

State of Alabama
Cullman County
City of Hanceville

**ORDINANCE NO. 605
CITY OF HANCEVILLE, ALABAMA**

ESTABLISHING FIRE SERVICE FEES AND CHARGES

WHEREAS, the City of Hanceville Fire Department provides fire protection and other emergency response services to the citizens of Hanceville; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hanceville Fire Department wishes to maintain its high level of service to the citizens of Hanceville;

WHEREAS, fees for service are a means of spreading the cost of maintaining a fire and emergency response department to the users of the department and reducing the tax burden on tax payers;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED that the City Council of the City of Hanceville hereby approves the following fire service fees:

MOTOR VEHICLE RESPONSE

Basic Response = \$750.00

May include some or all of the following: MVA Driver/Passenger/ Pedestrian Injury Assessment, Patient Evaluation, Patient Stabilization and/or Basic or Advanced Life Support until Victim(s) are transported, if required. Also, Scene Safety, Traffic Control, and Fire Suppression standby.

STRUCTURAL FIRE SUPPRESSION

Heavy Apparatus - \$750.00 per apparatus

Includes engines, aerials, rescues, air/light units, tankers etc.

Light Apparatus - \$250.00

Includes brush units, support vehicles, etc.

Command and Staff Vehicles: \$100.00

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSES, SPILLS, AND OTHER INCIDENTS

All responses will be billed at the Heavy Apparatus Rate with an additional itemized bill for materials and supplies used.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED. The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a written agreement with a billing organization to invoice insurance companies on behalf of the City of Hanceville and the Fire Chief, Police Chief, and City Clerk are hereby directed to facilitate issuance of such invoices. The City Clerk is further directed to deposit such fees in the City's General fund, which shall be used to purchase equipment, training, and other services and supplies for the Hanceville Fire Department.

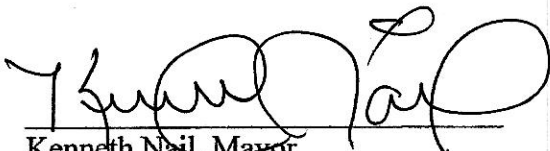
PENALTY. Any person, firm, or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars or imprisonment not to exceed thirty days in jail.

REPEALER. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

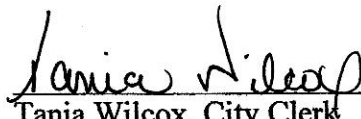
SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole, or any section, provision, or thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Passed and approved by City Council of the City of Hanceville on the 4th of December, 2014.



Kenneth Nail, Mayor



Tania Wilcox, City Clerk