jacksonville reservoir during the period May 1 to October 1, is more than six (6) feet six (6) inches but not more than eight (8) feet or during the rest of the year is more than eight (8) feet but not more than ten (10) feet below the level of the spillway of said lake, it shall be unlawful to make use of city water for the following purposes:

1. Washing motor vehicles.

2. All uses prohibited in Section 3 A.

C. When the level of Lake Jacksonville reservoir during the period May 1, to October 1, is more than eight (8) feet but not more than ten (10) feet or during the rest of the year is more than ten (10) feet but not more than twelve (12) feet below the level of the spillway of said lake, it shall be unlawful to make use of city water for the following purposes:

1. Watering of shrubs and trees transplanted within the twelve months immediately preceding.

2. Watering of golf greens.

3. Use of air conditioning equipment requiring water more than four hours per day.

4. All uses prohibited in Section 3 A and Section 3 B.

D. When the level of Lake Jacksonville reservoir during the period May 1, to October 1, is more than ten (10) feet or during

commencing with the beginning of said street with even numbers on one side of the street and odd numbers on the opposite side of the street.

SECTION 6: All lots in each block of said Village to be in the same hundred multiples. Blocks shall also be consecutively numbered in multiples of one hundred as follows: all blocks on streets running north and south will be numbered in multiples of one hundred consecutively commencing at the north boundary of said Village. All blocks on streets running east and west in said Village shall be numbered consecutively in multiples of one hundred commencing with the blocks nearest to South Main Street in said Village.

SECTION 7: The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance to assign proper street numbers to each and every lot in said Village and to notify each lot owner whose number does not conform to the provisions of this Ordinance, the correct number his lot should bear.

SECTION 8: Each lot owner in said Village who fails, refuses or neglects to properly number his respective lot within thirty days after receipt of written notice of his correct lot number from the Village Clerk is hereby deemed to have violated the provisions of this Ordinance and shall be fined not less than One Dollar (\$1.00), nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each and every day thereafter the said lot owner refuses, fails, or neglects to properly number his lot.

SECTION 9: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed this 24th day of ~~May~~^{April}, A. D., 1955.
Approved this ~~24~~²¹st day of ~~May~~^{April}, A. D., 1955.

[Signature]
Village President.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Village Clerk.



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May, A.D., 1955.

[Signature]
Village Clerk.

the rest of the year more than twelve (12) feet below the level of the spillway of said lake, it shall be unlawful to make use of city water for the following purposes:

1. Use of air conditioning equipment requiring water.
2. All uses prohibited in Section 3 A, Section 3 B and Section 3 C.

SECTION 4. The President shall cause to be published one time in the Jacksonville Daily Journal and Jacksonville Daily Courier, a notice when the level of Lake Jacksonville either decreases or increases so as to change the restrictions in effect under the provisions of the preceding section.

SECTION 5. Any person who shall violate the terms of this ordinance shall be fined not less than One Dollar (\$1.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each and every offense.

SECTION 6. All ordinances or parts thereof which conflict with the terms of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

PASSED at a regular meeting of the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of South Jacksonville, Illinois, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1953.

APPROVED on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1953.

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ATTEST:

W. J. Schilman
VILLAGE CLERK.

