**BILL NO. 2297 ORDINANCE NO. 3016**

A BILL TO CREATE AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED:

**AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 26-118 OF THE CENTRALIA CITY CODE AND REPLACING IT WITH A NEW SUBSECTION SECTION 26-118 OF THE CENTRALIA CITY CODE TO SET SERVICE CHARGES FOR WATER PROVIDED BY THE CITY OF CENTRALIA, MISSOURI.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF CENTRALIA, MISSOURI, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Section 26-118 of the Centralia City Code is hereby changed, altered, and amended to read as follows:

SECTION 26-118. WATER RATES FIXED

The rates to be charged for water furnished to users and customers of water from the City of Centralia Water System, are hereby fixed as follows:

1. For all customers and users inside the City limits for a service period for each thirty (30) days or calendar month the charge shall be:

a*.*

*(1) For the first 2,000 gallons - $4.24 per 1,000 gallons*

*(2) For the next 10,000 gallons - $3.90 per 1,000 gallons*

*(3) For all usage over 12,000 gallons - $3.71 per 1,000 gallons*

and in addition, each customer and user shall be charged a monthly demand charge, according to the size of the meter used, as follows:

*(4) 5/8 inch to 3/4 inch meter - $4.24 per month*

*(5) 1 inch meter - $8.19 per month.*

*(6) 1-1/2 inch meter - $11.88 per month.*

*(7) 2 inch meter - $19.70 per month*

*(8) 3 inch meter - $58.44 per month.*

*(9) 4 inch meter - $97.83 per month.*

b. *Each customer and user of water from the City shall have a monthly minimum charge for 1,000 gallons per month regardless of the amount used, so that the minimum monthly charge shall be eight dollars and forty-eight cents ($8.48).*

2. *a*. Each customer and user who receives water to be used on property located outside the City limits shall pay a premium rate of twenty percent (20%) in excess of the rate charged for use inside the City limits.

*b. Each customer and user of water outside the City limits shall have a minimum monthly charge for one thousand (1,000) gallons per month regardless of the amount used, plus the premium of twenty percent (20%) in excess of the rate charged for use inside the City limits, so that the minimum monthly charge shall be ten dollars and eighteen cents ($10.18)*.

**SECTION 2.** Section 26-118 of the Centralia City Code is hereby changed, altered, and amended to read as follows *effective April 25, 2020*:

SECTION 26-118. WATER RATES FIXED

The rates to be charged for water furnished to users and customers of water from the City of Centralia Water System, are hereby fixed as follows:

1. For all customers and users inside the City limits for a service period for each thirty (30) days or calendar month the charge shall be:

a*.*

*(1) For the first 2,000 gallons - $4.66 per 1,000 gallons*

*(2) For the next 10,000 gallons - $4.29 per 1,000 gallons*

*(3) For all usage over 12,000 gallons - $4.09 per 1,000 gallons*

and in addition, each customer and user shall be charged a monthly demand charge, according to the size of the meter used, as follows:

*(4) 5/8 inch to 3/4 inch meter - $4.66 per month*

*(5) 1 inch meter - $9.01 per month.*

*(6) 1-1/2 inch meter - $13.07 per month.*

*(7) 2 inch meter - $21.67 per month*

*(8) 3 inch meter - $64.29 per month.*

*(9) 4 inch meter - $107.61 per month.*

b. *Each customer and user of water from the City shall have a monthly minimum charge for 1,000 gallons per month regardless of the amount used, so that the minimum monthly charge shall be nine dollars and thirty-two cents ($9.32).*

2. *a*. Each customer and user who receives water to be used on property located outside the City limits shall pay a premium rate of twenty percent (20%) in excess of the rate charged for use inside the City limits.

*b. Each customer and user of water outside the City limits shall have a minimum monthly charge for one thousand (1,000) gallons per month regardless of the amount used, plus the premium of twenty percent (20%) in excess of the rate charged for use inside the City limits, so that the minimum monthly charge shall be eleven dollars and eighteen cents ($11.18)*.

**SECTION 3.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.** Section 1 of this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from April 25, 2019; Section 2 of this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from April 25, 2020.

Read two times by title only and **PASSED** by the Board of Aldermen and **APPROVED** by the Mayor this the 15th Day of April, 2019.

 Alderman Wilkins: Yes Alderman Bormann: Yes

 Alderman Hudson: Yes Alderman Rodgers: Yes

 Alderman Motley: Yes Alderman Magley: Yes

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 Chris Cox, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Tara Strain, City Clerk

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