

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CAMERON
ACCOUNTING STAFF TO WRITE-OFF UNCOLLECTIBLE
UTILITY ACCOUNTS FOR THE CITY OF CAMERON, CLINTON,
DeKALB AND CALDWELL COUNTIES, MISSOURI**

WHEREAS, the City experiences uncollectible debts for various goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the City auditors allow for uncollectible accounts on an annual basis; and

WHEREAS, the Council is authorized to write-off uncollectible debt as needed; and

WHEREAS, the Council authorized with Ordinance 5189 on February 1, 2005 the first write off; and,

WHEREAS, Staff continues to review annually and has determined since the last annual write-off, \$25,050.42 has accumulated as uncollectible utility accounts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Cameron, Clinton and DeKalb Counties, Missouri as follows:

Section 1. The accounting staff is hereby authorized to write-off \$25,050.42 in uncollectible utility accounts, a list of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. The Mayor is authorized to sign this Ordinance on behalf of the City of Cameron.

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to attest to the Mayor's signature.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

Passed and approved on first reading this 20th day of March 2017.

Passed and approved on second reading this 3rd day of April 2017.

Passed and approved on third and final reading this 3rd day of April 2017.

Mayor Jerri Ann Eddins

ATTEST:

City Clerk/Finance Clerk