## STATE OF LOUISIANA

## CITY OF WEST MONROE

ORDINANCE NO	MOTION BY:	
	SECONDED BY:	

AN ORDINANCE TO CODIFY SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 5062 BY ENACTING SEC. 7-1019.1 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF WEST MONROE, LOUISIANA; AND TO CODIFY SEC. 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 5063 BY ENACTING SECTION 7-2010.2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF WEST MONROE, LOUISIANA; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 5062 of the Code of Ordinances, City of West Monroe, Louisiana, amending the provisions of Sec. 7-1019, was adopted on May 10, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 5063 of the Code of Ordinances, City of West Monroe, Louisiana, amending the provisions of Sec. 7-2010, was adopted on May 10, 2022; and

WHEREAS, each of Ordinance No. 5062 and Ordinance No. 5063 each included a Section 2, which was then enacted but for which no specific section of the Code of Ordinances was assigned, resulting in those provisions being difficult to locate - and as a result, each should now be specifically included in a designated section of the Code.

NOW, THEREFORE,

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that Section 7-1019.1 be enacted, to now provide as follows, to-wit:

## "Sec. 7-1019.1. Consumer Price Index adjustments.

Beginning with calendar year 2023, the charges imposed by subsections (b) (1) a. (ii), (b) (1) b. (ii), (b) (1) c. (ii), (b) (1) d. (ii), (b) (1) e. (ii), (b) (2) a. (ii), (b) (2) b. (ii), (b) (2) c. (ii), (b) (2) d. (ii), (b) (2) e. (ii), and (c) of Sec. 7-1019 shall be increased for all billings after June 30th by the average annual increase over the previous year in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, as published by the United States Department of Labor, utilizing the value reflected for March of the then current calendar year over the value reflected for March of then previous calendar year."

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that Section 7-2010.2 be enacted, to now provide as follows, to-wit:

## "Sec. 7-2010.2. Consumer Price Index adjustments.

Beginning with calendar year 2023, the charges imposed by subsections (a) (1) and (a) (2) and subsections (b) (1) and (b) (2) shall be increased for all billings after June 30th by the average annual increase over the previous year in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U), not seasonally adjusted, as published by the United States Department of Labor, utilizing the value reflected for March of the then current calendar year over the value reflected for March of then previous calendar year."

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the

City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that for cause determined to be in the best interests of the City of West Monroe and its citizens, this amendment shall be effective on May 17, 2023;

The above Ordinance was read and considered by Sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened, voted on by yea or nay vote, passed and adopted the 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023, the final vote being as follows:

and adopted the 16" day of May, 2023, the fi	inal vote being as follows:
YEA:	
NAY:	
NOT VOTING:	
ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	
	APPROVED THIS 16TH DAY OF MAY, 2023
CHRISTEN HEATH, CITY CLERK	STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR
CITY OF WEST MONROE	CITY OF WEST MONROE
STATE OF LOUISIANA	STATE OF LOUISIANA