CITY OF RIO COMMUNITIES

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2013-09

DATE

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5-1-1 IMPOSITION OF BUSINESS REGISTRATION FEE.

There is imposed on each place of business conducted in this municipality a business registration fee of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00). The fee is imposed pursuant to Section 383-3 N.M.S.A. 1978 as it now exists or is amended and shall be known as the "Business Registration Fee". The business registration fee may not be prorated for business conducted for a portion of the year.

5-1-2 EXEMPTION.

Pursuant to Section 3-38-1 N.M.S.A. 1978, no business registration fee shall be imposed on any business, which is licensed under Section 5-2 or 5-4 of the Code of the City of Rio Communities.

5-1-3 APPLICATION TO DO BUSINESS.

Any person proposing to engage in business within the municipal limits of Rio Communities after July 1, 2013 shall apply for and pay a business registration fee for each outlet, branch, or location within the limits of City of Rio Communities prior to engaging in business, unless such person is required to obtain a license under Section 5-2 of the Code of the City of Rio Communities, NM.

5-1-4 RENEWAL.

Prior to March 16 of each year, any person with a place of business in City of Rio Communities and subject to this Ordinance shall apply for renewal of business registration with the City Office.

5-1-5 APPLICATION.

Any person filing an application for issuance or renewal of any business registration shall include in the application his current revenue division taxpayer identification number or evidence of application for a current revenue number or evidence of application for a current revenue division taxpayer identification number. Applicant shall also produce and maintain State Licensing and Certificates, if applicable, to the type of business conducted.

5-1-6 PENALTY.

Notice shall be mailed to any person or business who fails to pay annual registration fee within 10 days after due date. Notice shall be registered letter return receipt requested. If within 7 days of receiving letter fee has not been paid, then the business and/or person shall be subject to a penalty of \$10.00 in addition to the registration fee.

APPROVED, ADOPTED AND SIGNED this Oth day of September, 2013 by the Governing Body of the City of Rio Communities.

Mark Gwinn, Mayor

City of Rio Communities

ATTEST:

Mary Lee Serna, Mayor Pro Tem

City of Rio Communities