



## **Village of Breedsville**

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### **ORDINANCE 2023-12 Transferred to electronic format.**

#### **MUNICIPAL SLUDGE AND WASTEWATER RESIDUE ORDINANCE 1110194**

An ordinance to protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the residents, property owners, and people within the Village of Breedsville, Van Buren County, Michigan, and to provide for the control of municipal sludge or wastewater treatment residue being brought into the Village of Breedsville and/or applied to the soil of the Village of Breedsville.

#### **The Village of Breedsville hereby ordains:**

1. No municipal sludge or wastewater treatment residue or similar substances hereinafter called "sludge" shall be transported into the Village of Breedsville nor applied into or upon the soil of the Village of Breedsville without a written permit from the Village of Breedsville.
2. The issuance of a permit shall require a chemical analysis of such "sludge" made by a recognized testing laboratory, of the Village's choice, certifying that the material contained in said sludge shall be free from heavy metals and other harmful or toxic substances as defined by the Environmental Protection Agency and/or the Department of Natural Resources of the State of Michigan.
3. The chemical analysis, which shall be provided as a pre-condition to the issuance of a permit, shall be made at the expense of and furnished by the party or parties who intend to transport and/or apply said materials.
4. Any permit issued shall be issued at the discretion of the Village of Breedsville as to the quantity of sludge and shall pertain only to that sludge -so tested and shall not constitute approval of additional sludge without testing of. such additional sludge.
5. a. Anyone violating the provisions of the ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor punishable upon conviction by a fine, not to exceed \$100.00, and/or imprisonment in the county jail for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court.  
  
b. Each violation shall constitute a separate offense.

- c. Violation of this ordinance shall be considered to be a public nuisance and such violation shall constitute a basis for injunctive relief against the violator from continuing said violation in addition to any other relief or penalty herein set forth or allowed by law.
- d. Any person who violates any provision of this ordinance, whether as owner, lessee, permittee, licensee, agent, servant, or employee, shall be liable a principal

### **CERTIFICATION**

I further certify that Trustee: T. Baker moved for adoption of said Ordinance No. 111094, that Trustee: R. Stanislawski seconded said motion.

Ayes: Trustee T. Baker, R. Stanislawski, T. Hamond, J. Puckett, D. Greiffendorf, J. Greiffendorf

Nays: None

Absent: W. Fish

Adopted by Village of Breedsville Board on November 10, 1994

Lawanda Baker  
Village of Breedsville Clerk