

**CITY OF LEBANON
ORDINANCE #2021-03**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND the Code of the City of Lebanon, Chapter 182, Water Service, Article V, Service Billing; Discontinuance of Service; Collection and Abatement; Penalties, Section 182-31, Collection.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Lebanon, as follows:

Section 1

The Code of the City of Lebanon is hereby amended to revise Chapter 182, Water Service, Article V, Service Billing; Discontinuance of Service; Collection and Abatement; Penalties, Section 182-31 as follows:

§ 182-31 Collection.

Collection of the fees made herein are committed to the Finance Director ~~Collector of Taxes~~, who shall act under a warrant, requiring said Finance Director ~~Collector of Taxes~~ to collect these assessments. The Finance Director ~~Tax Collector~~ shall have the same rights and remedies, including a lien on the real estate in relation thereto, as in the collection of taxes. Collection of the fees and assessments that are past due shall be committed to the Tax Collector. In the event of bankruptcy, the city may require a security deposit equal to the highest quarterly bill for water service prior to the date of bankruptcy filing for future water service, as provided by federal law. 11 USC § 366.

Section 2. Severability

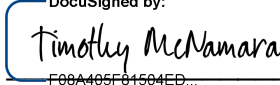
The provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable, and if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or part thereof is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or part of this ordinance.

Section 3. Effective Date

This ordinance shall become effective upon passage.

This Ordinance was adopted by the City Council on November 18, 2020 and is hereby authenticated by the undersigned as required by Section C419:22 of the City Charter.

CITY OF LEBANON

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