

ORDINANCE NO. 102

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TOWN OF MT. CARMEL, TENNESSEE, AND THE FIRST UTILITY DISTRICT OF HAWKINS COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND PROVIDING FOR THE BILLING AND COLLECTION OF SEWER BILLS FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD OF THE TOWN OF MT. CARMEL, TENNESSEE

WHEREAS, the Town of Mt. Carmel feels an obligation to provide water service to all residents of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the First Utility District of Hawkins County, Tennessee is authorized by its charter granted pursuant to the Utility District Law of 1937, T.C.A. §7-82-101, et seq. to provide water service to the area of eastern Hawkins County, which includes all of Mt. Carmel, Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the expanding needs of the Town require the water service supplied by the utility district; and

WHEREAS, the Town has installed a sanitary sewer system, the revenue from which is to be used to pay bonds issued or to be issued by the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town has previously passed a Sewer Use Ordinance, No. 86, which details the billing and collection practices for sewer customer accounts; and

WHEREAS, T.C.A. §7-35-201 allows the utility district to terminate water service to customers of the Town's sanitary sewer system and reestablish water service only upon payment of all arrearage and reconnection fee; and

WHEREAS, the utility district desires to cooperate with the Town and promote the health, welfare, and safety of the inhabitants thereof;

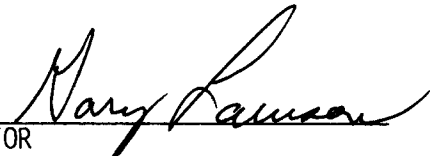
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN OF MT. CARMEL, TENNESSEE AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Town of Mt. Carmel, Tennessee, by and through its Public Utilities Board will contract with the First Utility District of Hawkins County, Tennessee, to provide for the billing of the sewer bills from the town's Wastewater Treatment System, for the disconnection of water service in the event of delinquent sewer bills, for the payment of these services, for the adjustment of sewer bills, for the repair of city streets used by the First Utility District, and for establishing a formal relationship between the parties;

2. That said contract shall be in substantially the same form as set out hereinafter (attached);

3. That all orders or ordinances in conflict herewith be and same are hereby repealed insofar as conflict exists and this Ordinance shall become

effective from and after date of passage as the law directs, the public welfare of the citizens of Mt. Carmel requiring it.

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

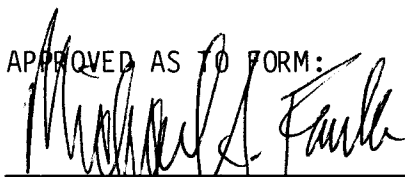
  
CITY RECORDER

Passed 1st reading April 27, 1989

Passed 2nd reading May 25, 1989

Passed 3rd reading June 22, 1989

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
MICHAEL A. FAULK  
CITY ATTORNEY