CITY ORDINANCE NO. 306

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE FORMULA FOR EQUITABLE RECOVERY OF INDUSTRIAL WASTE TREATMENT COSTS; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF: IN THE CITY OF ATKINS, COUNTY OF POPE, STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the City of Atkins, State of Arkansas as follows;

ARTICLE I

Cost Recovery Formula

Section 1. The following formula will be used to determine monthly charges for industries in the City:

$$I.C = jV + a\ V/V'$$

where I.C. = Industrial charge/month
V = Volume of water used by industry in thousands of gallons/month
j = Basic rate in dollars/thousand gallons
a = Monthly cost of operation and maintenance of treatment facility
V' = Total volume of water used by the City in thousand of gallons/month

Section 2. The basic sewer rate, "j", will be twenty (20) percent of the water rates.

Section 3. The value for "a" will be determined by the City based on their anticipated annual operation and maintenance costs.

ARTICLE II

Penalties

Section 1. In the event an industry refuses to pay charges as defined in Article I, the City shall have the authority to stop the flow of that industry's waste from entering into the municipal sewer system.

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ARTICLE III

Validity

Section 1. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 2. The invalidity of any section, clause, sentence or provision of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this ordinance which can be given effect without such invalid part of parts.

ARTICLE IV

Ordinance in Force

Section 1. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, recording and publication as provided by law.

Section 2. Passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Atkins State of Arkansas on the 1st day of August, 1972, by the following vote:

Ayes 4; Namely Austin, Bizzell, Wiley, and Willcutt

Nays 0; Namely _____

Approved this 1st day of August, 1972.

(Signed) _____, Mayor

Attest:

(Signed) _____, Clerk

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