

ORDINANCE 2025.13

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A PENALTY FEE FOR PAYMENT FROM INSUFFICIENT ACCOUNTS

WHEREAS, The City of Sunbury collects various forms of payments from individuals, businesses, and organizations for various services; and

WHEREAS, occasionally payment is not received due to insufficient funds, no funds available, or other reasons for which the payment amount is not honored; and

WHEREAS, Council for the City of Sunbury now wishes to establish a penalty fee for such transactions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Sunbury, Delaware County, Ohio;

SECTION I: A penalty fee of \$50.00 per transaction is hereby imposed when payments are not received by the City of Sunbury due to insufficient funds, no funds available or any other reason causing the payment amount to not be honored.

SECTION II: The Director of Finance is hereby authorized to assess this penalty fee to the respective individual, company, group or organization that attempts payment to the City of Sunbury where the payment is not honored. The penalty fee, along with sufficient payment of the original obligation, must be fully collected prior to the outstanding account being considered "paid in full."

SECTION III: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and related to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of its committees that resulted in such formal action were meetings open to the public, and in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

VOTE ON ORDINANCE 2025.13

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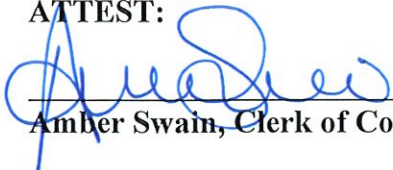
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PASSED: May 7, 2025



Joseph St. John, Mayor

ATTEST:


Amber Swain, Clerk of Council

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify on this 7 day of may, 2025, that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the Ordinance passed at the meeting held on may 7, 2025, of the City of Sunbury, County of Delaware, State of Ohio.



Amber Swain, Clerk of Council