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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 1, TITLED "GENERAL ADMINISTRATION," CHAPTER 2, TITLED "MISCELLANEOUS," SECTION 1-203, TITLED "FEES FOR CITY DOCUMENTS, LABOR AND MATERIAL GENERALLY," OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE, BY DELETING SUBSECTION (2) IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR A NEW SUBSECTION (2) TO UPDATE THE METHOD OF NOTIFICATION TO THE PUBLIC.

WHEREAS, City Code §1-203 gives the authority for the establishment of fees for copies of documents and labor and materials, and City Code §1-203(2) provides a method for notification to the public of said fees; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to update City Code §1-203(2) to provide for notification of a fee change to be on the City's website with a fifteen (15) day advanced notice provision rather than the current method of advertisement in the newspaper with a five (5) day advanced notice provision; and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendment is intended to reach a wider audience and be more in line with current methods of notification to the public, as well as reduce expenditures.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE:

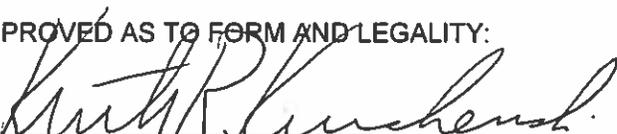
Section 1. Title 1, titled "General Administration," Chapter 2, titled "Miscellaneous," Section 1-203, titled "Fees for City Documents, Labor and Material Generally," of the Code of Ordinances, City of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, is hereby amended by deleting Subsection (2) and substituting therefor a new Subsection (2), which new subsection shall read as follows:

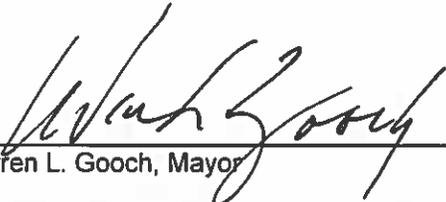
Section 1-203. Fees for City Documents, Labor, and Material Generally.

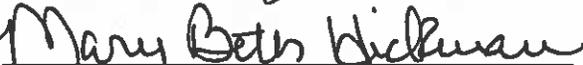
- (2) Fees authorized in the preceding subsection shall be filed with the City Clerk and made available for public inspection at reasonable hours. Before any predetermined fee may be levied or amended, it must be published on the City's website at least fifteen (15) days before it shall become effective.

Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after adoption on second reading, the welfare of the City of Oak Ridge requiring it.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:


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