

ORDINANCE NO. 863

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE V, CHAPTER 52 OF THE ETOWAH MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, Title V Chapter 52 of the Etowah Municipal Code sets forth requirements and regulations for users of the city water system within the corporate limits of the City of Etowah and enables the city to adopt additional rules, regulations and policies for the use and connection of the system(s); and

WHEREAS, the occasional amendment of said requirements and regulations is necessary to protect the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens and to ensure that the same are in compliance with current standards and procedures;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ETOWAH, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It is hereby recommended by the Etowah Utility Board that the City of Etowah, Tennessee Code of Ordinances Chapter 52 be amended by the City Commission by adding thereto Section §52.70, which reads as follows:

§52.70 PROHIBITION OF WELLS & PRIVATE WATER SUPPLIES. Where a parcel of property in the City of Etowah has connected to the municipal water system or where the municipal water system is available to a parcel of property, no owner or occupant of the said property or any other person shall construct or make use of any private water supply or well on said property, except for such purposes as may be allowed by special permit from the City of Etowah. Where the municipal water system or state approved public water supply is available to any parcel of property within the City of Etowah, the owner of such parcel of property shall make connection to the municipal water system within ninety (90) days after written notice of said availability has been served on the owner or occupant of the property.

Any person convicted of a violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a civil citation or misdemeanor as provided by law.

Section 2. All orders, resolutions, or ordinances in conflict with this resolution be the same are repealed insofar as such conflict exists. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

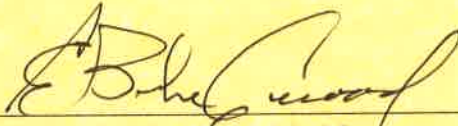
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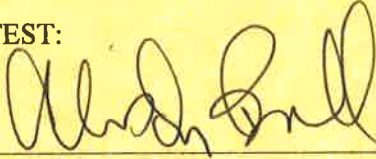
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This the 22nd day of February, 2021.



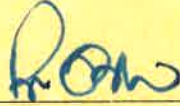
E. BURKE GARWOOD, Mayor

ATTEST:



Alison Bull, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Russell J. Blair, City Attorney