

**Authority:** Item 17, Public Works Committee  
Report 07-011 (TOE02005(b)/  
/FCS02026(b)/PED07248)  
CM: September 26, 2007  
Ward: 9

**Bill No. 285**

**CITY OF HAMILTON**  
**BY-LAW NO. 18-285**

**To Impose Watermain and Sanitary Sewer Charges upon owners of land abutting  
Green Mountain Road from First Road West to Morrissey Boulevard,  
in the City of Hamilton**

**WHEREAS** the Council of the City of Hamilton authorized recovering a portion of costs associated with the construction of Watermain and Sanitary Sewer Works by approving, on September 26, 2007, Item 17 of Public Works Committee Report 07-011 (Report TOE02005b/FCS02026b/PED07248; and

**WHEREAS** developers, 706870 Ontario Limited and Empire Communities (Stoney Creek) Ltd., in satisfaction of terms and conditions of subdivision agreement "Red Hill Phase 1", Plan 62M-1232, did construct certain Watermain and Sanitary Sewer Works, in the City of Hamilton, as more particularly described in Schedule "A" attached to this By-law; and

**WHEREAS** the costs of the said Watermain and Sewer Works to be recovered from all benefiting property owners is \$468,744.54.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the City of Hamilton enacts as follows:

1. Watermain and Sewer Charges are imposed upon the owners or occupants of land who benefit from the construction of the Watermain and Sewer Works (the "Assessed Owners").
2. The Assessed Owners' lands and the respective Watermain and Sewer Charges are more particularly described in Schedule "A", which Schedule is attached to and forms part of this By-law.
3. The Watermain and Sewer Charges have been established using the approved method for cost apportionment per City of Hamilton Report TOE02005b/FCS02026b/PED07248 (Funding Methodologies for Municipal Infrastructure Extensions Review and Update), establishing a Watermain Charge of \$694.08 per metre of property frontage attributable to each Assessed Owner of an existing lot and a Sanitary Sewer Charge of \$98.72 per metre of property frontage attributable to each Assessed Owner of an existing lot. The Watermain and Sewer Charges shall be indexed in accordance with the percentage change in the composite Canadata Construction Cost Index (Ontario Series), commencing from the completion date of construction March 2018, to the date of payment.

4. The amount resulting from the application of the Watermain and Sewer Charges (the "Indebtedness"), shall be collected at the time of permit issuance for any connection to the said Watermain and Sewer Works, in addition to any applicable permit fee.
5. The Assessed Owners have the option of paying the Indebtedness by way of annual payments over a period of 15 years from the date of permit issuance for connection by entry on the tax roll, to be collected in like manner as municipal taxes. The interest rate utilized for the 15 year payment shall be the City of Hamilton's then-current 15 year borrowing rate (2018 rate-3.25%).
6. Notwithstanding Section 5, an Assessed Owner of a parcel described in Schedule "A" may pay the commuted value of the Indebtedness without penalty, but including interest, at any time.
7. Should an Assessed Owner sever or subdivide their parcel of land, the Watermain and Sewer Charges owed to the City of Hamilton, whether the parcel of land is connected or not, and whether or not the Assessed Owner has previously exercised the repayment option set out in Section 5 above, shall be paid forthwith to the City of Hamilton in a lump sum as a condition of the severance or subdivision approval.
8. The developers, 706870 Ontario Limited and Empire Communities (Stoney Creek) Ltd., upon satisfying the City that it has completed its obligations with respect to the construction of the said Watermain and Sewer Works, shall receive repayment of that portion of the associated cost of the construction collected hereunder, pursuant to the terms and conditions of its subdivision agreement.
9. Unpaid Watermain and Sewer Charges constitute a debt to the City and may be added to the tax roll and collected in the same manner as municipal taxes.
10. If any provision or requirement of this By-law, or the application of it to any person, shall to any extent be held to be invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of the By-law, or the application of it to all persons other than those in respect of whom it is held to be invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected, and each provision and requirement of this By-law shall be separately valid and enforceable.
11. This By-law comes into force on the day following the date of its passing.

**PASSED** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018

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F. Eisenberger  
Mayor

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J. Pilon  
Acting City Clerk

Schedule "A" to By-law No. 18-285

Green Mountain Road  
Watermain and Sanitary Sewer on Green Mountain Road from First Road West to Morrisey Boulevard

<b>Property Address</b>	<b>Property Frontage (m)</b>	<b>Watermain Charge</b>	<b>Sanitary Sewer Charge</b>
90 Green Mountain Rd.	45.72	\$31,733.34	
Pt. 3, 62R-18755, PIN 170971266	3.62	\$2,512.57	\$357.37
0 Green Mountain Rd. PIN 170971140	216.49	\$150,261.38	\$21,371.89
50 Green Mountain Rd.	231.55	\$160,714.22	
420 First Rd. West	146.66	\$101,793.77	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$447,015.28</b>	<b>\$21,729.26</b>