

CITY OF RIDGETOP, TENNESSEE

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-112

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2006-118, MODIFYING THE NATURAL GAS INFRASTRUCTURE FEE SYSTEM FOR THE CITY OF RIDGETOP NATURAL GAS SYSTEM, RIDGETOP, TENNESSEE:

REF: TITLE 19, CHAPTER 2, SECTION 19-207:

Whereas, the Board of Mayor and Alderman of the City of Ridgetop finds it necessary to modify the Natural Gas Infrastructure for the City of Ridgetop Natural Gas System Ridgetop, Tennessee, be as hereinafter described; and

Whereas, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen have reviewed such Ordinance for recommendation and have conducted a public hearing thereon.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY CITY OF RIDGETOP, TENNESSEE AS FOLLOWS:

A Natural Gas Infrastructure fee of \$300.00 shall be due by any entity requesting installation of a new gas service. This will include new construction (residential and commercial) and existing residences that currently do not have gas service.

The Ridgetop Natural Gas System will charge for the cost of installing the new gas service. In order to lower the costs of this charge the gas system offers the following program:

Installation Program:

Effective for the first 100 feet of service. Any distance over 100 feet shall be billed to customer and due and payable before the meter is set.

Gas Heat – If the structure is heated by Ridgetop Natural Gas a credit of 50% of the cost of the first 100 feet will be applied to the service installation cost.

Gas Water – In addition to gas heat if the structure also uses Ridgetop Natural Gas to heat water a credit of 90% of the cost of the first 100 feet will be applied to the service installation cost.

3rd Gas Appliance – (ie: gas logs, gas dryer, etc.) If the structure installs gas heat and gas heated hot water and a third gas appliance is installed Ridgetop Natural Gas will issue a credit of 100% of the cost for the first 100 feet of the gas service installation.

Ridgetop Natural Gas Personnel will confirm the existence of the number of gas appliances before credit is issued.

BE IT ENACTED that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

Passes 1st Reading: _____ **Passes 2nd Reading:** _____

MAYOR: _____

CITY RECORDER: _____