

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION 15-13

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION 13-09; AMENDING TAMPERING CHARGES; PROVIDING FOR SERVICE WORK ORDER FEES; REPEALING ALL RESOLUTIONS OR PARTS OF RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Resolution 13-09 sets utility rates and procedures for residential, commercial, industrial and bulk water and sewer utility service and related charges for the City of Springfield; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Springfield has determined that it is fiscally sound and necessary to revise certain fees and charges.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. METER TAMPERING. In the event a meter is required to be pulled or serviced due to tampering, illegal reconnection after disconnection, or for any other reason caused by the customer, the customer will be charged the following fees:

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| i. | First offense | \$300.00 |
| ii. | Second offense | \$500.00 |
| iii. | Third offense | \$500.00 and referral to law enforcement. |

This fee shall be in addition to the established reconnection fee.

SECTION 2. SERVICE WORK CHARGES FOR RE-READS. Service work orders and checks for leaks or meter misreads requested by a customer shall result in a \$25.00 charge on that customer's utility account. In the event the service call results in the discovery of a City leak or misread meter the charge shall not apply. Customers are allowed one service call for a re-read per year without charge.


SECTION 3. AUTHORIZATION AND REPEALER. This Resolution is adopted pursuant to Sections 82-37, 82-67, 82-241 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Springfield authorizing the amendment of charges and fees by resolution by the City Commission. Those portions of Sections 82-37, 82-67, 82-241 contained in this Resolution which do not specify charges and fees are neither modified nor re-adopted by this Resolution and are included herein for convenient reference only. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4. CODIFICATION. The appropriate officers and agents of the City are authorized and directed to codify, include and publish the provisions of this Resolution with the City of Springfield Code. Section numbers may be assigned and changed whenever necessary or convenient.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of Springfield, Bay County, Florida this 2nd day of November, 2015.

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD



Ralph Hammond, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lee Penton, City Clerk