

ORDINANCE NO. 765-21

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK, ARIZONA, ADDING ARTICLE 3-6 REVENUE AND FINANCE TO THE TOWN CODE CHAPTER 3 ADMINISTRATION.

WHEREAS, the Town of Queen Creek, Arizona (the "Town"), serves a growing community; and

WHEREAS, the Town makes reasonable efforts to collect all money owing in compliance with policy and procedure; and

WHEREAS, needed adjustments have been identified in the Town Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK, ARIZONA, as follows:

Section 1: The Queen Creek Town Code, Arizona Article 3-6 Revenue and Finance is hereby added to read as follows:

Article 3-6 Revenue and Finance

Section 3-6-1 Outstanding Accounts Receivable

3-6-1.1 Collection.

The Town shall make reasonable attempts to collect all money owing in compliance with Town policy and procedure. The Town reserves the right to assess a late fee for the receivable if payment is not received by the specified date. If such attempts fail and at least 60 days have passed since the original due date, the receivable may be sent to a collection agency or attorney for collection. The Town may apply a collection fee not to exceed 15% of the balance and recover all costs of litigation and collection.

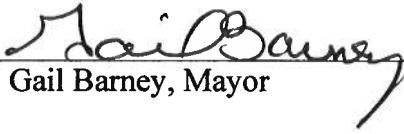
Section 2: This ordinance will be effective on November 6, 2021.

Section 3: If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance or any part of this additional or modification adopted herein by reference is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 4: The Town Clerk is hereby directed to publish this adopting ordinance in full.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Queen Creek, Arizona, this 6th day of October 2021.

FOR THE TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK:


Gail Barney, Mayor

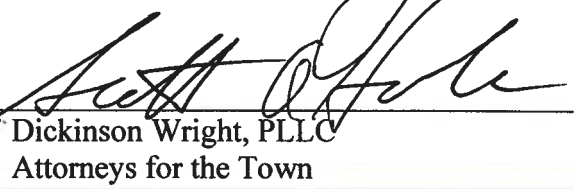
REVIEWED BY:


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Town Manager

ATTESTED TO:


Maria Gonzalez, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


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