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**ORDINANCE NO. 1254**

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS, CHAPTER XIII: SECTIONS 13-205 and 13-206, AND ORDINANCE NUMBER 1019, SECTIONS 4 and 5, ADDRESSING PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND INCREASED EXCAVATION FEES. SECTION 13-207, AND ORDINANCE NUMBER 1019, SECTION 6, SHALL BE REPEALED.**

WHEREAS, the costs of materials and labor for resurfacing excavated areas of streets and alleys in the City of Columbus have increased beyond the current fee schedule.

WHEREAS, fees charged for resurfacing shall be increased to amounts consistent with increased costs.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS.

**SECTION 1:** That Section 13-205 shall be amended as follows:

**PERMIT APPLICATION.** The City Clerk shall issue an excavation permit upon receipt of a complete, detailed written application for an excavation permit. The written application shall state the name and address of the applicant, the nature, location and purpose of the excavation, date of commencement, date of completion of the excavation, and other data as may reasonably be required by the City Clerk.

**SECTION 2:** Section 13-206 shall be amended as follows:

**EXCAVATION FEES.** A fee shall be charged by the City Clerk for excavation construction work affecting City streets and alleys. The excavation fee shall be in addition to all other fees for permits or charges relative to any proposed construction work. The excavation fee shall be determined based on the type of surface to be opened, dug or excavated under the permit issued and paid promptly after completion of the excavation and construction work, as follows:

- (a) On streets paved with oil or water bound macadam - \$8.00 per square foot
- (b) On streets paved with cement concrete base or cement concrete - \$8.00 per square foot.
- (c) On streets paved with asphalt, concrete and bitulithic on broken rock - \$8.00 per square foot.
- (d) In alleys or rights-of-way AB-3 or pile run chat - \$4.00 per square foot.

**SECTION 3:** Section 13-207 shall be repealed.

**SECTION 4:** All ordinances, resolutions or policies or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed insofar as they conflict herewith.

**SECTION 5:** This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after passage and publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED and APPROVED by the Governing Body this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008.

  
HARLEY MCDANIEL, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
JANICE BLANCETT, CITY CLERK

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