

THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, ARKANSAS

ORDINANCE NO. 05-2013

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING 04-11 OF THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, COUNTY OF BOONE, STATE OF ARKANSAS, TO PROVIDE A MINIMUM USER CHARGE FOR WASTEWATER SERVICE TO BE FURNISHED BY THE SUGARLOAF WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, ARKANSAS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City Council of Diamond City has determined the need for the sewer rates in Section 1 be amended, and

WHEREAS, the City of Diamond City, Arkansas is responsible for determining reasonable sewage rates to insure that the City has the resources to meet its loan obligations and provide for the efficient operation of the system, and

WHEREAS, to meet the obligations of the City of Diamond City, there is a need for a yearly rate increase for sewage services to ensure the solvency of the system;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ESTABLISHED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY:

SECTION 1: MONTHLY SEWER RATES:

First 2000 gallons	\$13.60	Min
Next 2000 gallons	\$ 6.30	/1000
All over 2000 gallons	\$ 5.30	/1000

To ensure the future solvency of the Diamond City, Arkansas, Sewer System, a yearly 3% increase will occur in the month of January of each successive calendar year beginning in 2014.

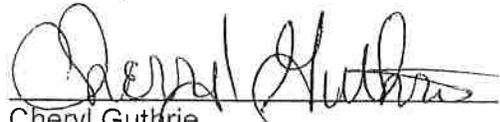
SECTION 2: EMERGENCY CLAUSE

It is hereby declared that the current rates do not generate sufficient funds to compensate the City of Diamond City for costs incurred. Therefore an emergency is declared to exist and in order to preserve the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of Diamond City, the provisions hereof have immediate effect and therefore are in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved and adopted by roll call vote as follows this 30th day of May 2013.

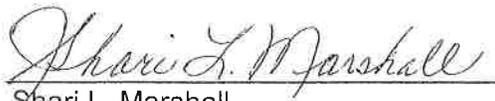
Ayes 4 Nays 2 Abstentions 1 Absent 0

ATTEST:



Cheryl Guthrie
Recorder/Treasurer

APPROVED:



Shari L. Marshall
Mayor

PROOF OF POSTING OF ORDINANCE

STATE OF ARKANSAS

COUNTY OF BOONE

We, Shari Marshall and Cheryl Guthrie, do solemnly swear that as Mayor and City Recorder/Treasurer, respectively, of and for the City of Diamond City, Boone County, Arkansas, that a certified copy of Ordinance No. 05 - 2013 was, on the 31st day of May, 20 13, duly posted in five separate and distinct places inside the corporate limits of the Town in accordance with Ordinance No. 03 - 10 of the City, and that the above listed Ordinance remains posted for thirty (30) days.

Dated this 31st day of May, 20 13.

Cheryl Guthrie, Recorder/Treasurer

Shari L Marshall
Shari Marshall, Mayor