## ORDINANCE NO. 2010-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 174-75, SETTING-UP THE WATER DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF COTTER, ARKANSAS: PROVIDING FOR POLICIES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE OPERATION THEREOF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Cotter, Arkansas (the "City") owns and operates the public water system (the "Water Department") which serves the Citizens of the City and others adjacent but outside the city (the "Customers") as needed, and

WHEREAS, the City currently has need to amend the written ("Rules and Regulations") operating policies and procedures necessary to provide uniform and businesslike operation, Article 3, Section 7 and 15 to read as follows; (Section 7) customers desiring water service shall provide a copy of their lease agreement between landlord and tenant or a letter stating that said tenant will be renting this property from the owner to the water department prior to service hook-up. (Section 15) customers desiring their water service be "turned-on or turned-off for periods of time shall pay a seventeen dollar and fifty cent (17.50) service charge for each separate order and/or trip. A thirty-five dollar (35.00) service fee will be charged to any customer whose service is disconnected for non-payment of account.

Article 3 Section 7. A copy of the lease agreement between landlord and tenant or a letter stating that said tenant will be renting this property from the owner will be provided to the Water Department prior to service hook-up.

Article 3 Section 15.

- 1. Water turn-on or turn-off fee \$17.50 for each call out.
- 2. Disconnect service fee of \$35.00 for non -payment of account.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Cotter, Arkansas as follows:

That it is hereby determined and declared that an emergency exists, and this Ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 2010.

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APPROVED:

Steve Raines

Mayor

ATTEST:

Recorder/Treasurer