

**CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, BOONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS**

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 09-2021**

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY, ARKANSAS TO AMEND SECTIONS OF 03-11 AND ESTABLISH THE RATES CHARGED TO CUSTOMERS OF THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, ARKANSAS WATER, SEWER SYSTEM AND TRASH, AND TO ESTABLISH REGULATION FOR THE COLLECTIONS OF THESE RATES AND OPERATION OF THE WATER SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS;** On the 12<sup>th</sup> of August, 2021 the City Council of Diamond City voted on a new rate for the water, sewer and trash; and

**WHEREAS;** It is in the best interest of the City Council of Diamond City to stay apprised of water accounts which affect the monetary income of the City of Diamond City; and

**WHEREAS:** To establish the base residential and commercial rates and to meet the obligations of the City of Diamond City to ensure the solvency of the system.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY TO AMEND SECTIONS 1 AND SECTION VIII OF ORDINANCE 03-11.**

**SECTION I; DEFINITIONS**

#4. Downstream water meters will no longer be in use.

**SECTION VIII; WATER RATES**

1. The following table will be the rates for service from the Diamond City Water and Sewer system and trash

**Residential Base Rate**

Water \$25.00 first 2000 Gallons flat fee

Sewer \$30.00 Flat fee

Trash \$21.58 Flat fee

FSWA \$.30

**Total Tax not included \$76.88**

**Senior Base Rate (65 & older)**

Water \$15.00 first 2000 Gallons

Sewer \$30.00 flat fee

Trash \$21.58 flat fee

FSWA \$.30

**Total Tax not included \$66.88**