

CITY OF CRAIG

ORDINANCE NO. 762

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4, CRAIG MUNICIPAL CODE, SECTION 4.10.04 ESTABLISHING A LATE FEE, PENALTIES AND INTEREST FOR DELINQUENT HARBOR ACCOUNTS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG, ALASKA:

Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and the code sections adopted hereby shall become a part of the code of the City of Craig, Alaska.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon approval..

Section 4. Findings. The Craig City Council finds the following:

WHEREAS, the Craig Harbor Department, JT Brown Industrial Park, and Cannery provide various harbor related services; and

WHEREAS, the Craig Harbor department is authorized to charge fees for these services established by resolution approved by the Craig City Council; and

WHEREAS, the current municipal code does not include a provision for the establishment of penalties and interest for harbor related accounts specifically.

Section 5. Action.

This ordinance adds section 4.10.040 to the Craig Municipal Code as follows:

4.10.040 Setting Harbor Rates and Late Fees, Penalties, and Interest for Delinquent Harbor Accounts

- A. Moorage, ice, storage, haulouts and other harbor related service rates shall be set by resolution approved by the Craig City council.
- B. In the event an invoice is not paid within the following calendar month after the invoice is sent, a penalty of ten (10) percent of the unpaid invoice balance shall be added to the customers balance for the first month of delinquency or fraction thereof and an additional penalty of 10 percent shall be added for each subsequent month of delinquent payments until the total penalty of thirty (30) percent has accrued. Interest at the rate of fifteen (15)

percent per year from the date of delinquency until paid shall accrue in the same manner.
Such penalty and interest shall be collected in the same manner as the balance owed.

Passed and approved on September 14th, 2023.

Tim O'Connor

Mayor Tim O'Connor

Attest

Kecia Weatherwax

Kecia Weatherwax, City Clerk