

ORDINANCE NO. 2 SERIES 2013
CITY OF LA GRANGE, KENTUCKY

Fees Imposed to Research Tax Bills

Whereas, the City Council of the City of La Grange, Kentucky, has the authority pursuant to statute to enact Ordinances relating to the City, and

Whereas, the City Council shall by ordinance provide for sufficient revenue to operate city government pursuant to KRS 83A.130, and;

Whereas, it is necessary that a fee schedule be established for time and resources expended in researching property tax bills.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED THAT:

Section 1:

(A) Any request directed to the City Clerk/Treasurer or his/her staff for researching or providing information about tax bills which are not delinquent shall be assessed an administrative fee of \$10.00 per parcel; however, if the request is made directly from the property owner, no fee will be charged. This fee shall be paid in advance by the requester. The City Clerk/Treasurer will not provide information about delinquent tax bills if those tax bills have been endorsed for collection to the City Attorney.

(B) Any request directed to the City Attorney or his/her staff for researching or providing information about delinquent tax bills which have been endorsed by the City Clerk/Treasurer for collection shall be assessed an administrative fee of \$50.00 per parcel. This fee shall be paid in advance by the requester, unless such a request is made by a party to a lawsuit to collect the delinquent tax. If such a request is made by way of a discovery request in accordance with the Kentucky Rules of Civil Procedure, by a party to a lawsuit to collect the delinquent tax, the documentation evidencing the tax due will be made available for inspection.

Section 2:

This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication.

First Reading: February 4, 2013

Second Reading: March 4, 2013

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MAYOR
CITY OF LA GRANGE, KENTUCKY

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK
CITY OF LA GRANGE

VOTE:

FOR: 7
AGAINST: 0
ABSTAINED: 0
PRESENT: 7