

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 37, STREETS AND SIDEWALKS, OF THE MIDWEST CITY CODE, ARTICLE I, IN GENERAL, BY TAKING SECTION 37-9 OUT OF RESERVE, ENTITLING IT "STREET LIGHT FEE FUND," WHICH SHALL READ AS SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDINANCE; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING FOR REPEALER AND SEVERABILITY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, OKLAHOMA:

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SECTION 1. That Chapter 37, Streets and Sidewalks, of the Midwest City Code, shall be amended by taking Section 37-9 out of reserve, entitling it “Street Light Fee Fund” which shall read as follows:

Sec. 37-9. Streetlight fee.

- (1) There shall be established a Street Light Fee for the express purpose of funding capital improvements and general operations expense for the streetlights, lights in parks, intersection lighting and control systems.

- (2) Revenues for this fund shall be deposited in a nontransferable interest bearing account. Funds from other sources may be deposited in this account but, once deposited in this account, can only be expended in the same manner and under the same regulations that govern this account.

- (3) Expenditures may be made from this account only for physical lighting capital improvements and general operations expenses including, but not limited to, items such as future or ongoing operational, maintenance, design and construction of streetlights, lights in parks, intersection lighting, and lighting control and engineering.

- (4) These funds may not be used to fund bonds or any indebtedness of any sort.

- (5) There is hereby established the following fee to fund this account:

- Each month there shall be added a one dollar and 75/100 (\$1.75) fee per residential utility account, seven dollar and 50/100 (\$7.50) fee per commercial utility account and one dollar (\$1.00) fee per apartment for apartment complexes with in excess of 3 units, whether vacant or occupied, and \$1.00 fee per occupied pad site for manufactured home parks.

- (6) Mobile home parks or manufactured home parks shall pay one dollar (\$1.00) per month per pad occupied during the month, unless each pad has its own water meter, in which case each account shall be billed as stated in (5) above.

- (7) Expenditures from this account must be approved by a majority vote of the Midwest City Council, upon adoption of a budget submitted by the City Manager.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect on and after July 1, 2016.

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

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY. If any section, sentence, clause or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the ordinance.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma,
on the 8th day of March, 2016.

THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, OKLAHOMA


Jay Dee Collins, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sara Hancock
Sara Hancock, CITY CLERK

APPROVED as to form and legality this 8th day of March, 2016.


Katherine Bolles, CITY ATTORNEY