ORDINANCE NO. _____

AMENDING THE CITY OF INGLESIDE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADOPTING A NEW SECTION 1-18 OF CHAPTER 1 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF INGLESIDE, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT DEBTS, INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COURT COSTS; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND PUBLICATION.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INGLESIDE, TEXAS:

I

THAT Section 1-18 of Chapter 1of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Ingleside, Texas, is hereby adopted to read as follows:

Section 1-18. DEBT COLLECTION.

In the event a debt is due and owing to the City, said debt, if not paid within 30 days after its due date, shall accrue interest at the highest rate allowed by law from and after its due date , unless and except to the extent expressly and specifically otherwise provided by law, and if the City files suit for recovery of any debt or to foreclose any lien, it shall be entitled to recover and collect interest, reasonable attorney's fees, court costs, and all other fees, expenses, costs and charges allowable under the law.

II

THAT all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

III

THAT if for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any other section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this ordinance, for it is the definite intent of this City Commission that every section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision hereof be given full force and effect for its purpose.

IV

THAT this Ordinance shall be codified and become effective on and after adoption and publication as required by law.

PASSED, ORDAINED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2015.

CITY OF INGLESIDE

By: _____
Pete Perkins, Mayor

ATTEST:

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CITY SECRETARY

First Reading: _____

Second Reading: _____