

Proposed by Finance Department

BILL NO. 4088

Introduced by Councilman Reed

ORDINANCE NO. 4271

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 705, ARTICLE I, SECTION 705.050.B AND CHAPTER 705, ARTICLE III, SECTION 705.130.b.4 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF BLUE SPRINGS, MISSOURI, TO ADD ADDITIONAL WORDING TO CLARIFY THE SECURITY DEPOSIT AMOUNT REQUIRED

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLUE SPRINGS, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That Section 705.050.B of the Code of Ordinances, City of Blue Springs, Missouri, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

“B. If, during a twelve (12) month period of time, a water customer becomes delinquent for a period of fifteen (15) days so as to incur the penalty provided in [Section 705.030](#) for three (3) billing dates as provided in [Section 705.020](#), the City will require a security deposit prior to the reconnection of water service. This security deposit shall be in the greater amount of either ~~\$100.00~~ or two (2) times the average billing to the customer based on the average of either the previous six (6) billings or all previous billings if there are less than six (6). The deposit shall be refunded without interest at the end of a twelve (12) month period of satisfactory payments.

Section 2. That Section 705.030.4.b of the Code of Ordinances, City of Blue Springs, Missouri, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

“b. If a sewer only customer, on three (3) or more occasions within a twelve (12) month period of time, has a bill for sewer service that remains due and unpaid on or after the fifteenth (15th) day following the date of rendition, the City will require a security deposit prior to the reconnection of any water service that has been disconnected by the City or another provider. This security deposit shall be in the greater amount of either ~~\$100.00~~ or two (2) times the average billing to said customer based on the average of either the previous six (6) billings or all previous billings if there are less than six (6). The deposit shall be refunded without interest at the end of a twelve (12) month period of satisfactory payments.”

Section 3: That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Blue Springs, Missouri, and approved by the Mayor of Blue Springs, this 2nd day of November, 2009.

Carson Ross, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Richardson, City Clerk

1st reading November 2, 2009
2nd reading November 2, 2009

