

**ORDINANCE NO. 15-06-18-01**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAGO VISTA, TEXAS, AMENDING APPENDIX A, FEE SCHEDULE, ARTICLE 6.200 UTILITY RELATED FEES, TO MODIFY SECTION 6.200 UTILITY RATES AND FEES; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Lago Vista, Texas is a Home Rule City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Lago Vista finds that from time to time it is necessary to review and/or amend its fee schedule for permits and rates; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to reduce the fee applied per living unit equivalent during times of Stage 2b drought set forth in Appendix A, Fee Schedule.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAGO VISTA, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** All the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct legislative findings of the City and are hereby approved and incorporated herein into the body of this Ordinance as if copied in their entirety.

**SECTION 2.** The City Council of the City of Lago Vista, Texas, does hereby amend Appendix A, Fee Schedule, Article 6.200 Utility Related Fees, Section 6.200(a)(1) as follows:

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Sec. 6.200 Utility Rates and Fees

(a) Residential and commercial water service:

(1) Monthly fee per LUE during Stage 1 of water conservation: Five Dollars\_(\$5.00).

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**SECTION 3. SAVINGS CLAUSE.** All ordinances, orders or resolutions heretofore passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lago Vista, Texas, are hereby repealed to the extent said ordinances, orders or resolutions or parts thereof are in conflict herewith.

**SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE.** If any section, subsection, article, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word in this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the validity of the

remaining portions of this Ordinance, and the City Council hereby declares it would have passed such remaining portions of this Ordinance despite such invalidity, which remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication in accordance with the provisions of the *Tex. Loc. Gov't. Code* but the modifications to the fees will be shown on the bills for water consumption from and after June 7, 2015.

**SECTION 6. OPEN MEETINGS.** It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAGO VISTA, TEXAS, THIS THE 18<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2015.**

**CITY OF LAGO VISTA**

  
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**Randy Kruger, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  
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**Sandra Barton, City Secretary**