ORDINANCE NO. 2016-

AMENDING AND MODIFYING ORDINANCE NO. 2015-2 AN ORDIANACE APPROVING STORM WATER FEES ADOPTED BY THE STORM WATER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Fort Branch Storm Water Management Department after published notice and hearing with the approval of the Town Council adopted by the following storm water fees to be assessed on each owner of the following property within the corporate limits of the Town of Fort Branch, Indiana:

\$3.00 per month Single Family Residential: Multi-Family Residential: \$3.00 per month

Commercial

\$3.00 per month \$3.00 per month

Vacant Lots

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORT BRANCH, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Town Council hereby approves the storm water fees adopted by the Fort Branch Storm Water Management Department to be assessed on each owner of the following property within the corporate limits of the Town of Fort Branch, Indiana:

Single Family Residential:

\$3.00 per month

Multi-Family Residential:

\$3.00 per month

Commercial

\$3.00 per month

Vacant Lots

\$3.00 per month

Section 2: The storm water fees shall be effective beginning April 1, 2015 and shall be billed monthly on the utility bills for all Town utility customers. The fees shall be billed annually for all persons subject to the fee but are not Town utility users. Late payment penalty shall apply.

Section 3: If the owner fails to pay the amounts as prescribed above within thirty (30) days after receipt of statement, a certified copy of the amount of storm water fee plus administration fee of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) shall be filed with the office of the Gibson County Auditor. The Auditor shall place the total amount certified on the tax duplicate for the property affected, and the total amount, including any accrued interest, shall be collected as delinquent taxes and shall be disbursed to the storm water fund of the Town of Fort Branch, Indiana.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Council of the Town of Fort Branch Indiana, this day of September, 2016.

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORT BRANCH, INDIANA

ADAM BLEDSOE, President

SCOTT MICHAEL, Member

TOM HAUSCHILD, Member

ATTEST

(seal)

STACY ELPERS, Clerk-Treasurer