

A BILL TO CREATE AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 26-125 OF THE CENTRALIA CITY CODE AND REPLACING IT WITH A NEW SECTION 26-125 TO SET SERVICE CHARGES FOR USERS OF THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM 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 26-125 of the Centralia City Code is hereby changed, altered, and amended to read as follows:

SECTION 26-125. USER CHARGES FIXED.

Each user connected to the water and sewerage system shall pay a monthly user charge of \$0.1361 per one hundred (100) gallons of water used (or wastewater used, if applicable, as explained in Sections 26-123 and 26-124), to cover the costs for operation, maintenance, and replacement of the sewerage system. In addition, each user connected to the water and sewerage system shall pay a monthly charge of fourteen dollars and fifty-two cents (\$14.52) for each billing account each user has, regardless of the amount of water or wastewater used or whether any water or wastewater is used. For purposes of this Section, "billing account", shall be defined as the authorized use of City water or wastewater measured by one (1) primary meter or by one (1) primary meter and a grouped set of secondary meters.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after April 25, 2020.

Read two times by title only and **PASSED** by the Board of Aldermen and **APPROVED** by the Mayor this the 18th Day of May, 2020.

Alderman Wilkins: Yes
Alderman Hudson: Yes
Alderman Motley: Yes

Alderman Bormann: Yes
Alderman Rodgers: Yes
Alderman Magley: Yes



Chris Cox, Mayor

ATTEST:


Tara Strain, City Clerk