PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. <u>04-17</u>

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 10-4-16(c) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA, INSTALLATION OF SERVICES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. Section 10-4-16 of the Code of the City of Pensacola, Florida, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 10-4-16. - Installation of services.

- (a) The city will install for any new customer of its gas service a service line measuring from the gas main to the proposed meter site. For such portion of any such service line, the customer shall pay an installation charge equal to the cost of such installation minus the estimated net first annual revenue to the city derived from the sale of gas at the service address, such estimate to be determined by a representative of Energy Services of Pensacola. There shall be no installation charge if the estimated net first annual revenue exceeds the cost of installation.
- (b) The city may perform work on its distribution system upon customer or contractor request. Where applicable, the customer or contractor will pay a charge to offset the labor and materials expense as determined by a representative of Energy Services of Pensacola.
- (c) The city will offer installation services for natural gas piping and natural gas appliances. Services include but are not limited to gas piping installation for cell towers, natural gas generators, water heater replacements, water heater conversions, miscellaneous house piping, and subcontracting services to builders in the new home construction market throughout the ESP franchise area. Pricing is based on standard vehicle costs, labor costs including overhead plus a moderate markup over cost that will not exceed twenty (20) percent. Any applicable rebates will be deducted from the installation charge. Work may be done by outside contractor or ESP staff.

SECTION 2. If any word, phrase, clause, paragraph, section or provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid or unconstitutional, such finding shall not affect the other provision or applications of the ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid or unconstitutional provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared severable.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect on the fifth business day after adoption, unless otherwise provided pursuant to Section 4.03(d) of the City Charter of the City of Pensacola.

Adopted:_____

Approved: _____ President of City Council

Attest:

City Clerk