BILL 2014-57

****** First Reading ******

Agenda Item

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Mark S. Gaugh, City Manager

DATE: December 15, 2014

RE: Ordinance – Change in Name of Reservoirs/Lakes

Issues

The City Council requested that we obtain public input for the naming of three of the City's reservoirs. Staff requested input from every utility customer to provide suggested names for the lakes. A period of approximately thirty days was provided for this input. Many suggestions were received, and the Council selected the names with the most popularity from the submittals.

The change in naming the reservoirs was done to better identify the lakes with their surroundings, as well as to help promote the Cameron area for its citizens and visitors.

Recommendation

Staff recommends that the Council pass the ordinance on three readings to change the lake names.

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AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF CAMERON, CLINTON AND DeKALB COUNTIES, MISSOURI AUTHORIZING THE CHANGE OF NAMES OF FOUR (4) CITY OF CAMERON RESERVOIRS

WHEREAS, the City of Cameron owns and operates four surface water reservoirs, named Grindstone, Reservoir #1, Reservoir #2, and Reservoir #3; and

WHEREAS, a name change is needed to better represent the reservoirs with names that associate and better connect the reservoirs to the local environment; and

WHEREAS, every utility customer was given the opportunity to suggest names for the reservoirs, many names were suggested and submitted; and

WHEREAS, the City Council selected names from those with the most public popularity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMERON, CLINTON AND DeKALB COUNTIES, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Reservoir #1 will be named Century Lake.
Section 2. Reservoir #2 will be named Sunrise Lake.
Section 3. Reservoir #3 will be named Eagle Lake.
Section 4. Grindstone Reservoir will be named Grindstone Lake

Passed and approved on first reading this 15th day of December 2014.
Passed and approved on second reading this _____day of _____ 2014.
Passed and approved on third and final reading this _____day of _____ 2014.

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Mayor Dennis M. Clark

ATTEST:

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City Clerk/Finance Clerk

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