

(First published in the Phillips County Review, December 23, 2020)1t

ORDINANCE NO. 1431

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 1352 AS ADOPTED MARCH 2, 2009, ENTITLED "ESTABLISHMENT OF BAD DEBT ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGES" AND ADOPTING THIS ORDINANCE REGARDING "ESTABLISHMENT OF BAD DEBT ADMINISTRATIVE FEES".

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF PHILLIPSBURG, KANSAS:

Section 1. BAD DEBT ADMINISTRATIVE FEES. All bills for utility services and other charges which are determined to be bad debt and turned over for outside collection, including the State of Kansas set-off program, the Debtor shall be subject to pay all charges related to the reasonable costs of collection of any fine/fee/costs of services. This specifically applies to, but is not limited to, charges for water, sewer, trash, property code violation fines, parking tickets, municipal court fines, fees, court costs, interest accrued thereon, and any other debt due and owing to the municipality. The costs of collection include, but are not limited to, court costs, surcharges, attorney fees, and collection agency fees, except that such costs of collection may not include both attorney fees and collection agency fees.

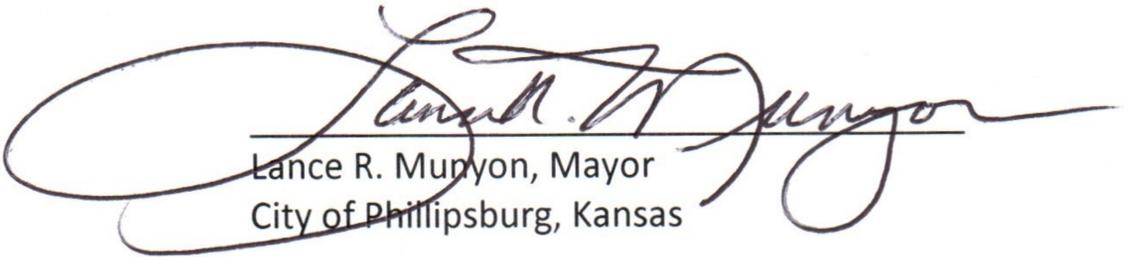
Section 2. ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT. Any ordinance or portions thereof of the City of Phillipsburg, Kansas, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. REPEAL. That Ordinance 1352, adopted March 2, 2009, is hereby repealed.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

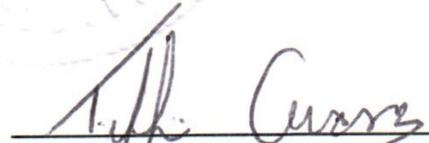
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL THE 21<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2020.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THE 21<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2020.

  
Lance R. Munyon, Mayor  
City of Phillipsburg, Kansas

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

  
Tiffini Gross, City Clerk

(Ordinance Summary published in the Phillips County Review on December ~~28~~, 2020, and the full text of the Ordinance made available at [www.cityofphillipsburg.com](http://www.cityofphillipsburg.com) for a minimum of 1 week from the date of the publication) 1t

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On December 21, 2020, the City of Phillipsburg, Kansas, adopted Ordinance No. 1431, which repeals Ordinance No. 1352 as adopted March 2, 2009, entitled "Establishment of Bad Debt Administrative Charges" and adopts this Ordinance pertaining to "Establishment of Bad Debt Administrative Fees". A complete copy of this ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the Office of the City Clerk at City Hall, 945 Second Street, Phillipsburg, Kansas or at [www.cityofphillipsburg.com](http://www.cityofphillipsburg.com). This summary is certified by S. Scott Sage, Phillipsburg City Attorney, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-3001 et seq.