

ORDINANCE NO. 2005- 6

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NOS. 1996-1 AND 1997-21, RESCINDING ADDITIONAL WATER CONNECTION AND TIE ON FEES, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 1996-1 establishes certain sewer and water connection or tie-on charges for the water and sewer projects known as the Highway 219 Project and the Highway 23/I-40 Project; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 1997-21 reduced the aforesaid tie-on fees established in Section 1 and Section 2 of Ordinance No. 1996-1 by fifty percent (50%) for a period of twelve months, at which time the City Council would review its reduction to determine whether it should continue, and

WHEREAS, such review has been conducted for a period of one year and the area in question has not attracted development and is in need of stimulation, and it is determined that removal of the additional tie-on fees would provide such stimulation.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF OZARK, ARKANSAS THAT:

SECTION 1: All additional sewer connection and tie-on fees established in Sections One and Two of City of Ozark Ordinance No. 1996-1 shall be, and hereby are, rescinded and abolished.


SECTION 2: That because of the confusion which has resulted and the need for uniform and equal treatment of all Ozark citizens and for the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

SECTION 3: All ordinances, resolutions, or parts of ordinances or resolutions, to the extent they are in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved this 14 day of March, 2005.


C.L. "Bat" Coley, Mayor

ATTEST:


Carol Sneath, City Clerk