

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Prop. Ord. #2012-12

ORDINANCE NO. 11-2012

PASSED: July 17, 2012

Sponsored By: Administration

Referred to: Finance Committee

Date: June 19, 2012

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING SECTION 163.09(j) OF THE MUNROE FALLS CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED "WATER DEPARTMENT FEES" TO SET FORTH PENALTIES FOR LATE PAYMENT REQUIRING THE ISSUANCE OF A HAND DELIVERED FINAL NOTICE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend Section 163.09, entitled "Water Department Fees"; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to adopt subsection (j) to Section 163.09.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUNROE FALLS, COUNTY OF SUMMIT AND STATE OF OHIO THAT:

Section 1. Chapter 16, Section 163.09(j) is hereby adopted to read as follows:

"163.09

(j) In the event the City is required to post on a residential or commercial structure a final notice for water disconnection, there shall be charged an additional \$10.00 fee to cover the cost associated with the hand delivery of said final notice. Further, in the event the City is required to post the hand delivered final notice on two consecutive water billings, the City shall require the user and/or owner of the premises to pay an additional deposit equal to the average monthly usage cost based upon the immediate prior six month period."

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.00 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Munroe Falls and further to recognize the increasing costs associated with hand delivered notices of disconnect and provided that it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in full force from and immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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**Approved**

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**President of Council**

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**Mayor**

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**Director of Finance**

**Reviewed as to form:**

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**Director of Law**

I, the duly appointed and qualified Clerk of Council of the City of Munroe Falls, County of Summit, and State of Ohio do hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original Ordinance adopted at a meeting of City Council duly held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012. Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

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**Clerk of Council**

**First Reading: June 19, 2012**

**Sading: July 3, 2012**

**Third Reading: July 17, 2012**