

ORDINANCE No. 2010 -15

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A POLICY FOR DETERMINING SWIMMING POOL WATER CONSUMPTION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Bryant City Council wishes to establish a policy for charging wastewater rates which do not reflect water consumption related to the filling of swimming pools

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRYANT, ARKANSAS, SALINE COUNTY:

Section 1. The wastewater rates established in Ordinance Nos. 2008-35 and 2009-28 are subject to the following policy with respect to water consumed to fill swimming pools:

1. A customer may request the City's Water Department to read his/her water meter immediately before a swimming pool has been filled.

2. Upon receipt of such a request, the Water Billing Office will prepare a work order for a meter reader to read the meter at the customer's address for the purpose of filling a swimming pool.

3. Once the customer has finished filling the pool, but no more than three calendar days after the initial request, he/she is required to notify the Water Department so that a City meter reader can read the meter.

4. Upon final reading, the meter reader shall submit the work order to the Billing Clerk and the amount consumed to fill the pool will be deducted from the sewer portion of the customer's bill for that respective month.

5. A \$50.00 fee will be charged to the customer's bill for this service.

Section 2. General Repealer

All ordinances, resolutions, and parts thereof in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

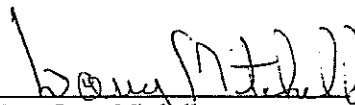
Section 3. Severability

Should any section, clause, or phrase of this ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, that validity shall not affect the other provisions of this Ordinance which shall be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 4. Emergency Clause

To allow customers the option of using this service as swimming pool season begins, the City Council hereby declares an emergency and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of May, 2010.



Mayor Larry Mitchell

ATTEST:



Brenda Cockerham, City Clerk