

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-2

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 18-107 OF THE TOWN CODE TO ESTABLISH A NEW IRRIGATION RECONNECTION FEE IN THE WATER RATES WITHIN THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN.

WHEREAS, the Town Council is authorized by Signal Mountain Town Code §18-107 to adopt rate schedules for water rates from time to time by appropriate resolution or ordinance which reflect operating costs and bond interest and redemption costs incurred by the Town; and,

WHEREAS, all water within the Town of Signal Mountain is authorized to be supplied exclusively by the Town subject to such water rates; and,

WHEREAS, Article IV of the Signal Mountain Charter requires that legislative action of the Council shall be by Ordinance when regulating the rate charged for its services by a public utility, fixing fees, service charges and utility rates; and,

WHEREAS, the Town Council believes that including a new Water Department Irrigation Reconnection Fee within Section 18-107 of the Town Code is necessary to establish the rates charged for such fees by Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Signal Mountain, Tennessee:

SECTION 1. That Section 18-107 is amended to add the following language:

Irrigation meter fee: To avoid charges for water service during the winter month, customers are advised to notify the Town in writing. To reconnect service in the spring, again notify the Town in writing. Failure to notify the Town will result in year round billing. There is a \$25 fee that for reconnection of an irrigation system.

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective immediately from and after its passage as provided by law.

Passed First Reading 11-14, 2011

Passed Second Reading 1-9, 2012



MAYOR

1/9/12

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