

RESOLUTION NO. 1611

A RESOLUTION TEMPORARILY STAYING ENFORCEMENT OF DEFAULT
UTILITY BILLS

RECITALS:

A. Multiple cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) have been detected in the state of Oregon, with at least two identified cases in Jackson County.

B. The Governor of the State of Oregon has declared a state of emergency relating to COVID-19 in the State of Oregon.

C. The foregoing circumstances have resulted in closed schools and businesses.

D. CPMC 13.04.120 authorizes the City to discontinue any City provided water service in the event of unpaid charges for water service or other charges or assessments that the CPMC authorizes collection for discontinuation of water service.

E. The City desires to alleviate the hardship or suffering caused by this state of emergency, particularly for families hardest hit by reduced employment by temporarily staying enforcement of unpaid utility bills through water service curtailment and late fees.

The City of Central Point resolves as follows:

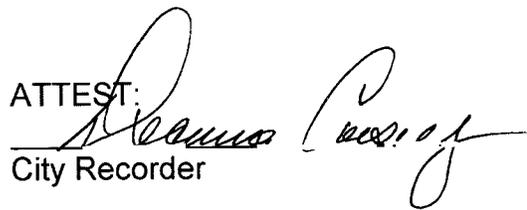
Section 1. For a period of 60 days following the date of this Resolution, the City shall not discontinue water service under any of the circumstances described in CPMC 13.04.120(A).

Section 2. For a period of 60 days following the date of this Resolution, the City shall not impose a fee for providing turn-off notices and for discontinuance of service under any of the circumstances described in CPMC 13.04.120(A).

Passed by the Council and signed by me in authentication of its passage
this 16th day of March, 2020.


Mayor Hank Williams

ATTEST:


City Recorder