

ORDINANCE 05-17.1

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND Section 3 of Ordinance 05-17 – TO STATE DELINQUENT FEES. ORDINANCE 05-17 SET UTILITY DUE DATE; DISCONNECT DATE AND ALL FEES THAT APPLY TO THE VILLAGE OF ELIZABETH, LOUISIANA UTILITY SERVICES.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana, in regular session convened, that the Board of Aldermen hereby amends Ordinance No. 05-17 and is hereby enacted to read as follows:

SECTION 1: BE IT ORDAINED, By the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana in special session convened, that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen hereby enacted Ordinance NO.05-17 for the Village of Elizabeth utility billing due date, disconnect date and all fees that apply on October 16, 2017.

SECTION 2: BE IT ALSO ORDAINED, that the Village of Elizabeth billing due date is the **10th of each month** for the water, sewer and gas services provide by the Village of Elizabeth utility system. Any payment received after the **10th** is considered late and will acquire a 5% late fee on total bill.

SECTION 3: BE IT ALSO ORDAINED, that the Village of Elizabeth disconnect date for the water, sewer and gas utility shall be done on the **15th**. If the **15th** falls on a weekend or holiday, services will be disconnected the next business day, unless prior written arrangements have been approved by the Mayor before the billing **due date**. Payment must be received online, in office or in drop box by the end of the business day of the **14th**. Any payment, posted on customer's utility account after the end of business day on the **14th**, will be required to pay a **\$50** delinquent fee per Utility Service.

SECTION 4: BE IT FINALLY ORDAINED, that this ordinance shall become effective on February 1, 2023. All ordinances or part of ordinance in conflict herewith are repealed.

THIS ORDINANCE was introduced on the **12th** day of **December 2022**.

Notice of proposal of this Ordinance was published in the official journal on the **29th** of December 2022.

Public Hearing on amendment to Ordinance No. 05-17.1 was held January 9, 2023 at 5:30pm.

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The above foregoing Ordinance was called for a vote by the Mayor at a council Meeting of the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana at the Elizabeth Community Center held on the 9th day of January, 2023, and the vote thereon was as follows:

Motion made by Ken Kelly and seconded by Stacy Weldon to adopt said Ordinance 05-17.1.

Ken Kelly : yea

Stacy Weldon: yea

Mea Dillehay: yea

THUS, DONE AND PASSED in the Village of Elizabeth, Louisiana on January 9, 2023.

Approved:/s/Mandy L Green, Mayor

Attest:/s/Denise Lee, LCMClerk

Refer to Minutes 10-16-17, 1-9-23