ORDINANCE NO. 03-2017

CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, BOONE COUNTY, STATE OF ARKANSAS:

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING TO AMEND ORDINANCE 109-91 TO INCREASE THE SEWER TAP FEES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Diamond has determined that there has been no increase in the sewer tap fee in over 25 years; and

WHEREAS, the costs of manpower and materials have significantly increased during this time period;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIAMOND CITY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Amend Ordinance 109-91, SECTION 1

A. In SECTION I, line three after the word “of”, change the amount of $250.00 to read $300.00

SECTION 2.

Declaration of Emergency. It is determined that the City of Diamond City’s Sewerage Account is in desperate need of revenue to ensure the solvency of the fund and that enacting this ordinance immediately will help ensure this solvency. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the financial health of the City shall become effective on the date of its passage by the City Council and approved by the Mayor.

SECTION 3.

A. If, for any reason, any portion of this ordinance is held to be invalid, such invalidity shall in no way affect the remaining portions thereof which are valid, but said valid portions shall be and remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4.

A. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 27 day of June 2017 in a regular meeting.

Aye 4 Nay 0 Absent 2 Abstain 0

ATTEST:  

Steven Floyd, Deputy Clerk

APPROVED:

Jan Hudson, Mayor