

ORDINANCE NO. 25-04

**AN ORDINANCE DECLARING ALL UTILITY RATES AND SERVICES WILL BE
ASSESSED AND PROVIDED IN A NONDISCRIMINATORY MANNER**

WHEREAS, the Village needs to formerly establish a nondiscriminatory policy for the provision and billing of utility services to be able to participate in federal grant programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council for the Village of New Madison, Darke County, Ohio, as follows:

Section One: The Village of New Madison shall make the services of its Water and Wastewater system available within its capacity to all persons in New Madison's service area without discrimination as to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital status, or physical or mental handicap (possess capacity to enter into legal contract for services) at reasonable charges, including assessments, taxes, or fees in accordance with a schedule of such charges, whether for one or more classes of service, as may be modified from time to time by the Village of New Madison. New Madison may make such modifications to the rate system as long as the rate schedule remains reasonable and nondiscriminatory.

Passed this 19th day of May, 2025.

Chad Begoon
President of Council

ATTEST:

Roberta Hacker
Fiscal Officer

APPROVED by the Mayor this
19th day of May, 2025

Jim Brown
Mayor

