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## ORDINANCE 117 -A

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECITON OF HOUSHOLD TRASH AND GARBAGE, ESTABLISHING A FEE FOR THE SERVICE, PROVIDING FOR COLLECTION OF SAID FEE, PROVIDING A SEVERABLILITY CLAUSE, AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WALLIS, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City of Wallis, Texas in order to insure the prompt and orderly collection of household trash and garbage from various locations within the City of Wallis, shall contract on an annual basis with such firm or firms acceptable to the City to provide for the sanitary disposition of such household trash and garbage.

SECTION 2. That such contract shall be under the terms established by the City to promote continued health and sanitation within said City.

SECTION 3. That the City shall assess a fee for the collection of such household trash and garbage to be paid by the owner of each property within the City of Wallis provided with City utility service, such fee being due and payable by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of each month. The City shall bill each owner for garbage collection when its bills for other City utility services.

SECITON 4. That no individual, firm, corporation, partnership or other business entity shall be allowed to collect for disposal any household trash or garbage collected within the City of Wallis, without the express prior written permission of the City.

SECTION 5. That nothing contained herein shall limit or restrict any individual or business located within the City of Wallis from hauling or disposing of its own household trash and garbage; however, payment to the City for such collection service as set out herein above is mandatory by the owner of each registered utility connection within the City of Wallis, whether the owner makes use of said household trash and garbage collection service or not.

SECTION 6. The following fees, plus tax, shall be assessed for garbage collection and are payable as set out in SECITON 3 above:

Residential Service - \$13.85
Residential Service
for senior citizens - \$10.00
Commercial Service - \$20.50

SECTION 10. The provisions and requirements set out herein shall be in full force and effect on and after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008

Mayor Tony I. Salazar Jr.

City Secretary - DJ Sommers

ATTEST: