ORDINANCE 2019-1787

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 54: STORM WATER UTILITY, SPECIFICALLY CHAPTER \$54.02, PARAGRAPHS (D) AND (E) FOR THE PURPOSE OF UPDATING THE STORMWATER UTILITY FEE TO ADEQUATELY ACCOMMODATE THE COSTS OF FUNDING WATER QUALITY MANDATES, DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND SYSTEM REHABILITATIONS.

WHEREAS, the City of Murray desires to amend \$54.02, Paragraphs (D) and (E) of the City of Murray Code Of Ordinances for the purpose of updating the stormwater utility fee to adequately accommodate the costs of funding water quality mandates, drainage improvement projects and system rehabilitation.

WHEREAS, the Murray City Council has reviewed and discussed the following proposed changes to Chapter \$54.02, Paragraphs (D) and (E) of the City Of Murray Code Of Ordinances and believe that the proposed changes are reasonable and necessary.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Murray, as follows:

AMENDMENT I. ADDITIONS, ASSERTIONS & CHANGES:

City of Murray Code Of Ordinances, \$54.02 STORM WATER UTILITY

- (D) The monthly storm water fee for all non-residential/commercial property shall be determined by measuring the total square footage of all impervious surface area as follows: The total impervious area shall be divided by 3,000 square feet to determine the equivalent rate unit. Impervious area determinations shall be rounded to the nearest whole number ERU. A fee of \$13.50 per ERU will be charged for the first 60,000 square feet of each property and \$12.35 per ERU for all impervious area over 60,000 square feet.
- (E) The storm water fee shall be \$13.50 per ERU.

Nothing in this Ordinance hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

All other sections and provisions of the Ordinances for the City of Murray, not specifically amended herein, shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be considered amended and shall be incorporated by reference as if fully stated herein.

ATTEST:

BOB ROGERS, MAYOR

DANNETTA CLAYTON, CITY CLERK

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