

MAY 18 2015

ORDINANCE NO. 3184


City Clerk

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 18 OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CODE TO ENACT A FEE AND CHARGE TO BE ASSESSED FOR BULK WATER IN THE CITY UNTIL SAID TITLE 18 OF THE CITY'S MUNICIPAL CODE IS AGAIN AMENDED BY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY ENACTED TO CHANGE SAID FEE AND CHARGE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Columbia, Illinois ("City") has previously found, determined, and declared that it was necessary and appropriate for the City Council to amend TITLE 18 of the City's Municipal Code, entitled:

"FEES AND CHARGES TO BE ASSESSED FOR CITY SERVICES AND BUSINESS LICENCE FEES TO BE ASSESSED FOR THE CONDUCT AND OPERATION OF BUSINESSES, OCCUPATIONS, AND PROFESSIONS IN THE CITY"

to change some of the fees and charges the City will collect for its ensuing fiscal year, which commenced May 1, 2015 and will end April 30, 2016 and to continue in effect after the enactment of the ordinance until said TITLE 18 of the City's Municipal Code is again amended by enactment of a City Ordinance changing said City's fees and charges; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Columbia, Illinois now desires to amend TITLE 18 of the City's Municipal Code to include a fee and charge to be assessed for bulk water in the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Columbia, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. That the preceding recitations in the upper part of this Ordinance are realleged, restated and adopted as paragraph one ("1") of this Ordinance.

Section 2. That Chapter 18.15 of the City Code shall be amended to read as follows:

"Chapter 18.15 Other Water and Sewer Service Charges

18.15.001	Reinstatement during Regular Business Hours	\$ 61.20
18.15.002	Reinstatement during other than Regular Business Hours	183.60
18.15.003	Meters Tested by Request – Deposit	
	(a) < 1" line	61.20
	(b) > 1" line	91.80
18.15.004	Renters Water Service Deposit	153.00

18.15.005	Water Service Transfer, Turn On, Turn Off (During regular business hours)	30.60
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18.15.006	Sanitary Sewer Connections – Direct connection fee based upon size of water meter providing public water service to property, to wit:	
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Meter Size

5/8", 3/4" and 1"	2,195.00
1 ½ "	6,273.00
2"	10,022.00
3"	18,809.00
4"	31,436.00
6"	59,721.00
8"	109,650.00
10"	175,440.00
12"	313,140.00

Fee rates shall be increased annually through April 30, 2015 as is set forth in Appendix #1 of this Title 18 of the Columbia, Illinois Municipal Code and from sanitary sewer connection fees monthly deposits shall be made to the sanitary sewer replacement account as set forth in the Appendix #2 of this Title 18.

18.15.007	Water Connections	
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| (a) | Direct Connection (within Corp. Limits) | 1,907.40 |
| (b) | Direct Connection (outside Corp. Limits) | 2,223.60 |
| (c) | Multiple Unit Fee (within or outside Corp. Limits)
In addition to a Direct Connection Fee, for each unit
within a multiple unit building or structure used for
human occupancy, employment or recreation or
other human habitation purposes (to include each
unit of a multi-family dwelling and each unit of a
multi-unit office building) - per unit | 377.40 |

18.15.008	Water Meter Rental for each day or part thereof a water meter is leased from the City by a contractor/land developer	13.26
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18.15.009	Notice of disconnection for planned shut-off of utility service or services for non-payment of utility bills – administrative fee	13.26
18.15.010	Plumbing Inspection	61.20
18.15.011	Bulk Water	\$0.25 per 35 gallons”

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage as provided by law.

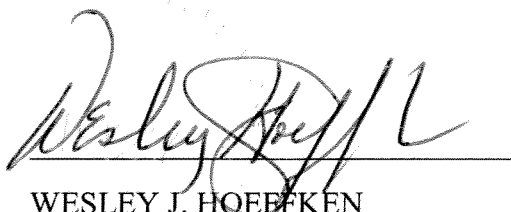
PASSED by the City Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 18th day of May, 2015.



KEVIN HUTCHINSON

Mayor

ATTEST:



WESLEY J. HOEFKEN

City Clerk