

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0105

Municipal services recovery actions.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Blackburn, Gray, Greear,
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A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to municipal services; prohibiting
2 municipalities from recovering past due payments for
3 municipal services as specified; requiring adoption of
4 related policies by municipalities; and providing for an
5 effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 15-7-115 is created to read:

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11 **15-7-115. Municipal services recovery actions.**

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13 (a) A city or town that operates a trash or recycling
14 collection service, municipal waterworks, sanitary sewer
15 system or electric utility distribution system shall not

1 collect or attempt to collect past due payments from a
2 property owner for any of those services through any means
3 when the property owner has not contracted with the city or
4 town for provision of the service.

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6 (b) Beginning on July 1, 2019, when a tenant resides on
7 a property and the property owner does not reside on the
8 property, the city or town, as a condition of providing trash
9 or recycling, water, sewer or electric service, shall not
10 require the property owner to contract with the city or town
11 for provision of any of those services. Each city or town
12 shall adopt appropriate policies to implement this section.

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14 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2019.

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