

ORDINANCE NO. 92-013

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

MAR 24 1992

ON DATE OF _____

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 61.301 OF ARTICLE III AND
ADDING SECTION 61.1000 TO ARTICLE X OF CHAPTER 61 OF
THE SACRAMENTO CITY CODE RELATING TO RECOVERY OF COSTS
OF ABATEMENT AND SERVICE FEE**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO:

Section 1.

Section 61.301 (j) is hereby added to Article III of Chapter 61 of the Sacramento City Code to read as follows:

(j) **Cost of abatement:** The total cost incurred by the City in connection with a public nuisance including, but not limited to:

(i) Any cost incurred in removing or remedying a public nuisance.

(ii) A service fee for administrative services rendered by the City Neighborhood Services Division in connection with the inspection, notification, prosecution and abatement procedures authorized by this code.

(a) The service fee shall be in such amounts as are determined from time to time by resolution of the City Council.

(b) The service fee will be calculated based on all services rendered by Neighborhood Services Division from the time of the initial inspection of the property made for the purpose of documenting a violation of this code until the violation is corrected.

(c) The service fee is not intended to be a penalty imposed for violation of this code or other laws.

(iii) Any cost incurred by the City in collecting the costs enumerated in Section 61.301 (b) (i) and (ii) above.

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Section 2.

Section 61.1000 is hereby added to Article X of Chapter 61 of the Sacramento City Code to read as follows:

Section 61.1000 Property Owner's Liability for Cost of Abatement

(a) Every owner of property within the City is liable to the City for the cost of abatement of a public nuisance located on his or her premises conducted pursuant to Article VII of this code.

DATE PASSED FOR PUBLICATION: March 17, 1992


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DATE EFFECTIVE: April 23, 1992



MAYOR

ATTEST:



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