

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF HENRY
CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

RESOLUTION NO. R13-559

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE TO WRITE OFF THE BALANCE OF UNCOLLECTABLE UTILITY BILLING DEBT FOR 2012; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CITY CLERK, AND CITY TREASURER TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF THIS RESOLUTION, AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO ATTEST SIGNATURES AND AFFIX THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE CITY, AS NECESSARY, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, REPEALING INCONSISTENT RESOLUTIONS, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Stockbridge ("City") is a municipal corporation located within Henry County, Georgia duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with providing public services to residents located within the corporate limits of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Stockbridge charges certain utility fees for the provision of water, sewer, and commercial sanitation pursuant to its Charter; and

WHEREAS, the City's Utility Billing Section of its Finance Department has reported to the Mayor and Council that uncollectable utility billing fees have accrued during calendar year 2012 in the estimated amount of \$22,486.00, as shown in the attached Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the City's Utility Billing Section of its Finance Department has advised the City that said 2012 fees cannot be collected despite best efforts at collection of those fees; and

WHEREAS, the City finds it to be necessary and prudent to write off said fees.

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS;

Section 1. **Approval** - The City Council of the City of Stockbridge hereby approves writing off of the uncollectable utility billing fees that accrued during calendar year 2012 in the amount of \$22,486.00, as shown in Exhibit "A" hereto, and authorizes the City Clerk and Treasurer to write off such fees.

Section 2. **Approval of Execution** - The Mayor, City Clerk, and Treasurer are hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

Section 3. **Documents** - The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

Section 4. **Severability** - To the extent any portion of this Resolution is declared to be invalid, unenforceable, or non-binding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.

Section 5. **Repeal of Conflicting Provisions** - All City resolutions inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Section 6. **Effective Date** - This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the City Council and Mayor as provided in the City Charter.

SO RESOLVED, this the 9th day of December, 2013.

CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA

Mark A. Alarcon
MARK A. ALARCON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Rhonda A. Blackmon
RHONDA A. BLACKMON, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

William J. Linkous, III
WILLIAM J. LINKOUS, III, CITY ATTORNEY
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