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ORDINANCE NO. B - 507

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING BAD DEBT ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, ELLIS COUNTY, KANSAS:

<u>Section 1</u>. Bad Debt Charges. All bills for utility services or other charges which are determined to be bad debt and turned over for outside collection, including the State of Kansas setoff program, shall be subject to a fee of twenty-five percent (25%) of the total of the delinquent amount. This bad debt administrative charge shall be applied prior to referral for collection.

<u>Section 2</u>. Ordinances In Conflict. Any ordinances or portions thereof of the City of Victoria in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

<u>Section 3</u>. Publication and Effective. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage, approval and publication in the Russell County News, the official City Newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Victoria, Kansas, on this $20^{\rm th}$ day of ρri , 2009.

Curt Unrein, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mary Pfeifer City Clerk