

**ORDINANCE NO. 08-01**

**AN ORDINANCE TO ADD CHAPTER 8 TO TITLE 7 OF THE SPRING HILL MUNICIPAL CODE, ENTITLED "FEES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT RELATED SERVICES." THIS ORDINANCE TO IMPOSE A SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR SERVICES, REQUESTED BY THE SPRING HILL FIRE DEPARTMENT AND RECOMMENDED BY THE SPRING HILL BUDGET AND FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen recognizes the need to cover incurred costs;

**WHEREAS**, in recognition of the time, effort, and supplies required for conducting mandatory services, the Spring Hill Municipal Code, Title 7, should include the addition of Chapter 8, "Fees for Fire Department Related Services" the schedule of recommended fees are as follows:

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| Burn Permits  | \$ 50.00 |
| Fire Alarm Plans Review Fee                         | \$100.00 |
| Underground/Aboveground Fuel Tank Testing           | \$500.00 |
| Fire Code Re-inspection Fees (3 <sup>rd</sup> Trip) | \$100.00 |
| Pool Fill-Ups                                       | \$100.00 |

**WHEREAS**, in order to further clarify charges and purposes of such are defined as follows with fee ranges:

**Burn Permits**- The fee for burn permit will be used to cover the cost for an inspection of the site for any violation of the Environmental Protection Agency regulations. The permit will localize contact information of the applicant to address any complaints made. The permit will be required for land clearing fires, large scale fires, and fires in close proximity to any schools, day care facilities, highways, or subdivisions. A permit will not be required for exempt patio stove fires, camp fires, warming fires, construction warming sites, and small entertainment fires. No petroleum based products such as rubber, PVC, and treated lumber. can be burned. Only untreated framing lumber scrap, brush, small trees, and other dry vegetation is allowed. *Fee-\$50.00*

**Fire Alarm Plans Review Fee** – Fire alarm fee covers plan review of alarm system, testing of alarm system, monitoring, all components include pulls, strobes, horns, door releases, and detectors. *Fee-\$100.00*

**Underground/Aboveground Fuel Storage Tanks Testing**-Fee for witnessing arrival and offloading of tanks to be installed; air testing vessels and checking for leaks by soaping joined; witness grounding material in pit; witness tie downs in the tank holes; witness setting of tanks for separations and levels; witness gravel bed cover to tanks and keeping holes clear of dirt; witness leakage monitoring pipes being installed; witness ground lines being installed. *Fee-\$500.00*

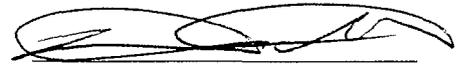
**Fire Code Re-Inspection Fees**-Fee is necessary due to a high percentage of initial inspections failing. This will apply on the third attempt. *Fee-\$100.00*

**Pool Fill-Ups**-Water used is metered and charged separately by the water distribution department. This fee is for use of water hoses, equipment and fire personnel time. *Fee-\$100.00*

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FUTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances or partial ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same hereby are, repealed or modified as the case may be.

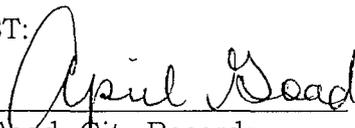
**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, that this ordinance shall apply to both residential and commercial customers and shall take effect from and after its final passage.

**Passed and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee on 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2008.**

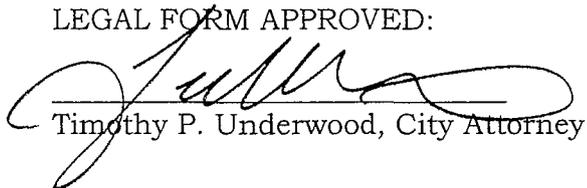


Danny M. Leverette, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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April Goad, City Recorder

LEGAL FORM APPROVED:

  
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Timothy P. Underwood, City Attorney

Passed on First Reading: December 17, 2007

Passed on Second Reading: January 22, 2008