ORDINANCE NO. 80-2

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 5.08 OF THE ATKINS MUNICIPAL CODE FOR THE CITY OF ATKINS, ARKANSAS, PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE AND WASTE, IN THE CITY OF ATKINS, ARKANSAS, ESTABLISHING AN INCREASE IN RATES AND OTHER ITEMS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATKINS, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 5.08 of the Atkins Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Chapter 5.08"
SOLID WASTE COLLECTION

Sections:
5.08.09 Service Fees
5.08.10 Disposal Fees

5.08.09 Service Fees. Fees for the sanitation services rendered by the City of Atkins pursuant to this ordinance shall be charged the customer as follows:

(a) Three dollars and twenty-five cents ($3.25) per month for each single residence or dwelling unit and for each single family unit of multiple family dwellings.

(b) Seven dollars and eighty cents ($7.80) per month for each commercial and industrial establishment. Additional fees to be negotiated between the City of Atkins and the customer, shall be charged if in the opinion of the City of Atkins the amount of work involved merits additional charges.

All such charges shall be billed monthly and added to the customers monthly water bill.

5.08.10 Disposal fees. All garbage and waste collected hereunder by the City of Atkins shall be burned and disposed of at the Atkins Solid Waste Disposal Plant. All other persons, firms or corporations, including those collecting and disposing of garbage and waste for pecuniary gain, desiring to make use of said facility for the disposal of

garbage and waste shall pay a fee for such use, to the City of Atkins, said fee to be paid to the custodian of the Atkins Solid Waste Disposal Plant at the time of the use as follows:

(a) Carload or Pickup Truck Load - Three Dollars ($3.00).
(b) One ton truckload - Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($7.50).
(c) Dump truckload - Ten Dollars ($10.00).
(d) Small deceased animals - Fifty Cents (50¢).
(e) Refrigerators, stoves, washing machines, hotwater heaters, air conditioning units, television sets and other such large appliances - Five Dollars ($5.00).

All of the above fees represent charges for full loads. Fees charged for all other loads will be negotiated between the custodian of the Atkins Solid Waste Disposal Plant and the customer. The fees for the items listed in (d) through (e) shall be charged in addition to those fees listed in (a) through (c). In no event shall the items listed in (d) through (e) be considered a part of any load as described (a) through (c).

Any residential customer having items to be disposed of, and the disposal of said items is not otherwise provided for in this ordinance, may notify City Hall and request that such items be collected and disposed of by the City of Atkins. In the event that such items are collected and disposed of by the City, a special charge shall be assessed to any such residential customer, and said charge shall be determined by the City of Atkins. (Ord. No. 79-3, Sec. 3)

SECTION 2. The ordinance shall be retroactive to the 1 day of January, 1980.

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

SECTION 4. WHEREAS, the City of Atkins is facing a financial crisis, and this ordinance being necessary for the immediate protection of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

DATED this 12th day of February, 1980.

CITY OF ATKINS, ARKANSAS

BY: _____
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK