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ORDINANCE

Ordinance No. 471
Amending San Luis City Code sections to conform penalties with Ordinance No. 466; repealing any conflicting provisions; and providing for severability.

OFFICE OF THE
MAYOR
CITY OF SAN LUIS

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN LUIS, ARIZONA, AMENDING SAN LUIS CITY CODE SECTIONS TO CONFORM PENALTIES WITH ORDINANCE NO. 466; REPEALING ANY CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY.

WHEREAS, on May 28, 2025 the City, through Ordinance No. 466, amended municipal court fees via San Luis City Code (the "SLCC") § 2.30.050; Municipal Court fees and 2.30.060; Court Collection Service Fee; and

WHEREAS, the City finds the penalties sections of the SLCC require amendment to align with the amendments brought forth through Ordinance No. 466

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend SLCC Sections 1.05.030, 1.05.990, 5.15.990, 8.10.990, 8.25.100, 9.05.990, 9.25.990, 10.15.990, and 10.30.990 to allow for the additional fees and surcharges pursuant to SLCC § 2.30.050 and reference the court assessing a default fee to do so for default judgements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Arizona:

Section 1:: SLCC Chapter 1.05 General Provisions, § 1.05.030 Definitions Subsection A shall be amended and appended to add in alphabetical order the following:

CODE, THE CODE, THIS CODE, or SLCC. Code of Ordinances of the City of San Luis. SLCC. San Luis City Code or the Code of Ordinances of the City.

Section 2 SLCC Chapter 1.05 General Provisions, Section 1.05.990 General Penalty - Continuing violations is amended and appended to add a new subsection, I to read:

"(I) All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to the fines set forth in this San Luis City Code."

Section 3 Section 5.15.990(B)(3) and (4) of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"(3) The person is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars ($250.00) for each violation. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law

shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section. For continuing violations, each day constitutes a separate offense.

It is not a civil offense for a taxicab to pick up a customer who has either hailed the taxicab or has otherwise requested that the taxicab pick them up, and the location does not violate any traffic, parking or other laws."

Section 4: Section 8.10.990 of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"Violations of this chapter shall be a Class 3 misdemeanor punishable in accordance with the applicable sections of the Arizona Revised Statutes. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section."

Section 5: Section 8.25.100(A) of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"(A) A responsible party cited for a violation of any provision of this chapter shall be subject to a civil sanction and shall be fined an amount not to exceed $500.00 per day. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section."

Section 6: Section 9.05.990 of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"Violations of this chapter shall be a Class 3 misdemeanor punishable in accordance with the applicable sections of the Arizona Revised Statutes. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section."

Section 7: Section 9.25.990 of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"Violations of this chapter shall be a Class 3 misdemeanor punishable in accordance with the applicable sections of the Arizona Revised Statutes. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section."

Section 8 : Section 10.15.990(C)(2)(b) of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"(b) In addition to any civil sanction imposed, the Municipal Court shall assess a default fee of not less than $50.00, pursuant to SLCC 2.30.050 or any successor statute, for failure to pay any civil sanction imposed by the court. on each default judgment entered for failure to appear in a civil traffic case, or for failure to satisfy in full a civil sanction imposed in a civil traffic case."

Section 9: Section 10.30.990(A) of the San Luis City Code is amended to read:

"(A) Any person in violation of SLCC § 10.30.010 shall be found guilty of a civil infraction and be required to pay a minimum fine of $50.00, which cannot be suspended except pursuant to subsection (B) of this section. All fees and surcharges imposed pursuant to state law shall be imposed in addition to those fees set forth in this section."

Section 10: The City Council authorizes and directs the appropriate City officers and employees to perform all necessary or desirable acts to give effect to this Ordinance.

Section 11: If a conflict arises between the provisions of this ordinance and any resolution, other ordinance, regulation, or policy of the City of San Luis, the conflicting provisions are repealed, amended, superseded, and replaced, and this Ordinance shall govern.

Section 12: If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the final decision of any court of competent jurisdiction or operation of law by legislation, such decision or law shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

PASSED, ADOPTED, and APPROVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Yuma County, Arizona, this 14th day of January 2026.

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Nieves Riedel, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Sonia Cornelio, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Kay Marion Macuil, City Attorney