

ORDINANCE NO. 3-2002

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 53 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE ESTABLISHING RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE USE OF AND SERVICES RENDERED BY THE BATESVILLE GAS UTILITY.

WHEREAS, the City of Batesville owns and operates a gas utility for furnishing natural gas service to the city and surrounding territory, and

WHEREAS, after study, the Utility Services Board has determined that rates need to be revised in order for the Utility Services Board to have a sufficient rate of return to adequately maintain the system. The Common Council, after considering the matter now determines that the recommendations of the Utility Services Board should be followed; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BATESVILLE:

Section 1. Subsection 53.13(B) (1) is hereby amended as follows:

The charges shall be computed on a monthly basis and at the following rates:

GENERAL RATE

Quantity (cubic feet)	Rates (per 1,000 cubic feet)
First 1,000 or less	\$6.88
Next 1,000	\$5.72
Next 98,000	\$4.99
Over 100,000	\$4.41

Section 2. Subsection 53.13(B)(3) is hereby amended as follows:

Interruptible transportation service rate. All natural gas delivered under this schedule shall be at the rate of \$0.1155 per 100 cubic feet and subject to all terms as determined from time to time by the Utility Services Board for transportation of natural gas on an interruptible basis.

Section 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after second reading, its publication and public hearing on June 10, 2002, at 7 o'clock P.M. as required by law.

Primarily adopted by the Common Council of the City of Batesville on the 13th day of May, 2002 and finally adopted on the 10th day of June, 2002.

Ayes: Fledderman, Gutzwiller, Decker, Stewart and Schaefer.

Nays: None

Whole number of Council being five.